

# The Cuckoo

for S.S.A. Voices with Hammer Dulcimer, or Piano, accompaniment

BRITISH FOLK SONG

Arranged by  
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HAMMER  
DULCIMER  
or  
PIANO

*mp*

A

8 ALTO *mp*

Oh the

*p*

S2

12 SOPRANO 2

She

A

ALTO

cuck-oo is a pret-ty bird, she\_\_ sings as she\_ flies;

16 SOPRANO 1

S1

She

SOPRANO 2

S2

brings us glad ti-dings and\_ tells us no\_\_ lies.

ALTO

A

16

20

S1

sucks all the pret-ty flow-ers to\_\_ keep her voice\_

S2

A

20

23

S1

clear, And she nev - er sings "cuck - oo" till\_\_ the

S2

And she nev - er sings "cuck - oo" till\_\_ the

A

And she nev - er sings "cuck - oo" till\_\_ the

23

*\*(mm. 34-50: 3-parts become 2-parts)*

26

S1  
spring of the year.

S2  
spring of the year.

A  
spring of the year.

26

*mf*

29

S SOPRANO\*

A ALTO\*

29

33

S *mf*  
A - walk-in' and a-talk-in' and a -

A *mf*  
A - walk-in' and a-talk-in' and a -

33

*mp*

37

S wan-d'rin' go I, A wait-in' for Wil-lie he'll

A wan-d'rin' go I, A wait-in' for Wil-lie he'll

37

41

S come by and by. I'll wait un - til

A come by and by. I'll wait un - til

41

44

S morn-in' for he's my de - light, I could

A morn-in' for he's my de - light, I could

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