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Naught that Country needeth

(1899)

Aria for Baritone (from a Cantata, "The Celestial Country")

Alford
from St.Bernard

Moderato

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Naught that coun - try

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need - - eth of these aisles of stone;

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13

Where the God - head dwell - eth where the God - head dwell - wth,

17

f

tem - ple there is none. All saints that in these courts havestood,

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All saints that in these courts have stood are but babes and

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feed-ing on chil-drens food, babes and feed-ing on chil-drens food. On through

28

dark - ness On through sign and to - ken, On through

32

stars a-midst the night On to light, On through

36

poco express.

dark - ness, On through sign and to - ken, for - ward in - to

poco cresc.

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light, for - ward in - to light! Light!

poco cresc. e accel.

f più rit.

4

p a tempo

44

On through sign and to - ken stars a-midst the night.

49 *Quasi recit.*

f

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For-ward, for-ward in - to light!

54 *p* *f*

mf a tempo

54

For-ward, for ward in-to light! On thro'sign and

60 *p* *pp* *dim. poco a poco*

dim. poco a poco

60

to - ken, On through sing and to - ken, On through sign and to - ken, stars a-midst the night