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# SIX POEMS BY FIONA MACLEOD

SET TO MUSIC FOR A MEDIUM VOICE

WITH PIANO ACCOMPANIMENT BY

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FROM THE HILLS OF DREAM	.50
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WHEN THE DEW IS FALLING

WHEN the dew is falling  
I have heard a calling  
Of aerial sweet voices o'er the low green hill;  
And when the noon is dying  
I have heard a crying  
Where the brown burn slippeth through the hol-  
lows green and still.

And O the sorrow upon me,  
The grey grief upon me,  
For a voice that whispered once, and now for aye  
is still:  
O heart forsaken, calling  
When the dew is falling,  
For the one that comes not ever o'er the low  
green hill.

FIONA MACLEOD

# "When the dew is falling"

Fiona Macleod

Helen Hopekirk

Softly and rather slowly

Voice

Piano

When the

*ped. una corda*

dew is fall - ing I have heard a call - ing Of

*ped.* \* *ped.* \* *ped.* \*

aer - ial sweet voic - es o'er the low green hill; And

*ped.* \* *ped.* \* *ped.* \* *ped.* \* *ped.* \*

when the noon is dy - ing — I have heard a cry - ing Where the

*rit.* \* *rit.* \*

brown burn slip - peth thro' the hol - lows green and still.

*rit.* \* *rit.* \*

*a tempo*

And

*rit.* \* *rit.* \* *rit.* \* *rit.* \*

O, the sor - row up - on me, The grey grief up - on me, For a

*rit.* \* *rit.* \* *rit.* \* *rit.* \*

voice that whispered once, and now for aye is still:

*p* *rit.*

*p* *rit.*

*fa tempo*

O heart for - sak - en, O heart for - sak - en,

*fa tempo*

*p*

call - ing When the dew is fall - ing, To the one that comes not ev - er

*rit.*

o'er the low green hill.

*a tempo*

*p*

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