

LAUGHING SONG

To "QUEEN MARY"
because
she likes
cherries and nuts

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Op.17, No.3

ALLEGRO GIOCOSO

Soprano When the green woods laugh with the voice of || 2 | 3 |
Alto When the green woods laugh with the || 2 | 3 |
Tenor When the green wood laughs with the || 2 | 3 |
Bass When the green wood laughs with the voice of || 2 | 3 |

joy....., and the dimpling stream runs laughing, laughing,
voice of joy, and the dimpling stream runs laughing, laughing,
voice... of joy, and the dimpling stream runs laughing,
joy....., and the dimpling stream runs laughing,

Laugh - ing... Laugh-ing by;.....When the air does laugh with our
 laugh - ing... Laugh-ing by;.....When the air does laugh with
 laugh - ing, laugh- ing... by;.....When the air does laugh with
 laugh - ing, laugh- ing by;.....When the air does laugh with
 mer - ry wit, and the green hills *sf* *ff*
 mer - ry wit, and green hills..... laugh with the noise of it;
 mer - ry wit, and green.....hills *sf* *ff*
 mer - ry wit, and green.....hills *sf* *ff*
 mer - ry wit, and green hills *sf* *ff*

When the meadows laugh with live - ly green, and the
 When the mea - dows laugh....with live-ly...green, and the

smoothly

When

grasshopper laughs in the mer - ry, mer - ry, mer - ry, mer-ry scene.

grasshopper laughs in the mer - ry, mer - ry, mer-ry scene.

Ma - ry

with their sweet round mouths sing

and Em - i - ly with their sweet round mouths sing
(lightly)

smoothly

and Su-san

with their sweet round mouths sing

"Ha, ha, he, ha, ha, he, ha, ha, ha, ha, ha, ha, he!"

"Ha, ha, he!"

"Ha, ha, he, ha, ha, he, ha, ha, ha, ha, ha, ha, he!"

mp

When the painted birds laugh in the shade.....where our

mp

When painted birds... laugh in the shade.....where our

mp

When painted birds laugh in the shade, in the shade/ where our

mp

When painted birds laugh... in the shade.....where our

MENO MOSSO

ta - - ble with cher-ries & nuts, cher-ries and nuts is spread,

MENO MOSSO

ta - - ble with cher-ries & nuts cher-ries and nuts is spread,

MENO MOSSO

ta - - ble with cher - ries and nuts, and nuts...is spread,

MENO MOSSO

ta - - ble with cher - ries and nuts..... is spread,

f (smoothly) cresc..... poco rit..... TEMPO I

Come live, and be mer- ry, and join with me To...

f (smoothly) cresc..... poco rit..... TEMPO I

Come live, and be mer- ry, and join... with..... me To

f (smoothly) cresc..... poco rit..... TEMPO I

Come live, and be mer- ry, and join with me To

f (smoothly) cresc..... poco rit..... TEMPO I

Come.....live, and be mer- ry, and join with me To