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As a thank you for signing up for a free account during **PMD Plus Early Access**, and to celebrate Women's History Month, we're giving away three pieces of sheet music by under-represented women composers—**for free!**

The three pieces in this packet are published by K&S Conservatory of Music and edited by Sue Ruby. We're happy to partner with them to bring you these wonderful, previously unpublished, hidden gems. Each piece is newly listed on Piano Music Database and available for sale at K&S.

Read below to learn more from Sue about her work rediscovering these wonderful pieces.

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Much of my pandemic solitude was spent researching musical repertoire of historic female composers. I've made a deliberate choice to bypass previously researched, better known female composers (Beach, Chaminade, Hensel, Price and Schumann) to focus on the "Women Music History Forgot". By combing through online databases, dusty library bookshelves and copious amounts of garage sale sheet music, a wealth of musical treasures were discovered. Digging into the Library of Congress' archives unearthed dozens of previously unpublished musical gems. The very best works from all of these sources were selected to notate and edit from the original illegible, or even hand-written manuscript scores. These "rescues" and rediscovered pieces form the core of works presented in series.

The three composers presented in this packet are relatively unknown and **the three pieces are not found in any other book or collection**. In fact, these women are so unknown they might be categorized as "One-Hit Wonders", although in truth, they have published far more than the single signature pieces included here. Many of the pieces are mere "Child's Play", accessible and attainable for younger students. The desire is that from curiosity and even demand, more works by these women will find their way into the hands of pianists both young and old.

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The Spinning-Wheel

Sue Ruby, editor

Theodora Dutton

Allegretto

mp

5

9

13

cresc.

f

17

21

25

29

dim. e rit.

p

Walzer-Capricen in F# Minor

Sue Ruby, editor

Dora Pejačević, Op. 28, No. 4

Wiegend

mp

con pedal

5

1. 2.

Etwas bewegter

10

fz

cresc.

14

f

18

fz

cresc.

22

f *rit.*

26 **Tempo I**

mf a tempo

30

34

mf

38

f *rallentando* *a tempo* *mp* *p*

Reminiscence

Sue Ruby, editor

Margot Vesel

Rubato

mp

simile

6

mf

10

14

tr

18

mp

mf

23

decresc.

mf

27

cresc.

f

mp

32

36

decresc.

mp

40

rit.

decresc.

pp



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