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EIGHT
CHRISTINA ROSSETTI
Poems

Set to Music

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TO
Christabel and Faith.

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TRUST.



THE flowers that bloom in sun and shade
And glitter in the dew,
The flowers must fade.
The birds that build their nest and sing
When lovely Spring is new,
Must soon take wing.

The sun that rises in his strength
To wake and warm the world,
Must set at length.
The sea that overflows the shore
With billows frothed and curled,
Must ebb once more.

All come and go, all wax and wane,
O Lord, save only Thou
Who dost remain
The Same to all eternity.
All things which fail us now
We trust to Thee.

CHRISTINA ROSSETTI.

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Trust.

Molto moderato.

Voice.

Piano.

espressivo.

p

p

The

flow'rs that bloom in sun and shade And glit - ter in the dew, The

flow'rs..... must fade.

The birds that build their nest and sing When

cresc.

love - ly Spring is... new,

dim.

Must soon..... take wing.....

cresc.

f

dim.

col voce.

a tempo.

cresc.

The sun that ri-ses in his strength To

p

cresc.

f allarg. dim. poco rit. p

wake and warm the world, Must set..... at..... length. The

f allarg. dim. col voce. p

a tempo. cresc. f dim.

sea that o-ver-flows the shore With bil-lows froth'd and curled, Must

a tempo. cresc. f dim.

rit. p

ebb..... once more..... All

rit. p espressivo.

come and go, all wax..... and wane, O

p poco allargando

p poco allargando

Lord,..... save on - ly Thou Who

cresc molto. *rit molto.* *f* *poco accel.*

cresc molto. *rit molto.* *sf* *poco accel.*

dost re - main The Same to all e -

rit.

rit.

ter - - - ni - ty.

sf

dim.

sf

rit.

*

Tempo Imo

p

All things which fail us now.....

pp

rit.

Grave.

sf

We trust..... to Thee.....

ppp

sf

p