

Andante tranquillo.

Mesperus

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Up on the so-ber sky thy robes are  
MP Quasi recitative.

P Cresc. molto F Dim. MP Sempre colla voce.

Ped

spread. They drape the twilight, veil on quiet veil, Until the lingering day-light

all has fled Be-fore thee, mod-est god-dess shadow pale: The hushed and reverent sky Her

pp

Ped.

di-a-dem of stars has lif-ted high. The tender lamb, the bleating kid, the

LH gl

glisso Ped.

fawn, All that the sun-burnt day has scat-tered wide, Thou dost re-gather

*Cresc.* *P.*

hold-ing till the dawn Each flower and tree and beast un-to thy side: The

*Poco rit.* *A Tempo*

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sheep come to the pen, The dreams come to the men, And to the mother's breast the tired child doth

*Cresc.* *Dim.*

*Cresc.*

Come and take his rest. Evening gathas Sonore

*Dim.* *Sonore*