

13.

An die untergehende Sonne.

Kosegarten.

Op. 44.
(1817)

213. *Langsam.*

The piano introduction is in E-flat major, 3/4 time, and begins with a *p* (piano) dynamic. It features a series of chords and moving lines in both hands, with a tempo marking of *Langsam.*

Son-ne, du sinkst, Son-ne, du sinkst! sink' in Frie-den, o Son-ne, sink' in

The first line of the song features a vocal melody in E-flat major, 3/4 time, with lyrics in German. The piano accompaniment consists of chords and moving lines in both hands.

Frieden, o Son - - - ne!

The second line of the song continues the vocal melody and piano accompaniment. The piano part includes a *decresc.* (decrescendo) marking towards the end of the line.

Ruhig.
Still und ru-hig ist dei - nes Schei-dens Gang, rührend und fei-er-lich

The third line of the song is marked *Ruhig.* (calmly). The vocal melody and piano accompaniment continue, with the piano part starting with a *p* (piano) dynamic.

dei - nes Schei-dens Schweigen. Weh - muth lä-chelt dein freund-liches Au-ge,

The fourth line of the song continues the vocal melody and piano accompaniment, concluding the piece.

Thrä-nen ent-träu-feln den gol - - denen Wimpern; Segnungen strö-mst du der duf-tenden

Er - - de. Im-mer tie-fer, im-mer lei-ser, im-mer ernster, fei - er - li-cher

sin - kest du den Ä - ther hin - ab, sin - kest du den Ä - ther hin - ab.

Langsam.
Son-ne, du sinkst, — Son - ne, du sinkst! sink' — in Frie - den, o Son-ne, sink' in

Frieden, o — Son — — ne!

decresc.

Etwas bewegt.

Es seg - nen die Völ - ker, es säu - seln die Lüf - - te, es räu - chern die dam - pfen

pp

Wie - sen dir nach, Win - de durch - rie - seln dein lo - cki - ges Haar; —

Wo - gen küh - len die bren - nende Wan - ge; weit auf thut sich dein Was - ser -

cresc. *p*

bett... Ruh' in Frie - den! ruh' in Won - ne! die

decresc. *pp*

Nach - ti - gall flö - tet dir Schlum - mer - ge -

sang; die Nach - ti - gall flö - tet dir Schlum - mer - ge -

sang.

Langsam.

Son - ne, du sinkst, Son - ne, du sinkst! sink' in Frie - den, o - Son - ne, sink' in

(p)

Frie - den, o - Son - ne!

decresc.