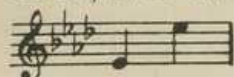


# AH! SWEET MYSTERY OF LIFE

( THE DREAM MELODY )

In Ab, (eb to eb)



In Bb, (f to f)



In C, (g to g)



In D, (a to a)



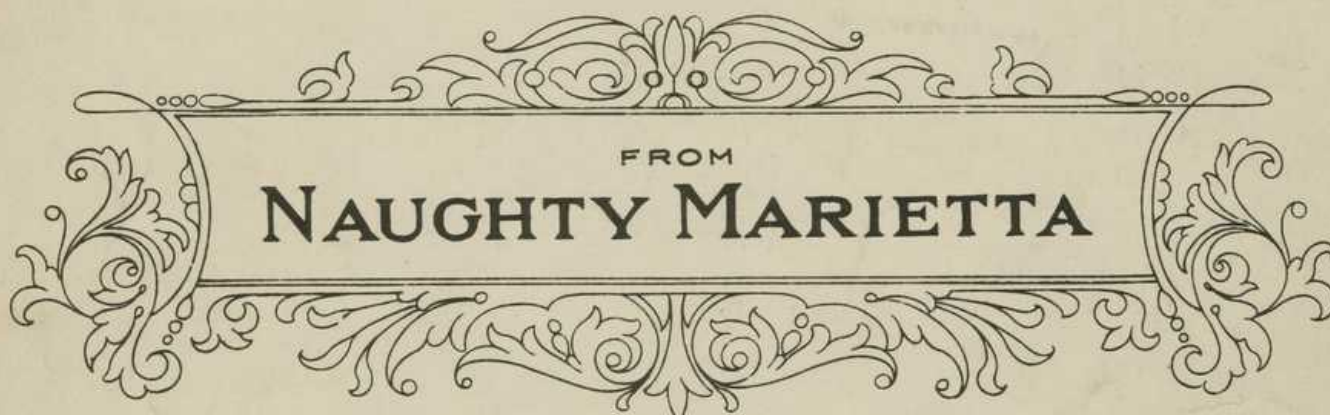
Soprano or  
Tenor *b<sub>1</sub> to a<sub>1</sub>*  
and Alto  
or  
Baritone  
(*f to f*) lead



DUETS



Soprano or  
Tenor (*a to a*)  
lead  
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**Moderato**

*mf* *accel.*

**Andante**

*f* *pp cola voce*

Ah! sweet mys - ter - y of life, at last I've  
found thee, Ah! I know at last the se - cret of it  
all; All the long - ing, seek - ing, stri - ving, wait - ing,

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yearn - ing, — The burn - ing hopes, the joy and i - dle tears that

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fall! — For 'tis love, and love a - lone, the world is

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seek - ing; And 'tis love, and love a - lone, that can re -

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pay! 'Tis the an - swer, 'tis the end and all of liv - ing, — For it is

*allargando* *ff*

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*ten.* love a-lone that rules for aye! *ff* *Grandioso* *ff* For 'tis love, and love a-lone, the world is

*ten.* *cresc. molto* *ff* *ff*

seek-ing, For 'tis love, and love a-lone that can re-pay! 'Tis the

an-swer, 'tis the end and all of liv-ing!— For it is love a-lone that rules for

*ten.* *ten.* *pesante*

aye!

*ff* *allargando* *ff* *ffz*



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