Un Canadien Errant
for S.S.A.A. Choir & Piano

Traditional Québécois folk song

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Un jour, triste et pensif, assis au bord des flots,
Si tu vois mon pays,

Mon pays malheureux,

Si tu vois mon pays, mon pays malheureux,

a cappella
us,  Et ma pa - trie,  hé - las!  Je ne la ver - rai plus,

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Non, mais en ex - pi - rant,  O mon cher Ca - na -

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da! Non, mais en expirant, O mon Canada!

Mon regard languissant vers toi se porterait, Mon regard
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