

There is beauty in the bellow of the blast

(from 'The Mikado')

W. S. Gilbert & Arthur Sullivan

Katisha
There is

Fl. 1
ff

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beau - ty in the bel - low of the blast, There is gran - deur in the prowling of the gale, There is

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Ko Ko
e - lo - quent out - pour - ing when the li - on is a - roar - ing, and the ti - ger is a - lash - ing of his tail! Yes, I

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like to see a ti - ger from the Con - go or the Ni - ger, and es - pe - cial - ly when lash - ing of his

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Katisha
tail! Vol - ca - noes have a splen - dour that is grim, and earth - quakes on - ly ter - ri - fy the dolts, But to

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Ko Ko
him who's sci - en - ti - fic there is no - thing that's ter - ri - fic in the fall - ing of a flight of thun - der bolts! Yes, in

rall. **a tempo**

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Both
spite of all my meek - ness, if I have a lit - tle weak - ness, it's a pas - sion for a flight of thun - der bolts! - If

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that is so, Sing der - ry down der - ry! It's e - vi - dent, ve - ry Our tastes are one. A -

Tpt.
p

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way we'll go, And mer - ri - ly, mar - ry, Nor tar - di - ly tar - ry Till day is done!

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There is

beau - ty in ex - treme_ old_ age. Do you fan - cy you are el - der - ly e - nough? In - for -

ma - tion I'm re - quest ing on a sub - ject in - ter - est - ing: Is a mai - den all the bet - ter when she's tough? Through -

out this wide do - min - ion it's the gen - er - al o - pin - ion that she'll last a good deal long - er when she's tough. Are you

old e - nough to mar - ry, do you think? Won't you wait un - til you're eigh - ty in the shade? There's a

fas - ci - na - tion fran - tic in a ru - in that's ro - man - tic, Do you think you are suf - fi - cinct - ly de - cayed? To the

rall.

a tempo

mat - ter that you men - tion, I have gi - ven some at - ten - tion, and I think I am suf - fi - cient - ly de - cayed. If

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that is so, Sing der-ry down der-ry! It's e - vi - dent, ve - ry Our tastes are one. A -

Tpt. *p*

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way we'll go, And mer - ri - ly, mar - ry, Nor tar - di - ly tar - ry Till day is done! If

Tpt.

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that is so, Sing der-ry down der-ry! It's e - vi - dent, ve - ry Our tastes are one. A -

Tpt. *mf*

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way we'll go, And mer - ri - ly, mar - ry, Nor tar - di - ly tar - ry Till day is done! Sing

Tpt.

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der-ry down der-ry! We'll mer-ri - ly mar-ry, Nor tar - di - ly tar - ry Till day is done.

Tpt.

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Fl.1

Tpt.

f

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Fl.1

Tpt.

100

Fl.1

Tpt.