

Come Away, Come Away, Death

Text by *William Shakespeare* (1564-1616) [Br], from *Twelfth Night*
Set by *David Werner Amram* (1930-) [Am], *Come Away Death*, from *Five Shakespeare Songs*, #1;
Dominick Argento (1927-) [Am], *Dirge*, from *6 Elizabethan Songs*, #4; *Thomas Augustine Arne* (1710-1778), *Come, Away Death*; *Garth Baxter* (1946-) [Am], *Come Away, Come Away, Death*, from *Four Songs from Twelfth Night by William Shakespeare*, #2; *Madeleine Dring* (1923-1977) [Br], *Come Away, Death*; *John Edmunds* (1913-1986) [Am], *Come Away, Death*; *Gerald Finzi* (1901-1956) [Br], *Come Away, Come Away, Death*, from *Let Us Garlands Bring*, op. 18, #1; *Wolfgang Fortner* (1907-1987) [GR], *Death, Come Away*, from *Songs nach Texten von William Shakespeare*, #8; *John Linton Gardner* (1917-) [Br], *Come Away, Death*, from *Six by Four*, op. 181, #4; *John Linton Gardner* (1917-) [Br], from *A Suite of 5 Songs from Palgrave's Golden Treasury*; *Lee Hoiby* (1926-2011) [Br], *Come Away, Death*, from *Songs of the Fool*, #2; *Erich Korngold* (1897-1957) [Gr], *Come Away, Death*, from *Songs of the Clown*, op. 29, #1; *Elizabeth Maconchy* (1907-1994) [Br], *Come Away Death*, from *Four Shakespeare Songs*, #3; *Ernest John Moeran* (1894-1950) [Br], *Come Away, Death*, R. 39; *Douglas Stuart Moore* (1893-1969), *Come Away, Death*; *Roger Quilter* (1877-1953), *Come Away, Death*, from *Three Shakespeare Songs*, op. 6, #1; *Sir Charles Villiers Stanford* (1852-1924) [Br], *Come Away Death*, from *The Clown's Songs from Twelfth Night*, op. 65, #2; *Ralph Vaughan Williams* (1872-1958) [Br], *Come Away, Death*

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[kʌm ə.'we:ɪ kʌm ə.'we:ɪ dεθ]

And in sad cypress let me be laid;
[ænd ɪn sæd 'sa:ɪ.pɹə(ɪ)s lɛt mi bi le:ɪd]

Fly away, fly away, Breath;
My shroud of white, stuck all with yew,
O prepare it!
My part of death, no one so true
Did share it.

Not a flower, not a flower sweet,
On my black coffin let there be strown;...

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