

Vilja

Words: Adrian Ross Music: Franz Lehar

from 'The Merry Widow'

A $\text{♩} = 75$

Fl. *pizz*

V.1 *pizz*

Vc. *pizz*

Chords: G D7 G D7 G

B

KP.

1. There once was a Vil - ia, a witch of a wood. A hunt - er be -
 2. The wood maid-en smiled, and no an - swer she gave. But beck - on'd him

Chords: G D7 G D7 G C G Em Am

Fl.

V.1 *arco*

V.2 *arco*

Vc. *arco*

11

KP.

held her a - lone as she stood. The spell of her beau - ty up -
 in - to the shade of the cave; He nev - er had known such a

Chords: Em B7 Em B Em Am

16

KP.

on him was laid; He look'd and he long'd for the mag - ic - al maid!
 rap - tur - ous bliss. No maid - en of mor - tals so sweet - ly can kiss!

Chords: Em B7 Em C G D7 G

C Em ABm Em ABm D Am/D G C GD⁷ G

22
 KP. For a sud-den trem-or ran, right thro' the love-be-wild-er'd man. And he sigh'd as a hap-less lov-er can.
 As be-fore her feet he lay, she van-ish'd in the wood a-way. And he call'd vain-ly till his dy-ing day.

S. Mm Mm Mm Mm Mm Mm

A. Mm Mm Mm Mm Mm

T. Mm Mm Mm Mm Mm

B. Mm Mm Mm Mm Mm

Fl. *8va*

V.1

V.2

Vc.

D G $\text{♩} = 60$ D Em Am D

30 "Vil - ia, O Vil - ia! the witch of the wood! Would I not die for you, dear, if I could!

Fl. *p*

V.1 *p*

V.2 *p*

Vc. *p*

38 G G/F#Em Bm G#° D Em A

KP. Vil - ia, O Vil - ia, my love and my bride!" Soft - ly and sad - ly he

FL. (8)

V.1

V.2

Vc.

44 **E** D D7

KP. sigh'd. _____

S. *p* Ah _____ *mf* Vi - lia, oh Vi - lia, my Nymph of the Night, call - ing, en - thrall - ing my heart with de light.

A. Ah _____ Vi - lia, oh Vi - lia, my Nymph of the Night, call - ing, en - thrall - ing my heart with de light.

T. Ah _____ Vi - lia, oh Vi - lia, my Nymph of the Night, call - ing, en - thrall - ing my heart with de light.

B. Ah _____ Vi - lia, oh Vi - lia, my Nymph of the Night, call - ing, en - thrall - ing my heart with de light.

FL. (8) *mf*

V.1 *mf*

V.2 *mf*

Vc. *mf*

54 **F** G G/F#Em Bm G#° D

KP. "Vil - ia, O Vil - ia, my love and my bride!" Soft - ly and sad - ly he

S.

Fl. (8)

V.1

V.2

Vc.

60 1. G 2. **G** G C G

KP. sigh'd. sigh'd. Sad - ly he sigh'd, Vil - ia.

S. Ah Ah Ah Ah

A. Ah Ah Ah Ah

T. Ah Ah Ah Ah

B. Ah Ah Ah Ah

Fl. (8)

V.1

V.2

Vc.