

For Amy Carter and the 2000-2001
Makefield Elementary School Chorus, Yardley, PA

The Juniper Tree

Two-part with piano

Arkansas folksong
arr. Kenneth Carter

Rolling easily, ♩ = 44

Piano

mf

p

with pedal

The piano introduction consists of two staves. The right hand starts with a melody of eighth notes, marked *mf*. The left hand provides a harmonic accompaniment with chords and single notes. The tempo is marked *Rolling easily, ♩ = 44*. The piece concludes with a *p* dynamic marking and a *with pedal* instruction.

5 both parts in unison:
mp

I

O sis - ter Phoe - be, how mer - ry were_ we, The night we sat un - der the

Pno.

The first system of the vocal part begins at measure 5, marked *mp*. The vocal line and piano accompaniment are in unison. The lyrics are: "O sis - ter Phoe - be, how mer - ry were_ we, The night we sat un - der the".

8

I

ju - ni - per_ tree, The ju - ni - per tree, Hi - o, hi - o, The

Pno.

The second system of the vocal part begins at measure 8. The lyrics are: "ju - ni - per_ tree, The ju - ni - per tree, Hi - o, hi - o, The".

11

I

ju - ni - per tree, Hi - o.

Pno.

mf

The third system of the vocal part begins at measure 11. The lyrics are: "ju - ni - per tree, Hi - o.". The piano accompaniment ends with a *mf* dynamic marking.

3

14

mf

I

doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo

Pno.

mp

17

parts divide

I

O sis - ter Phoe - be, how mer - ry were_ we, The night we sat un - der the

II

mp

Sis - ter, o sis - ter, re - mem - ber fond -

Pno.

20

I

ju - ni - per_ tree, The ju - ni-per tree, Hi - o, hi - o, The

II

ly when we were but chil - dren and

Pno.

23

I ju - ni-per tree, Hi - o.

II sat by that tree, The ju - ni - per

Pno.

26

I doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo

II tree, Hi - o, hi - o, The

Pno.

29

I doo The ju - ni-per tree, Hi - o.

II ju - ni - per tree, Hi - o.

Pno.