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Voices in the Dark

for medium voice and lute, Op. 12

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I. I Have Loved

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7 = F

There's no
life fin sans a - mour I have loved.
sans a - mour En - fin no hay I have

To Coda

na - da__ no hay na - da when life says no.
loved. En -

To Coda

"No," says

18

life cuan-dohay mie - do Mie - do se ti -

18

a

22

- ra, se ti - ra_____ vers_____ la fin. En

D.S. al Coda

22

D.S. al Coda

26

fin I have loved. I have _____

26

D.S. al Coda

a

29

loved. _____

29

D.S. al Coda

II. Moments of Life

Frank A. Wallace

Musical score for section II, page 8, measures 1-4. The key signature is one flat (B-flat). The vocal line consists of sustained notes and short melodic fragments. The lyrics "Si - - - - - lence" are written below the staff. The vocal part is supported by a harmonic grid with four voices labeled 'a' through 'd'. The voices are assigned specific notes: 'a' (f1, f3), 'b' (h1, h3), 'c' (f1, f3), and 'd' (h1, h3). Measure 4 concludes with a melodic fragment starting with 'a'.

Musical score for section II, page 8, measures 5-8. The key signature changes to one flat (B-flat). The vocal line includes sustained notes and melodic fragments. The lyrics "howl - ing" and "Sac-red Si - - lence" are written below the staff. The vocal part is supported by a harmonic grid with four voices labeled 'a' through 'd'. The voices are assigned specific notes: 'a' (b1, a1, d1), 'b' (a1, b1, d1), 'c' (c1, a1, d1), and 'd' (d1, b1, g1). Measure 8 concludes with a melodic fragment starting with 'd'.

Musical score for section II, page 16, measures 1-4. The key signature changes to one flat (B-flat). The vocal line consists of sustained notes and short melodic fragments. The lyrics "shin-ing in be - tween" and "Mo - ments" are written below the staff. The vocal part is supported by a harmonic grid with four voices labeled 'a' through 'd'. The voices are assigned specific notes: 'a' (c1, d1, a1), 'b' (c1, a1), 'c' (a1, f1), and 'd' (f1, h1, l1, i1, h1, a1, g1). Measure 4 concludes with a melodic fragment starting with 'f'.

22

The musical score consists of two staves. The top staff is for voice and piano, starting with a treble clef, a key signature of one flat, and a common time signature. It includes lyrics: "join - ing Acts of Light" followed by a measure of rests, and "En - gen - der - ing Joy". The bottom staff is for piano, with a bass clef, a key signature of one flat, and a common time signature. It features a harmonic pattern with labels: f, d, b, a, b, d, c, d, a, c, d, c, a, c, a, c, f. Measure numbers 22 and 23 are indicated above the staff.

Musical score for page 28, measures 28-29. The vocal line continues with eighth-note patterns and rests. The piano accompaniment features a bass line with sustained notes and eighth-note chords. The vocal part includes lyrics: "joy - ous jump-ing, joy - ous, joy - ous," followed by a repeat sign and the continuation of the melody.

33

joy - ous jump - ing, in be - tween _____

33

d c c a c d c a d a c d d f g

III. Voices in the Dark

Christine van Dyke

The musical score consists of four staves of music, each with a treble clef and a key signature of one flat. The time signature is 3/4 throughout.

Staff 1 (Measures 1-4):

- Lyrics: "Voic - es Voic - es in the dark,"
- Notes: The first measure has a dotted half note followed by eighth notes. The second measure has eighth notes. The third measure has a sixteenth-note cluster (labeled '3') followed by eighth notes. The fourth measure has eighth notes.
- Labels: The first measure has labels 'c' and 'c' under the first two notes. The second measure has labels 'd' and 'a' under the first two notes. The third measure has labels 'a' and 'c' under the first two notes. The fourth measure has labels 'c' and 'a' under the first two notes.

Staff 2 (Measures 5-8):

- Lyrics: "Voic - es Voic - es in the dark,"
- Notes: The first measure has eighth notes. The second measure has a sixteenth-note cluster (labeled '3') followed by eighth notes. The third measure has eighth notes. The fourth measure has eighth notes.
- Labels: The first measure has labels 'c' and 'd' under the first two notes. The second measure has labels 'a' and 'c' under the first two notes. The third measure has labels 'd' and 'c' under the first two notes. The fourth measure has labels 'c' and 'a' under the first two notes.

