

Linden Lea

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Ralph Vaughan Williams arr Arthur Somervell

Tempo ♩ = 70

SOPRANO

With-in the wood-lands, flow'ry gla-ded, by the oak trees' mossy-moot, the shi-ning

ALTO

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TENOR

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BASS

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grass blades, tim-ber sha-ded, now do qui-ver un-der foot; and birds do whis-tle o-verhead, and wa-ter's

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bub-bling in its bed; and there for me, the ap-ple tree do lean down low in Lin-den Lea. When leaves, that

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on the tim - ber_ tops; And brown leav'd fruits a- turn- ing red, in cloud- less sun - shine o- ver

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head, with fruits for me_ the ap- ple tree do lean down low in Lin - den Lea Let o- ther folk make mo- ney

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fa - ster, in the air of dark-room'd towns; I don't dread a pee-vish ma - ster, tho' no man may heed my

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frowns. I be free to go a - broad, or take a - gain my home - ward road, to where, for

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