

At Niagara Falls

Anson G. Chester 1904
(adapted)

Songs of Old Niagara

Harris Loewen

Moderato ♩ = 90

A

mf

S. *mf* the spring - time,

A. *mf* In the spring,

T. *mf* In the spring - time

B. *mf* In the spring-time

p

pedal freely



6

S. at Ni-a- g'ra, sab- bath morn - ing broke, full of glo- ry,—

A. at Ni-a- as a sab - bath morn - ing broke,— full of glo - ry,

T. at a, as a sab- bath morn- ing broke,— full of glo - ry,

B. - a- g'ra, as a sab - bath morn- ing broke,— full of glo - ry,

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S. peace and beau - ty, from his dreams the sleep-er woke.

A. peace and beau-ty, beau - ty, from his dreams the sleep-er woke.

T. peace and beau - ty, from his dreams the sleep-er

B. peace and beau-ty, beau - ty, from his dreams the woke.

B

16

S. *p* All was qui-et, save the thun-der, that for-ev-er there pre-vails;

A. *p* All was qui-et the thun-der, that for - ev - er there pre- vails;

T. *p* All et, save the thun-der, *f* that for - ev - er there pre- vails;

B. *p* qui - et, save the thun-der, *f* that for-ev-er there pre - vails;

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S. *mf*
that through-out the gath -'ring a - ges, nev - er paus - es, nev - er fails.

A. *mf*
that through-out the gath -'ring a - ges, nev - er paus - er fails.

T. *mf*
that through-out the gath -'ring a - ges, nev - er - nev - er fails.

B. *mf*
that through-out the gath -'ring a - ges, paus - es, nev - er fails.



C

25

S. *f*
But the thv the tor-rent of a sud- den died a-way,

A. *f*
Br - der of a sud- den died a - way,

T. *f*
the thun-der of the tor-rent of a sud - den died a - way,

B. *f*
But the thun-der of the tor-rent of a sud - den died a - way,

30 *p* *pp* *p*

S. just as if a spell of si - lence on the ram-pant wa- ters_ lay.

A. just a spell of si - lence on the wa- te

T. just as if a spell, si-lence on the ram-pant _ lay.

B. just a spell, si-lence on wa- ters_ lay.

34 **D** *mf* *p* *f*

S. For a rob-in, a' _-ment, trilled its car - ol sweet and strong,

A. For a rob- the case-ment, trilled its car - ol sweet and strong,

T. For a, at the case-ment, trilled its car - ol sweet and strong,

B. a rob-in, at the case-ment, trilled its car - ol sweet and strong,

mf *p* *f*

tr

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39 *mp* and the roar was heard no long - er, *ff* it was van - quished by a

A. *mp* and the roar was heard no long - er, *ff* it was van - quished by a

T. *ff* it was quished by a

B. *ff* van - quished by a

mp *sfz*

44 *rit.* song! *mf* On thine ear the

A. *p* song! *mf* a song! On thine ear the

T. *mf* song! by a song! On thine ear the

B. *p* song! *mf* by a song! On thine ear the

rit. *f* *p* *mf* a tempo

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S. *roar and tu- mult of a nois-y world must fall, but a lit-tle*

A. *roar and tu- mult of a nois - y world must fall, a lit-tle*

T. *roar and tu - mult of a nois-y world must fall, but a lit-tle*

B. *roar, tu - mult of a nois - y world r but a lit-tle*



53

S. *song and trust, love and*

A. *song love and trust, love and*

T. *song of love and trust, love and*

B. *of love and trust, love, and*

57 **rit.**

S. trust, such a song can o - ver-come it all.

A. trust, such a song can o - ver-come it all.

T. trust, such a song can o - ver-come it a'

B. trust, such a song can o - ver-come it

8va **rit.** *rubato* *8vb*



Harris Loewen (BMus, Iowa), originally from Vancouver, is a former choral conductor, clinician and singer, who remains a choral conductor, arranger and composer. He was Associate Professor of Music at Brock University from 1987 to 2018. During his career, he has performed as a chorister, baritone soloist and/or conductor with professional and amateur choirs in Canada, Europe, and also served as a pop and jazz vocalist in various settings. Dr. Loewen is the founder of Brock University's Vocal Ensemble and Avanti Chamber Singers (Ensemble-in-Residence at Brock University), as well as former conductor of the Brock University men's, women's and mixed choruses. With these choral ensembles, he has released five recordings in the Voices of Niagara CD Series, featuring the works of Niagara composers and his own pieces.



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