

Alice, Where Art Thou?

W. Guernsey

Voice and Piano

Joseph Ascher (1829-1869)

Moderato

p

cresc.

1. The birds sleep - ing gent - ly, Sweet Lu-na gleameth bright, Her rays tinge the
2. The sil - ver rain fall - ing, Just as it fall - eth now, And all things slept

a tempo

cresc.

dim. **mf**

for-est, And all seems glad to-night. The wind sigh - ing by me, Cool - ing my fevered
gent-ly, Oh! Al - ice, where art thou? I've sought thee by lake-let, I've sought thee on the

dim. **mf**

cresc.

brow; The stream flows as ev - er, Yet Al - ice, Where art thou? One year back this
hill; And in the pleasant wildwood, When winds blow cold and chill. I've sought thee in

cresc.

dim. **Animato f**

Animato f

The musical score consists of two staves. The top staff is for the piano, featuring a treble clef, a key signature of one flat, and a 3/4 time signature. It includes dynamic markings like 'p' (piano), 'cresc.' (crescendo), 'dim.' (diminuendo), and 'rit.' (ritardando). The bottom staff is for the voice, also with a treble clef and a key signature of one flat. It features lyrics in a mix of British and American English. The vocal part includes dynamics such as 'a tempo' and 'mf' (mezzo-forte). The score is divided into sections by measure numbers (8, 14, 20) and includes various performance instructions like 'cresc.', 'dim.', and 'rit.'

Voice and Piano

2

26

e - ven, And thou wert by my side, — One year back this e - ven, And thou wert by my
for-est, I'm look - ing heav'nward, now, I've sought thee in for-est, I'm look-ing heav'nward

32

side. (hum) Vow - ing to love me; One year past this e - ven And
now. (hum) Oh! there 'mid the starshine; I've sought thee in forest I'm

39

thou wert by my side,
look - ing heav'nward now,
Vow - ing to love me, Al - ice, What e'er might be-tide!
Oh! there a-mid the starshine Alice I know, art thou!