

The blue bird

Larghetto tranquillo [$\text{♩} = \text{c.63}$]

SOPRANO * *pp* Blue

ALTO *pp* The lake lay blue — be - low the hill, — the lake lay

TENOR *pp* The lake lay blue — be - low the hill, — the lake lay

BASS *pp* The lake lay blue — be - low the hill, — the lake lay

for rehearsal only *pp*

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blue O'er it, as I

blue — be - low the hill, — be - low the hill, — lay

blue — be - low the hill, — be - low the hill, — lay

blue — be - low the hill, — be - low the hill, — lay

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looked, there flew a - cross the wa - ters, cold and still, a bird —

blue, Cold — and still, there

blue, Cold and still, there

blue, Cold and still, there

* Or one or a few voices, the remaining sopranos taking Alto*1 part

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whose wings were pa - lest blue. *ppp*

flew a bird whose wings were pa - lest blue. *ppp*

flew a bird whose wings were pa - lest blue. *ppp*

flew a bird whose wings were pa - lest blue. *ppp*

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The sky a - bove was blue at last, the sky be - *p*

The sky a - bove was blue at last, the sky be - *p*

The sky a - bove was blue at last, the sky be - *p*

The sky a - bove was blue at last, the sky be - *p*

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blue A mo - ment *mf*

-neath me blue in blue, was blue in blue, *pp*

-neath me blue in blue, was blue in blue, *pp*

-neath me blue in blue, was blue in blue, *pp*

ere the bird had passed, it caught his
blue in blue, it caught, it
blue in blue, it caught, it
blue in blue, it caught, it

mf

im - age, his im - age as he flew.
caught his im - age, his im - age as he flew.
caught his im - age, his im - age as he flew.
caught his im - age as he flew.

più lento

quasi niente *ppp*

blue
The lake lay blue be - low the hill.
The lake lay blue be - low the hill.
The lake lay blue be - low the hill.
The lake lay blue be - low the hill.

ppp

ppp

ppp

ppp

ppp