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Love's Benediction.

Words after HEINE.

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Moderato con sentimento.

1. Thou art a flow'r, a beautiful flow'r, So sum-mer winds ca-ress thee, And fond, so frail, so fair, so fair! I gaze on thee and strew thy way with flow'rs, with flow'rs! No winter wind dis-

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sadness steals o'er me, steals o'er me unaware.
tression thee, distress thee, and sunbeams gild thine hours.

Più largamente

Born but to drink the sunshine, Born for the realms below,
I fain would lay my fingers, Up on thy yellow yond,

How canst thou bear life's turmoil,
Praying that Heaven preserve thee.
So frail, so fair, so fond.
So frail, so fond, so fair.

Tempo I.

2. May

So frail, so fond, so fair.