Staff 3 (Measures 9-12):

- Lyrics: "Voic - es"
- Notes: The first measure has a dotted half note followed by a sixteenth-note cluster (labeled '3'). The second measure has eighth notes. The third measure has eighth notes. The fourth measure has a sixteenth-note cluster (labeled '3') followed by eighth notes.
- Labels: The first measure has labels 'b' and 'a' under the first two notes. The second measure has labels 'd' and 'b' under the first two notes. The third measure has labels 'a' and 'c' under the first two notes. The fourth measure has labels 'd' and 'c' under the first two notes.

Staff 4 (Measures 13-16):

- Lyrics: "in the dark, Voic - es seek - ing Free - dom"
- Notes: The first measure has eighth notes. The second measure has eighth notes. The third measure has eighth notes. The fourth measure has eighth notes.
- Labels: The first measure has labels 'c' and 'a' under the first two notes. The second measure has labels 'd' and 'c' under the first two notes. The third measure has labels 'a' and 'b' under the first two notes. The fourth measure has labels 'c' and 'a' under the first two notes.

18

seek - ing Free - dom

18

a c d f
a c d f
a c d f
a c d f

b a c a
b a c a
b a c a
b a c a

c d f d
c d f d
c d f d
c d f d

a

22

Free - dom Free - dom bring - ing Light Free - dom

22

h f a
h a
d a
c a
c a
d a
c a
a

26

Free - dom bring - ing Light bring - ing Light

26

a d d c a d c a d

a

30

be - ing Life

30

a f h
a f h
f a c
c c

* play as harmonic

IV. Marianne

William H. Hartner

The sheet music consists of four staves of musical notation for a six-string guitar. The top staff shows a melody with lyrics: "Mar-i - anne____ list - ened to my". The second staff continues the melody with lyrics: "snor - ing. Ob - served,____ not simp-ly an - noy - ing or e - ven bor - ing.". The third staff begins at measure 16 with lyrics: "Made a sound like hum - ming. En-ter - tain-ing in my sleep,____ en - ter - tained by my____". The bottom staff begins at measure 22 with lyrics: "sleep - ing: Saw some (lots of) tur-tles, (lots of) tur-tles, all had necks, nos-es and". Fingerings are indicated above the strings, such as "h fa" with a 3 overline, and "Rasgueado" markings.

Mar-i - anne____ list - ened to my

snor - ing. Ob - served,____ not simp-ly an - noy - ing or e - ven bor - ing.

Made a sound like hum - ming. En-ter - tain-ing in my sleep,____ en - ter - tained by my____

sleep - ing: Saw some (lots of) tur-tles, (lots of) tur-tles, all had necks, nos-es and

Rasgueado

Rasgueado on lower strings simultaneous to upper-note trill above

28

shells but might have been dif - fer - ent.

b *a* *a* *a*

a *a* *f* *h*

c *d* *b* *a* *d*

a *b* *a* *c* *a*

d *f* *h* *i*

32

A wom - an near - by said that she would

l *k* *n* *l* *l* *k* *h* *h* *f* *f* *d* *c* *c* *a* *c* *a* *a*

i *l* ¹₃ *l* *i* *h* *f* *f* *a* *c* *c* *a* *a* *d*

h *a* *l* *2* *k* *h* *f* *e* *a* *a* *d* *c*

37

show me the dif - fe - rence, — A wom - an near - by

d *c* *c* *b* *a* *d* *c* *d* *a* *a* *c* *a* *d* *a* *c* *d* *b* *a* *c*

b *c* *b* *a* *d* *c* *a* *d* *b* *c* *a* *d* *a* *c* *b* *a* *c*

a *c* *a* *d* *c* *a* *d* *c* *a*

41

said that she would show me the dif - fe - rence, show me the dif - fe - rence,

2c *2d* *f* *a* *1d* *1c* *4* *a* *c* *d* *a* *2c* *d* *b* *a* *d* *c* *f* *d* *c* *f*

a *d* *d* *2* *1c* *4* *a* *d* *3d* *c*

44

show me the, show me the dif - - - fe - - - rence.

