

The Cuckoo

Traditional English Folksong

Arranged by Amy Bebbington ©

Dolente (lilting and legato) ♩ = approx. 152

Soprano

Alto

Tenor

Baritone

Bass

tenor & bass cue notes are to be sung on the repeat only

p

mp

p

oo oo oo

Oh the Cuc - koo she's a pret - ty bird, she sing - eth as she flies, she

oo

6

T.

Bar.

B.

oo oo oo

bring - eth good tid - ings, she tel - leth no lies, she

oo

10

T.

Bar.

B.

suck - eth white flow - ers to make her voice clear oo

suck - eth white flow - ers for to make her voice clear, and the more she sing - eth

ah and the more she sing - eth

15

S. *mp*

A. *mf*

T. *mp*

Bar. *mp*

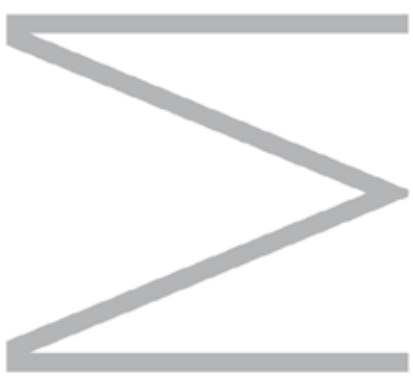
B. *mp*

As I was a - walk - ing and a -
I wish I were a scho - lar and could

cuc - koo cuc - koo cuc koo oo

cuc - koo the sum - mer draw - eth near oo

cuc - koo cuc - koo oo



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S. *mp*

A. *mf*

T. *mp*

B. *mp*

cuc - koo, cuc - koo cuc - koo oo cuc - koo, cuc koo,

talk - ing one day, I met mine own true love as he came that
han - dle the pen, I would write to my lo - ver and to all ro - ving

cuc koo