

Remember

for unaccompanied voices (SSSTBarB)

music by Brian T Field
verse by Christina Rossetti

[duration: ca. 3:15]

Remember

Remember me when I am gone away,
 Gone far away into the silent land;
 When you can no more hold me by the hand,
 Nor I half turn to go yet turning stay.
Remember me when no more day by day
 You tell me of our future that you plann'd:
 Only remember me; you understand
It will be late to counsel then or pray.
Yet if you should forget me for a while
 And afterwards remember, do not grieve:
 For if the darkness and corruption leave
 A vestige of the thoughts that once I had,
Better by far you should forget and smile
 Than that you should remember and be sad.

– *Christina Rossetti [1862]*

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(♩=65)

p *mp* *mf*

Alto Alto Alto

Re - mem - ber me when I am gone a - way. Gone far a - way in - to the

Re - mem - ber me, gone a - way. Gone far a - way in - to the

Tenor Tenor

Re - mem - ber me Re - mem - ber me gone far a - way in - to the

when I am gone a - way, gone far a - way in - to the

Baritone Bass

gone far a - way in - to the

Re - mem - ber me.

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p *mp* *p, mp*

A A

si - lent land when you hold me by the hand, nor I half turn to go

mp *p* *mp* *p, mp*

A A

si - silent land can no more hold me by the hand, nor I half turn to go

T T

si - silent land when you hold me by the hand, nor I half

T

si - silent land when you hold me by the hand, nor I half

Ba.

si - silent land when you hold me by the hand,

B

nor I half turn to go

poco meno mosso

13 *a tempo primo*

A to go, yet turn - ing stay. Re - mem - ber me when no more ,
 A to go, yet turn - ing stay. Re - mem - ber me when no more ,
 T turn to go, yet turn - ing stay, yet turn - ing stay. Re - mem - ber me when no more ,
 T turn to go, yet turn - ing stay, yet turn - ing stay. Re - mem - ber me when no more ,
 Ba. to go, yet turn - ing stay. Re - mem - ber me when no more
 Ba. - - - - - Re - mem - ber me when no more

f

19 *p*

(p)

A day by day you tell me of our fu - ture that you planned. Re-mem - ber
 A day by day you tell me of our fu - ture that you planned. Re-mem - ber
 T day by day you tell me of our fu - ture that you planned. On - ly re - mem - ber Re - mem - ber
 T day by day you tell me of our fu - ture that you planned. On - ly re - mem - ber me. Re - mem - ber
 Ba. day by day you tell me of our fu - ture that you planned. On - ly re - mem - ber me.
 Ba. day by day you tell me of our fu - ture that you planned. On - ly re - mem - ber me.

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A me. You un-der-stand it will be late to coun-sel then or pray. Yet if
A me. You un-der-stand it will be late to coun-sel then or pray.
T me. You un-der-stand it will be late to coun-sel then or pray. Yet if you
T me. You un-der-stand it will be late to coun-sel then or pray.
Ba. you un-der-stand it will be late to coun-sel then or pray. Yet if you
B >p
B me. you un-der-stand it will be late to coun-sel then or pray.

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A you for - get me, yet if you should for - get me for a - while and af - ter-wards re - mem - ber, do
A for - get me, yet if you should for - get me for a - while and af - ter-wards re - mem - ber, do
T for - get me, yet if you should for - get me for a - while and af - ter-wards re - mem - ber, do
T for - get - me, - yet if you should for - get me for a - while and af - ter-wards re - mem - ber, do
Ba. Yet if you should for - get me, yet if you should for - get me for a - while and af - ter-wards re - mem - ber, do
B Yet if you should for - get me, yet if you should for - get me for a - while and af - ter-wards re - mem - ber, do

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A not grieve, for if the dark - ness, for if the dark - ness and cor -rup - tion leave a ves - tige of the thoughts that

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T not grieve, for if the dark - ness, for if the dark - ness, dark - ness and cor -rup - tion leave a ves - tige of the thoughts that

T not grieve, for if the dark - ness, dark - ness and cor -rup - tion leave a ves - tige of the thoughts that

Ba. not grieve, for if the dark - ness, for if the dark - ness and cor -rup - tion leave a ves - tige of the thoughts that

B not grieve, for if the dark - ness, dark - ness and cor -rup - tion leave a ves - tige of the thoughts that

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rit. poco a poco al fin

A once I had, bet - ter by far you should for - get and smile than that you should re - mem - ber and be sad.

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