

for Rosemary Bannerman and the singers of
Wilfrid Jury Public School

Ferry Me Across the Water

Two-part voices and piano

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With spirit ♩ = 121-124 (in two)

The musical score is written for two voices and piano. It is in the key of D major (one sharp) and 4/4 time. The tempo is marked 'With spirit' with a metronome marking of ♩ = 121-124 (in two). The score is divided into two systems. The first system (measures 1-4) shows two vocal staves (1 and 2) and a piano accompaniment. The piano part features a melodic line in the right hand and a bass line in the left hand, with a 'with pedal' instruction. The second system (measures 5-8) includes lyrics under the vocal staves: 'me a - cross the wat - er, (n.b.) Fer - ry me, Do,'. The piano accompaniment continues with a similar melodic and bass line structure.

1

2

mp

"Fer-ry

mp

with pedal

5

me a - cross the wat - er, (n.b.) Fer - ry me, Do,

Performance notes for this piece may be found at www.alliancemusic.com.

8 *mf*

"If you've a pen - ny in your

mf

boat - man, do." _____

mf

11 *mp* *p*

purse I'll fer - ry you." "I'll

p

14

fer - ry you." _____

mp

17

mp

"I have a

mp

20

pen - ny in — my purse, and my eyes are blue;

mf

23

mf

and my eyes are blue;

p

So fer - ry