2c *a* *4d* *b* *d* *c* *a* *d* *b* *a* *d* *b* *c* *a* *d* *c* *a*

a *a* *a* *c* *a* *c* *a* *a* *a* *c* *e*

3d *a* *d* *c* *a* *a* *d* *c* *a*

a

53

53

spot - ted. Leaned in close to me, and

b tr b b c a d b a c a d b a c d c b b d

a 4 e b d³ b b d² b e c a c d

58

so I no - ticed. Soft, vel - ve - ty, smooth neck,

58

	<i>d b d b</i>	<i>d b d e</i>	<i>b</i>	<i>d</i>
<i>a</i>	<i>d c a</i>	<i>a c d</i>		<i>e d g e d</i>
	<i>d</i>	<i>b</i>		<i>a</i>

62

Soft, vel - ve - ty, soft vel - vet neck and _____

62

<i>b</i>	<i>d</i>	<i>a</i>	<i>d</i>	<i>b</i>	<i>b</i>	<i>d</i>	<i>f</i>	<i>g</i>	<i>f</i>	<i>d</i>	<i>g</i>	<i>i</i>	<i>l</i>	<i>i</i>	<i>n</i>	<i>l</i>	<i>i</i>	<i>g</i>	<i>f</i>	<i>d</i>	<i>g</i>	<i>f</i>	<i>e</i>	
<i>e</i>		<i>c</i>	<i>d</i>	<i>b</i>	<i>d</i>	<i>e</i>	<i>g</i>	<i>b</i>	<i>a</i>		<i>i</i>		<i>m</i>			<i>a</i>		<i>a</i>	<i>a</i>		<i>a</i>			
<i>a</i>		<i>d</i>			<i>b</i>											<i>a</i>			<i>a</i>			<i>a</i>		
<i>d</i>					<i>a</i>											<i>g</i>								

66

breasts... how dif - fe - rent. I said... I said oh! _____

66

g e d b c d c

a a f c

e

d

b a b c d b

a c e

a a c

f d

c c

V. Tired She Dreams

Nancy Knowles

8

Tired

a d bdb da

d

7

she dreams

a d bdb da

a

a

d

a

a

13

white but-ter - flies ris - ing

a d bdb da

a

d

a

a b d d

c d b c

a d a d b d b b

19

white but - ter - flies

b b b bbbb

d d d dddd

c c c cccc

a a a a

d

a a

a a

a a

c c

a a a a a a a a

d d d dddd

c c c cccc

a a a a a a a a

d d d dddd

c c c cccc

a a a a a a a a

d

25

ris - - - ing

25

b b	b b b b b	a a	a a a a a	b b	b b b b b	b b	b b b b b	b b	b b b b b	a a	a a a a a
d d	d d d d d	d c	c c c c c	d d	d d d d d	d d	d d d d d	d d	d d d d d	d c	c c c c c
c c	c c c c c	c c	c c c c c	c c	c c c c c	c c	c c c c c	c c	c c c c c	c c	c c c c c
a a		c c		a a a		a a		a a		c c	

d

d

31

ris - - - ing like bub - bles

31

a b a	a b a	a b d	a b a	d b	e d b	a a	a a a a a	a	d b d b	a	d b d b
d d	d d	d c	d	c	b	d c	c c c c c	c	c	c	c

a

37

glist - en - - - ing sing - - - ing soft - - - ly

37

a	d b d b	a	d c d c	a	d b d b	a	d b d b	a	d b d b	a	d c d c
c	c	c	c	a	c	c	c	c	c	c	c

d

d

43

sing - - - - -

43

a h i	a h f	d b a									
g g	a	b	d b a	d b	d c a	d ba	db	dc	b b	b b b b b	b b
2				a	d	d	c	a	d d	d d d d d	d d
h				b					c c	c c c c c	c c
2				d					a a a	a a a	a a

49

ing soft - - -

49

b b	b b b b b b	a a	a a a a a a	b b	b b b b b b	b b	b b b b b b	b b	b b b b b b	a a	a a a a a a
d d	d d d d d d	d c	c c c c c c	d d	d d d d d d	d d	d d d d d d	d d	d d d d d d	d c	c c c c c c
c c	c c c c c c	c c	c c c c c c	c c	c c c c c c	c c	c c c c c c	c c	c c c c c c	c c	c c c c c c
a a	a a	c c	a a a	a a	a a a	a a	a a a	a a	a a a	c c	a

d a d a

55

ly so eve - ry - one eve - ry - one

55

b b	b b b b b b	b b	b b b b b b	b b	b b b b b b	a a	a a a a a a	b b	b b b b b b	b b	b b b b b b
d d	d d d d d d	d d	d d d d d d	d d	d d d d d d	d c	c c c c c c	d d	d d d d d d	d d	d d d d d d
c c	c c c c c c	c c	c c c c c c	c c	c c c c c c	c c	c c c c c c	c c	c c c c c c	c c	c c c c c c
a a a	a a a	a a	a a a	a a	a a a	c c	c c c c c c	a a a	a a a	a a	d

d a a a a a d

61

sing - - - ing soft - - -

61

b b	b b b b b b	a a	a a a a a a	b b	b b b b b b	b b	b b b b b b	b b	b b b b b b	b b	b b b b b b
d d	d d d d d d	d c	c c c c c c	d d	d d d d d d	d d	d d d d d d	d d	d d d d d d	d d	d d d d d d
c c	c c c c c c	c c	c c c c c c	c c	c c c c c c	a a a	a a a	c c	c c c c c c	c c	c c c c c c
a a	a a	c c	a a a	a a a	a a a	d	a a	a a a	a a a	a a	d

