

MY ISLAND ROSE

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Tempo di Valse

Piano introduction in B-flat major, 3/4 time. The melody begins in the right hand with a piano (*p*) dynamic, moving from B-flat to A-flat, then G-flat, and continues with a series of eighth and quarter notes. The left hand provides a steady accompaniment of eighth notes. The dynamics shift to mezzo-forte (*mf*) in the middle and return to piano (*p*) towards the end of the introduction.

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1. In that beau - ti - ful Isle that lies o'er the
2. When I wake in the morn my thoughts are of

Measures 9-14 of the song. The vocal line continues with the melody, and the piano accompaniment provides harmonic support. The lyrics are: "1. In that beautiful Isle that lies o'er the / 2. When I wake in the morn my thoughts are of".

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sea, _____ 'Tis the land _____ of the
thee, _____ And my heart _____ to the

Measures 15-20 of the song. The vocal line continues with the melody, and the piano accompaniment provides harmonic support. The lyrics are: "sea, _____ 'Tis the land _____ of the / thee, _____ And my heart _____ to the".

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Clo - ver land and the Rose, _____ 'Neath the
Is - land it goes, _____ In fan - - -

Measures 21-26 of the song. The vocal line continues with the melody, and the piano accompaniment provides harmonic support. The lyrics are: "Clo - ver land and the Rose, _____ 'Neath the / Is - land it goes, _____ In fan - - -".

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shel - ter - ing shade of the cool hills spread - ing oak,
cy - I roam o'er the hills once a - gain,

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The where the li - - lac and the green I - vy
Broom - flowers and the wild Broom -

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grows, I long to re - turn to that beau - ti - ful Isle, Where the
grows, Some - day I will stroll with my dar - ling a - lone, While the

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clear rip - pling wa - ter flows For the girl that I love is
soft eve - ning zeph - yr blows, Then with love I will whis - per a

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wait - ing for me, My dar - ling my own Is - land Rose.
sto - ry that's old, To my dar - ling my own Is - land Rose.

CHORUS

58 **Moderato**

For my dar - ling my own Is - land Rose, With love my heart ov - er -

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flows, With a kiss will I greet her The mo - ment I meet her, My

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sweet heart, my own Is - land Rose. own Is - land Rose.