

The Tide Rises, the Tide Falls

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Three-part Mixed Chorus and Piano

from a poem by

Henry Wadsworth Longfellow (1807-1882), alt.

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Ranges: Part I Part II Part III

With expression $\bullet = 104\text{--}108$

A piano accompaniment staff in 4/4 time, featuring a treble clef and a bass clef. The treble clef staff has eighth-note patterns, and the bass clef staff has sixteenth-note patterns. A dynamic marking 'p' is placed above the bass staff.

A three-part vocal score. The top part (I) is in treble clef, the middle part (II) is in treble clef, and the bottom part (III) is in bass clef. The score consists of four systems of music. In the first system, all parts are silent except for a single note in the bass part at measure 5. In the second system, the bass part has a sustained note. In the third system, the bass part has a sustained note. In the fourth system, the bass part has a sustained note. The vocal parts enter sequentially, starting with Part I at measure 5, followed by Part II at measure 6, and then Part III at measure 7. The piano accompaniment staff is located below the vocal parts.

Duration: approx. 2:15

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I falls. The twi - light

II falls. The twi - light

III tide falls. The twi - light

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I dark - ens, the cur - lew calls.

II dark - ens, cur - lew

III dark - ens, cur - lew

18

I A-long the sea - sands damp and brown, the

II calls. A-long the sea - sands damp and brown, the

III calls. A-long the sea - sands damp and brown, the

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I trav - 'ler has-tens t'ward the town,
the tide ___

II trav - 'ler has-tens t'ward the town,
and the tide

III trav - 'ler has-tens t'ward the town,
and the tide

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I ris - es, the tide ___ falls.

II ris - es, the tide ___ falls.

III ris - es, the tide ___ falls.

27

I

II

III

IV

30

I

II

III

IV

mf

But the sea, the sea in the

mf

Dark - ness set-tles on roofs and walls.

39 *a tempo mp*

I The tide — ris - es, the tide —

II *a tempo mp*

III *a tempo* The tide — ris - es, the tide —

tide ris - es, the tide —

a tempo

45

I more _____ re-turns the trav - 'ler to the shore.

II more _____ re-turns the trav - 'ler to the shore. *mp*

III more _____ re-turns the trav - 'ler to the shore. And the *mp*

mp

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I *mp* The tide— ris - es,

II tide ris - es,

III tide ris - es, the tide— falls, _____

p

p