

There is a solemn wind tonight

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for Nigel Potts

Gary Bachlund

rit.

Allegro

mf *p*

4 **A tempo**

There is a so-lemn wind to-night that sings of so-lemn rain; The trees that have been

10 **rit.** **Tempo primo**

qui-et so long flut-ter and start a - gain.

15 **rit.** **A tempo**

The slen-der trees, the hea-vy trees, the

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19

3

fruit trees la-den and proud, lift up their bran-ches to the wind that cries to them so loud.

25

Tempo primo

rit.

A tempo

The lit-tle bush-es

28

3

and the plants bow to the so-lemn sound, and ev'-ry ti-ni-est blade of grass

33

rit.

Adagio

rit.

shakes on the qui-et ground. There is a so-lemn wind to-night...