66

ly so

66

a a	a a a a a a	d c	c c c c c c	d	a b a d	d	a b d	d	b a	d	a c
c c	c c c c c c	c c	c c c c c c	d	a	d	a b	a	b a	d	a
c c	c c	a	a	a	b	a	a b	a	a	a	a

72

eve - ry - one can hear.

72

a	a	a	a
a	d b d b	a	d b d b
c	c	c	c
c	a	d	a
a	a	d	a

VI. What Still Stands

Christine van Dyke

Gnarled,
knot-ted
Twists and turns trac-ing the pas-sage of

time
Gnarled,
knot-ted
trac-ing the pas-sage of time

The pas-sage of time
Gnarled,
trac-ing the pas-sage of

time
The in-jur-ies of liv-ing
have wrought

18

18

23

23

Slower

29

29

36

36

VII. Fantasy #1

(optional performance before the first song)

1

<i>f f f d c a c</i>	<i>d c a d b</i>	<i>d d d b a a</i>	<i>b a d b a b</i>	<i>d a d b a</i>	<i>h h h f d h</i>
<i>c c c a</i>	<i>a d c a</i>	<i>d</i>	<i>a a a</i>	<i>a c d</i>	<i>a h d</i>
<i>d c d</i>	<i>d c a</i>	<i>d</i>	<i>d c a c</i>	<i>d</i>	

7

<i>f f f d c a c</i>	<i>d a f</i>	<i>d d a b d a</i>	<i>a b d a b d f h i i</i>	<i>h f i g f h f a</i>
<i>a</i>	<i>a b d</i>	<i>b d f h i</i>	<i>i g f h f a</i>	
<i>a c a</i>	<i>c a d c a c d a</i>	<i>c</i>	<i>c</i>	
<i>d c</i>	<i>f d c</i>	<i>a</i>		

13

<i>c a</i>	<i>d b d b a</i>	<i>d d c a</i>	<i>d d b a</i>	<i>d d b a</i>	<i>h h f d</i>
<i>f d b b</i>	<i>a a</i>	<i>a a d b</i>	<i>a a c a</i>	<i>e e c a</i>	<i>d d f d</i>
<i>c c</i>	<i>a c a</i>	<i>d c a</i>	<i>d d</i>	<i>f</i>	<i>g f</i>
<i>a</i>	<i>d c a</i>	<i>d c</i>	<i>c d</i>	<i>d d c d</i>	<i>d a h</i>

20

<i>c a a</i>	<i>b a a d b a</i>	<i>b a a a b</i>	<i>d b b a a d d b</i>	<i>b d a d</i>	<i>a d d b b a a d</i>	<i>a</i>
<i>d b a d</i>	<i>b a</i>	<i>d b</i>	<i>a a d d b</i>	<i>b a a</i>	<i>b a a</i>	<i>b a a</i>
<i>d c a</i>	<i>d c a</i>	<i>d</i>	<i>c a d</i>	<i>c c c a a</i>	<i>c a a c c c a a</i>	<i>d d c c d</i>
				<i>c</i>		<i>f</i>

26

<i>a d d b b a a</i>	<i>d b b a a</i>	<i>a d d b b a a</i>	<i>a d d b b a a</i>	<i>f d d c a</i>	<i>a</i>
<i>a c</i>	<i>a e e c</i>	<i>a e e c c a a c</i>	<i>c a a</i>	<i>f f d b</i>	<i>b d d b b a a</i>
<i>d a</i>	<i>c d</i>	<i>d c c d c a a</i>	<i>d c c d c a a</i>	<i>b a a</i>	<i>f f d d b b d</i>
		<i>f d c c d</i>	<i>c</i>	<i>c a a c</i>	<i>a a e</i>
			<i>c a</i>	<i>d</i>	<i>c c</i>

