

Song of Ruth

Ruth I: 16-17

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Very slowly and deliberately

Piano *p*

6

10 *Moderato*

mf

soprano *unis. mf*

alto *unis. mf*

En -

En -

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treat me not to leave you, or to re - turn from fol - low - ing

treat me not to leave you, or to re - turn from fol - low - ing

18

you; en - treat me not to leave you,

you; en - treat me not to leave you,

21

mp or to re - turn from fol - low - ing you.

mp or to re - turn from fol - low - ing you.

mp

mf 24

En - treat me not to leave you, or to re -

mf

En - treat me not to leave you, or to re -

mf

28

turn from fol - low - ing fol - en - treat me not to

turn from fol - low - ing you; en - treat me not to

mp 31

leave you, or to re - turn from fol - low - ing

mp

leave you, or to re - turn from fol - low - ing

mp

34

Where you go — I will

mf

you. — Where you go I will

mf

you. — Where you go I will

mf

go, and where you lodge — I will lodge; Your

div.

go, and where you lodge I will lodge; Your

38

peo - ple shall be my peo - ple, and your God shall be my

f

peo - ple shall be my peo - ple, and your God shall be my

f

42 *unis. mf* *dim.*

God; your God shall be my God. *dim.*

God; your God shall be my God. *dim.*

mf *dim.*

3/4 *mf* 45

En - treat me not to leave you, or to re -

mf

En - treat me not to leave you, or to re -

mf

49

turn from fol - low - ing you; en - treat me not to

div.

turn from fol - low - ing you; en - treat me not to

52

mp 3 3

leave you, or to re - turn from fol - low - ing

leave you, or to re - turn from fol - low - ing

mp

4/

you.

you.

p

57 Slower

p *rit.* *unis. p* *dah*

Where you die I will die, and there will I be

Where you die I will die, and there will I be

rit. *8va* *Slower* *p*

61 **Tempo II (Moderato)**

accel. *f* *mf*

bur-ied, Where you lie; where you

accel. *f* *mf*

bur-ied, Where you lie; where you

Tempo II (Moderato)

accel. *f* *mf*

p rit. *mp*

lie; where you lie. May the

div. *p rit.* *mp*

lie; where you lie. May the

Tempo II

p rit. *mp*

66

Lord do so to me, and more al-

Lord do so to me, and more al-

mp

riten. *mp* **Slower** **70** *p* **Very slow**

so, if an - y - thing but death parts me from

riten. *mp* *p* **Very slow**

so, if an - y - thing but death parts me from

riten. **Slower** **Very slow**

72 *a tempo*

you.

a tempo

you.

p a tempo

rit. *p* **76** *rit.* **79**

rit. *p* **Tempo I**

83 *rit.* *ppp*