

Who Is Sylvia?

A New Melody
for
the Song
from
Shakespeare's "Two Gentlemen of Verona"

Tempo rubato ♩ ~ 135

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The musical score is written in 4/4 time and consists of six systems of music. Each system includes a treble clef staff with a key signature of one flat (B-flat major) and a common time signature of 4/4. Chord symbols are placed above the staff. The lyrics are written below the staff, with some words underlined. Performance instructions such as 'start slowly', 'rit.', 'a tempo', 'dolce', and 'allargando' are placed below the lyrics. The score is divided into three verses, with 'verse 1, verse 2' and 'verse 3' indicated by brackets above the corresponding lines of music.

Dm G Cmaj7 Fmaj7 G
start slowly rit. a tempo Who is Syl - via?_
Is she ki - nd_
Then to Syl - via_
5 Cmaj7 Dm G F G Am
What is she, That all our swains com - mend her?
as she is fair? For beau - ty lives with kind-ness.
let us sing, That Syl - via is ex - cell - ing;
9 Dm Em F G
Ho - ly, fair, and wise is she; The
Love doth to her eyes re - pair To
She ex - cels each mor - tal thing Up -
11 Am Am/G F dolce
heav'n such grace did lend her
help him of his blind - ness;
on the dull earth dwell - ing;
13 Dm F G A slowly
That she might ad - mir - èd be.
And, be - ing help'd, in - hab - its there.
To her let us gar - lands (bring.)
16 verse 3 A A F C/E (F/D) Dm7 G C
bring. To her let us gar-lands bring.
allargando