

May Night on the Mountains

Words: Henry Lawson

Music: Ian Hamilton

J=80

Ian

Rec.

Fl.

'Tis won-der-ful time when these hours be- gin, these long'small hours' of night.

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Ian

Rec.

Fl.

When the grass is crisp and the air is thin _____ and the stars come close and bright. And the

15 **A** faster *J=95*

Ian

Rec.

Fl.

moon hangs caught in a sil-ver-y veil, from clouds of a steel - y grey; and the hard cold blue of the sky grows pale in the

21 a tempo

Ian

Rec.

Fl.

won-der - ful Mil - ky Way. There is

26 **B** faster

Ian some-thing wrong with this star of ours, a mor-tal plank un sound, That can-not be charged to the migh-ty powers who

Rec.

Fl. *arco*

32 a tempo **C**

Ian guide the high stars round. Though man is grea-ter than bird or beast, though wis-dom is still his boast. He

Rec.

Fl.

39

Ian sure-ly re-sem-bles Na-ture least and the things that vex her most. He sure-ly re sem-bles Na-ture least. And the things that vex her most.

48 **D** **E**

Ian Oh say some muse of a larg-er star_ Some muse of the u - ni-verse. If

Rec.

Fl.

55

Ian they who peo-ple those plan - ets far_____ Are bet-ter than we or worse._____

Rec.

Fl.