

Softly as I leave you

Lyrics: Harold David Shaper Music: Antonia DeVita
(Arr. Wayne Richmond - 2012)

=80

B_b B_b/A Cm⁷ F⁷ B_b G_b F

Marj

F1.

VI.

Vla.

B. Cl.

A

6 B_b B_b/A Cm⁷/G F⁷ B_b B_b/A Cm⁷/G F⁷

Marj Soft - ly I will leave you soft - ly for my heart would

VI.

Vla.

10 B_b B_b/D E_b B_b/D Cm⁷ F⁷

Marj break if you should wake and see me go. So I leave you

VI.

Vla.

B

14 D_b D_b/C E_bm⁷/B_b A_b⁷ D_b D_b/C E_bm⁷/B_b A_b⁷

Marj soft - ly long be - fore you miss me. long be - fore your

F1.

VI.

Vla. *pizz*

B. Cl. *p*

Glk.

18 D_b G_b Fm⁷ D_b/F E_bm⁷ A_b⁷

Marj arms can beg me stay for one more hour or one more

VI.

Vla. *arco*

B. Cl.

Glk.

C

22 B_b B_b/A Cm⁷/G F⁷ B_b B_b/A Cm F⁷ Gm Gm⁷/F E_b G_b E_bm⁷

Marj day. Af-ter all the years I can't bear the tears to fall so soft - ly, as I leave you

VI.

Vla. *pizz* *arco*

B. Cl.

Glk.

D

30

B_b B_b/A Cm⁷/G F⁷ B_b B_b/A Cm⁷/G F⁷ B_b B_b/D E_b F⁷ B_b/D Cm⁷ F⁷

Mari. there.

S. Ooh Ooh Ooh Ooh

A. Ooh Ooh Ooh Ooh

T. 8 Ooh Ooh Ooh Ooh

B. Ooh Ooh Ooh Ooh

F1. f (Both flutes)

VI.

Vla.

B. Cl.

Glk. f

E

38

D_b D_b/C E_bm⁷/B_b A_b⁷ D_b D_b/C E_bm⁷/B_b A_b⁷

Mari. soft - ly long be - fore you miss me. long be - fore your

F1. p (One flute)

VI.

Vla. pizz

B. Cl. p

Glk. p

42

Majj D_b G_b Fm⁷ D_b/F E_bm⁷ A_b⁷

arms can beg me stay for one more hour or one more

vi.

Vla. arco

B. Cl.

Glk

F 46

B_b B_b/A Cm⁷/G F⁷ B_b B_b/A Cm F⁷ Gm Gm⁷/F E_b G_b

day. Af-ter all the years I can't bear the tears to fall so soft - ly,

Majj

vi.

Vla. pizz arco

B. Cl.

Glk

53 E_bm⁷ B_b/D Cm⁷ F⁷ B_b/D Cm⁷ F⁷ B_b B_b/D F⁷ B_b

as I leave you there, as I leave you there, as I leave you, there.

F1.

vi.

Vla. pizz arco f

B. Cl.

Glk