32

<i>c a a</i>	<i>d b d d</i>	<i>a</i>	<i>a</i>	<i>d b b b a a</i>	<i>a a a</i>	<i>a b d d</i>	<i>d b a a b d a b d</i>
<i>d b b</i>	<i>f f g</i>	<i>a</i>	<i>a</i>	<i>d b b a a</i>	<i>a a a</i>	<i>a b d</i>	<i>d b a a b d a b d</i>
<i>e e c c a</i>	<i>g f f d d b b d</i>	<i>a a c c e</i>	<i>e c c a f e a</i>	<i>d b b a a</i>	<i>a h f</i>	<i>b a a</i>	<i>c c</i>
<i>f f d d c</i>	<i>d c c d d f</i>	<i>f f h k h</i>	<i>f e a</i>	<i>d b b a a</i>	<i>h a a</i>	<i>d d c</i>	<i>c a</i>
	<i>f</i>			<i>d b a b d</i>	<i>i h h</i>	<i>d d c</i>	<i>c a</i>

37

<i>a c d</i>	<i>a c a c d</i>	<i>c</i>	<i>d a c d</i>	<i>c a c d f d c a</i>	<i>d c a</i>	<i>d b a b d</i>	<i>a b d b a b d b</i>	<i>a d b a b d</i>
<i>a</i>	<i>a a</i>	<i>a</i>	<i>e c a c</i>	<i>d</i>	<i>d</i>	<i>d b a b d</i>	<i>b d b a b d b</i>	<i>a b d b a b d</i>
<i>e</i>			<i>c</i>	<i>d</i>	<i>d</i>	<i>d c a d a</i>	<i>d c a d a</i>	<i>d c a d a</i>
						<i>d</i>	<i>d</i>	<i>d</i>

c a c d f d c a	d b a b a b	a d b a b d a	b d a c d a c d	f h i h h f f a	f d d c d c d f											
b a	d d	d c d c	f d c	c	a	i g	f d									
c a c																

a d f h f i h	f d d b a	d b a b d	b a b d a	a b a	a b d f d	a b a d											
f 3i		d b a b d	c	a b a	b d a b d f d	b a d											

d d b a	a b d b a b d	a c d	c d f f	d c a d a c a	d b a d b a	a	a c	d c a	d b a								
a	d a b d	d															
c a	d c a a	d	a	c c a	d c a c	d	d	d c	a b b d	c a a c	d c						

a c a d b a	f d c a d b a	d c a	c a	d b a d b a b a b d	a b d a	b a	a b b d	d									
b d	d b a	d b	a	d b a	d b a	d b a	d b a b a b d	a b d a	b a	a b b d	d						
b a a	a		c		d	c	a	d c	a	d c	a						

f d c f d b a	a b d a	b	a b d a	a	d b a b b a a	d	d b b a	d d b									

b a a b a d b a	d b a	b a	d b a	d b a	d b a	d b a	d b a	d b a	a	d b a d b a	b a	b a					
d																	
a	d c a	a		d c		d	a	d c	a	d c	a	d c	a				

a

h f i h a d c	a	d b d b b	b a d a b a	a d b a b a a	c	d b a d b a	b a										
d b a g	a	c	c	a	d	c	c	d	f	d	c	c	a	c	c	a	
a	h	d															

a

The Lyrics *

There's no life sans l'amour
sans l'amour no hay nada
no hay nada
when life says no.
"No," says life cuando hay miedo
Miedo se tira, se tira
vers la fin.
Enfin I have loved.

—Frank Wallace

Silence

howling
Sacred Silence
shining in between

Moments

joining Acts of Light

Engendering Joy
joyous jumping
in between

Dangerous
the Moments of Life.

—Frank Wallace

Voices in the dark
seeking Freedom
bringing Light
being Life

—Christine Van Dyke

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Marianne listened to my snoring.
Observed, not simply annoying
or even boring.
Made a sound like humming.

Entertaining in my sleep,
entertained by my sleeping:
Saw some (lots of) turtles,
all had necks, noses and shells
but might have been different.

A woman nearby
said that she would show me the difference,
Picked one up to show me the neck,
how spotted.
Leaned in close to me, and so I noticed.
Soft, velvety, smooth neck,
and breasts...
how different.
I said... oh!

—William Hartner

Tired she dreams
white butterflies rising
like bubbles glistening
singing softly
so everyone
can hear.

—Nancy Knowles

Gnarled, knotted

Twists and turns
tracing the passage of time

The injuries of living
have wrought their influence
and fallen away

What still stands is grace.

—Christine Van Dyke

