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Song.
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MIRAGE.**"The hope I dreamed of was a dream!"***Words by CHRISTINA ROSSETTI.**Music by EARL REDEN.***Moderato:****Moderato.**

mf

1. The hope I dream'd of was a dream, Was but a
2. I hang my harp up-on a tree, A weep - - ing wil-low, in a
3. Lie still, lie still my breaking heart, My si - lent heart, lie still and

mf

Vocal melody in the right hand and piano accompaniment in the left hand. The piano part features a steady eighth-note accompaniment. Dynamics include *mf*.

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dream, And now I wake, ex-ceeding com - fort - less and
lake, I hang my si - lenced harp there, wrung and snapt. on
break, Life and the world and mine own self are changed, my

pp

worn and old, For a dream's sake The hope I dream'd of, was a
weep - - ing wil-low, For a dream's sake The hope &c
break - - ing heart, For a dream's sake The hope &c

cresc. *dim. piu lento.*

cresc. *dim.*

dream, Was but a dream, was but a dream!

rit. e dim. *molto rit.*

p *mf*

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And

now I wake ex-ceed-ing com-fort-less, and

Piu moto. worn and old, For a dream's sake, a

dim. e rit.

cres. dream's sake! The

p *cres.*

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mf a tempo. *Agitato.* 5

hope I dream'd of was a dream, Was but a

f *6* *6* *6*

mf sostenuto e cres.

dream, was but a dream, The hope I dream'd of was a

mf marcato e cres.

f *6* *6* *6*

Cadenza ad lib. dim. p *D.C.*

dream Was but a dream, a dream!

f *D.C.*

POSTLUDE.
Sostenuto.

mf *p* *pp* *dim.*

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