

Chapter 5: The Moon-Welcome

for Ancora and Voci

Accidentals apply only to immediate pitches, excepting tied or repeated notes.

All notes without noteheads are unvoiced.

Normal (English) words are notated in the **Helvetica font**. Purely vocal sounds are notated in a phonetic font using the following symbols. Below is a pronunciation guide for the symbols used in the piece:

Phonetic Symbol	English	French	German
ɑ	f<u>a</u>ther	f<u>a</u>ble	V<u>a</u>ter
i	m<u>e</u>	d<u>i</u>s	w<u>i</u>r
o	l<u>o</u>	gr<u>o</u>s	s<u>o</u>
u	t<u>oo</u>	d<u>ou</u>x	d<u>u</u>
ʌ	m<u>u</u>st	--	--
ɑ:i	d<u>i</u>e	è<u>m</u>ail	d<u>e</u>in
b	b<u>a</u>ll	f<u>a</u>ble	b<u>e</u>i
d	d<u>o</u>	d<u>ou</u>x	d<u>u</u>
k	c<u>o</u>p	q<u>u</u>i	K<u>u</u>st
m	m<u>e</u>al	m<u>e</u>r	m<u>i</u>ld
n	n<u>o</u>t	n<u>u</u>it	n<u>i</u>cht
ŋ	r<u>i</u>ng	--	d<u>a</u>nke
p	p<u>o</u>ke	p<u>a</u>s	p<u>a</u>uken
s	s<u>a</u>d	s<u>u</u>r	Fen <u>s</u> ter
ʃ	s<u>h</u>oe	ch<u>o</u>	S<u>ch</u>ar
t	t<u>w</u>o	t<u>o</u>t	T<u>a</u>kt

total duration: 6 - 7 minutes

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Anon. (Gaelic)

Mark Wings

*Welcome, precious stone of the night
 Delight of the skies, precious stone of the night
 Mother of stars, precious stone of the night
 Excellency of stars, precious stone of the night*

expectant, ♩ = 58 - 66

f *whispered, repeat as fast as possible*

Soprano *f* *p* *whispered, repeat as fast as possible*

Soprano *p* *f* *mf* *p* *f* >

k k precious
 k m m precious
 m m k o m k

Solo Sop.

S *mp*

S *mp*

Solo Alto *mp*

A *p* *mp*

m m m
 o o o
 p m o m

mp *p* *f*

Solo Sop. *mp* *p* *f*

S *p* *mp*

S *p* *mp*

A *f* *p* *mp*

o precious o

precious

k precious

Solo Sop. *mf* *mp*

S *f* *mf* *mp*

S *f* *mf* *mp*

A *f* *mf* *mp*

wel - come wel - come pre - cious stone³ of the night

wel - come wel - come pre - cious stone³ of the night

wel - come wel - come m n

wel - come wel - come m n

Solo Sop. *p* *mp* *p* (*p*)

S *f* *p* *subito* *p*

S *f* *p* *subito* *p*

A *f* (highest possible note) *p* *subito* *p*

n i

night t night i

t night i

t i o i

S *pp* *cresc.* *mf*
de - light de - light light

S *pp* *cresc.* *mf*
de - light de - light light

A *pp* *p mp* *mf*
de - light de - light a pre - cious de - light

S *mp* *mf* *cresc.* *f*
de - light de - light of the skies

S *mp* *mf* *cresc.* *f*
de - light de - light of the skies

A *cresc.* *f*
light de - light de - light of the skies

S *mf* *dim.* *p* *whispered*
m pre - cious

S *mp* *p* *whispered*
light of the skies pre - cious

A *mf* *dim.* *p* *whispered*
m pre - cious

S
pre - cious sto n sto n sto n

S
pre - cious stone of the night

A
pre - cious sto n sto n sto n

Solo

one person, whistling

S n

S night

A n

Solo

S *mf* moth - er

S *mf* moth - er

A *mf* moth - er

Solo

S *p* moth - er of stars s moth - er of

S *p* moth - er of stars s moth - er of

A *p* moth - er of stars *mf* stars s stars