

Tannhäuser.

(1845.)

„Blick' ich umher.“

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Wolfram's Address.

RICHARD WAGNER.
(1813-1883.)

Moderato.

The musical score consists of two staves. The top staff is for the piano, showing chords and bass notes. The bottom staff is for the voice, with lyrics in both German and English. The score is in common time, with a key signature of one flat. The vocal part includes dynamic markings like *p* (piano) and *f* (forte), and performance instructions like *3* over groups of notes and *Rit.* (ritardando) at the end of some lines.

Blick' ich um - her in die-sem ed - len Krei - se,
Gaz - ing a - round up-on this fair as - sem - bly,

welch ho - her An - blick macht mein Herz er - glüh'n!
How doth the heart ex - pand to view the scene!

So viel der Helden, tapfer, deutsch und wei - se,
These gal - lant he - roes, valiant, wise and gen - tle,

ein stol - zer Eichwald, herr - lich, frisch und grün;—
A state - ly for - est, soar - ing fresh and green;

und hold und tu - gend-sam er - blick' ich Frau-en, lieb - li - cher
And bloom - ing by their side in sweet per-fec - tion, I see a

Blü - then düf - te - reich - ster Kranz.
wreath of dames and maid - ens fair.

Blick wohl trunken mir vom Schau-en,
glo - ries dazzle the be - hold - er,

stummt vor sol - cher An - muth Glanz.
mute be - fore this vi - sion rare.

Da blick' ich
I rais'd my

dim. *ritard.* *pp*

auf zu ei - nem nur der Ster-ne, der an dem Him - mel, der mich
eyes to one whose starry splendor In this bright heav'n with mild ef -

blen-det, steht:—
ful - gence beams,
es And

p *ritard.* *pp*

Ra.

sammelt sich mein Geist aus je - der Fer-ne,
gaz-ing on that ra - diance pure and ten-der,
an - däch-tig sinkt die
My heart was-sunk in

pp

Ra.

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See - le in Ge - bet.
pray'r - ful, ho - ly dreams. (d=60)

Und sieh', mir zei - get sich ein
And lo, the source of all de -

pianissimo (p) piano

Wun - - der-bron-nen, in den mein Geist voll
light and pow - er Was then un - to my

ho - hen Staunens blickt; aus ihm er schö - pfet
lis - t'ning soul re - veal'd; From whose un - fath - om'd

gna - - den - rei - che Won - -nen, durch die mein
depths all joy doth show - er, The sooth - ing

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Herz balm where-by men-los er - quickt. Und Oh

cresc.

nim-mer möcht' ich die - sen Bron - nen trü - ben, be -
nev-er may I dim its lim - pid wa - ters, Or

dim. cresc.

rüh - ren nicht den Quell mit frev - lem Muth: in
rash - ly trou - ble them with wild de - sires! I'll

dim. p

An - be - tung möcht' ich mich o - pfernd ü - ben, ver - gie - ssen
wor - ship thee kneel - ing, with soul de - vot - ed, To live and

p ritard.
più p ritard.

