Stephen C. Foster
1826 - 1864

Jeanie with the Light Brown Hair
Jeanie with the Light Brown Hair

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1854

Moderato

Voice

Piano

I dream of Jeanie with the light brown hair,

Borne, like a vapor, on the summer air;
Voice Pno.

see her tripping where the bright streams play,

Voice Pno.

Happy as the daisies that dance on her way.

Voice Pno.

Many were the wild notes her merry voice would pour.

Voice Pno.

ad lib

Many were the blithe birds that warbled them o'er. Oh!
Voice  Pno.
dream of Jeanie - with the light brown hair,

Voice  Pno.
Floating, like a vapor, on the soft summer air.

Voice  Pno.
Rallentando

Voice  Pno.
a tempo

Voice  Pno.
loco

Voice  Pno.
I long for Jeanie with the dawn smile,
I sigh for Jeanie, but her form strayed
Voice

Radiant in gladness, warm with winning guile;
Far from the fond hearts round her native glade; Her

Pno.


Voice

hear her melodies, like joys gone by,
smiles have vanished and her sweet songs flown,

Pno.


Voice

Sighing round my heart o'er the fond hopes that die:
Flitting like the dreams that have cheered us and gone.

Pno.


Voice

Sighing like the night wind and sobbing like the rain,
Now the nodding wild flowers may wither on the shore
While her gentle fingers will call them no more
Oh!

Voice
Wailing for the lost one that comes not again

While her g-e-n-t-l-e-f-i-n-g-e-r-s will call them no more
Oh!

Voice
long for Jea-nie, and my heart bows low,

Pno.

long
sigh

Voice
for Jea-nie, with the light brown hair,

Voice
Ne-ver more to find her where the bright wa-ters flow.

Voice
Float-ing, like a va-por, on the soft sum-mer air.

Voice
a tempo

Voice
8va

Voice
loco