

# WHO IS SYLVIA?

## (WAS IST SYLVIA)

"The Two Gentlemen of Verona"  
WILLIAM SHAKESPEARE (1564-1616)

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(Original Key, A)

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Moderato (Mässig) 

PIANO *pp*



1. Who is Syl - via,  
2. Is she kind — as  
1. Was ist Syl - via,  
2. Ist sie schön, — und



What is she, — That all our swains com - mend - her?  
she is fair? — For beau - ty lives with kind - ness:  
sa - - get an, — dass sie die wei - te Flur preist?  
gut da - zu? — Reiz labt wie mil - de Kind - heit;



Ho - ly fair — and  
To her eyes — love  
Schön und zart — sch'  
ih - rem Aug' — eilt



wise is she; — The heav'ns such grace did  
doth re - pair, — To help him of his  
ich sie nah'n. — auf Him - mels Gunst und  
A - mor zu, — dort heilt er sei - ne

lend her,  
blind - ness; And, That a -  
Spur weis't, dass ing -  
Blind heit, und ihr -  
ver -

dor - ed might be  
help'd, in - hab - its there, — And,  
at - les un - ter than,  
weilt in sii - sser Ruh';

That a - dor - ed she might be.  
be - ing help'd, in - hab - its there.  
dass ihr at - les un - ter - than.  
und ver - weilt in sii - sser Ruh'.

D. S.

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3. Then to  
3. Dar - - - um

Syl - via let us sing, That  
Syl - via, tön, o Sang, der

Syl - via is ex - cel - ling, She ex -  
höl - den Syl - via Eh - - ren; je - - den

cels each mor - - tal thing Up -  
Reiz be - siegt sie lang, den

on the dull earth dwell - ing; To her  
 Er - de kann ge - wöh - ren, Krän - ze

gar - lands und let us bring,  
 ihr und Sai - ten - klang,

To her gar - lands let us bring.  
 Krän ze ihr und Sai - ten - klang.