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Based on a traditional text and a melody I learned from Skate Stone, which he learned from James Harding, which he learned from an unknown source.

Mark Growden is a composer, multi-instrumentalist, singer, music educator, visual artist, and the founder/artistic director of The Calling All Choir. He is mentored by Vance George and Michael Kaulkin; is an Alice Parker Composers Workshop Fellow; and also studied with Remy Charlip and Doug Goodkin. Mark received his Orff Schulwerk music education certificate from Mills College. He has released several critically acclaimed albums and has toured the US extensively. He has composed original musical scores for dozens of dance and theater companies and scored several films. Growden has devoted his life to making music for other people and to helping other people make music for themselves.

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For The Calling All Choir
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Thank you to Vance George, Michael Kaulkin and David Conte for their guidance.

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Arr. Mark Growden

Molto Rubato $\text{♩}=54$

p

SOPRANO
Mm Mm Mm Lu Lu

ALTO
Mm Mm Mm Lu Lu

TENOR
Mm Mm Mm Lu Lu

BASS
Mm Mm Mm Lu Lu

Piano

rit. 7 Longingly, $\text{♩}=100$

S.
Lu Lu Lu Lu Lu

A.
Lu Lu Lu Lu Lu Oh if I had wings

T.
Lu Lu Lu Lu Lu

B.
Lu Lu Lu Lu Lu

Pno. **rit.** 7 Longingly, $\text{♩}=100$

8 *mp*

S. Oh if I had wings— like No - ah's dove—

A. — like No-ah's dove— I would fly a - way— to the one I love—

B. half *ppp* *Stagger breathing*
Oo—

Pno.

11 13 *p*

S. I would fly a - way— to the one I love— I would fly a - way—

A. I would fly a - way— to the one I love Oh if I had wings—

T. *mf*
Oh— if I had

B. *p* *tutti*
Oo
Fly, wings to

13

Pno.

14

S. 
 _ to the one I love Oh if I had wings_ like No - ah's dove_

A. 
 _ like No - ah's dove_ I would fly a - way_ to the one I love_

T. 
 wings like No-ah's dove_ Oh I would fly a-way

B. 
 fly, wings to fly, wings to fly, wings to

Pno. 

17

S. 
 I would fly a - way_ to the one I love_

A. 
 I would fly a - way_ to the one I love

T. 
 to the one I love_

B. 
 fly, wings to fly.

Pno. 

19

19

S. *dim.*
I would fly a - way _____ to the one I love

A. *dim.*
Oh if I had wings _____ like No - ah's dove _____

T. *Hushed and honeylike*
mp
Oh _____ if I had wings like No - ah's dove _____

19

Pno.

21

S. *pp*
Oh if I had wings _____ like No - ah's dove _____ I would fly a - way_

A. *pp*
I would fly a - way _____ to the one I love _____ I would fly a - way_

T. *p*
Oh I would fly a - way to the one I love_

B. *p*
Fly _____

Pno.



26 A tempo, featherlike

Stagger breathing

24

rit.

p

Stagger breathing

pp

S. _____ to the one I love _____ Fly, wings to fly, wings to

A. _____ to the one I love _____ Wings to fly, wings to fly,

T. _____

B. _____ To my love

Pno. *rit.* _____ **26** A tempo, featherlike _____

27

S. fly, if I had wings to fly, wings to fly, wings to

A. if I had wings to fly, wings to fly, wings to fly,

B. *mf* Oh if I had wings _____

Pno. _____

29

S. fly, if I had wings to fly, wings to fly, if I

A. if I had wings to fly, wings to fly, wings to fly,

T. *mp* Oh if I had wings

B. like No - ah's dove I would fly a - way

Pno.

31

S. had wings to fly, wings to fly, wings to fly, wings to

A. if I had wings to fly, wings to fly, wings to fly,

T. like No - ah's dove I would fly a - way

B. to the one I love I would fly a - way

Pno.

33

S. fly, if I had wings to fly, wings to fly, wings to

A. if I had wings to fly, *mp* Oh

T. to the one I love *pp hushed* I would fly a - way

B. to the one I love *pp hushed* Oh if I had wings

Pno.

34

35

S. fly, if I had wings to fly

A. *mf* if I had wings like No - ah's dove

T. to the one I love Oh if I had wings

B. like No - ah's dove I would fly a - way

Pno.

37 *niente*

S. _____

A. Oh I would fly a - way to the one I love.

T. — like No - ah's dove. I would fly a - way to the one I love.

B. — to the one I love. I would fly a - way to the one I love.

Pno.

40 *mf*

S. Oh if I had wings like No-ah's dove Oh I would

A. — Oh if I had wings like No-ah's dove

T. I would fly a - way, like No-ah's dove

B. A - way to my love. I'd

Pno.

43

S. fly a - way to the one I love. *rit.*

A. Oh I would fly a - way to the one I love.

T. Fly a - way to my love.

B. fly a - way, fly to my love.

Pno.

46

S. *f* **molto rit.** Oh if I had wings like No - ah's dove *p*

A. *f* Oh if I had wings like No - ah's dove *p*

T. *f* Oh if I had wings like No - ah's dove *p*

B. *f* Oh if I had wings like No - ah's dove *p*

Pno. **46** *molto rit.*

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