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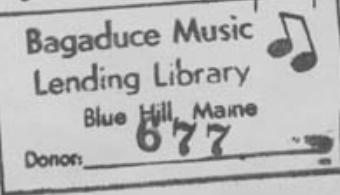
The musical score consists of two staves of music. The top staff is for the right hand of the piano, featuring a treble clef and a key signature of one sharp (F#). The bottom staff is for the left hand and the vocal line, featuring a bass clef and a key signature of one sharp (F#). The lyrics are integrated into the vocal line. The music is in 3/4 time throughout.

Sum - mer breez - es sweet - ly in - vite, Breez - es,
Mel - low eeh - oes ring thro' the vale, Ech - oes,

breath-ing a song of de light, Whis - per fra - grant
mock - ing the night - in - gale, Whis - per lov - er's

mes - sage to thee, Call - ing thee, love, to fly with me. For,
plead - ing to thee, Call - ing thee, love, to fly with me. For,

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moon-beams bright-ly dance thro' the night, Wait-ing, rest-less, to
 moon-beams quick-ly dance thro the dale Leav-ing naught but the

guide our flight. Up-ward, up-ward, close to the stars.
 star - light pale. Hast-en, hast-en, dear love, to me,

Chorus

Fleet-ing, my love, are moon - light hours. Then Come _____ ere the
 Light-en my heart with ec - sta - sy. Then

p-f

moon - beams die, Far _____ thro'the star - ry sky, Dream_____

The musical score consists of four staves of music.
 - The first staff (Treble clef) has lyrics: "as the hours drift by up on high, with me," with a repeat sign at the end of the line.
 - The second staff (Treble clef) has lyrics: "love Fly o'er the clouds with me. Fly"
 - The third staff (Treble clef) has lyrics: "as the swal - lows fly, Hap pi = ly wing-ing a"
 - The fourth staff (Bass clef) has lyrics: "way Thro' the stars with me. me."
 The music includes various dynamics like forte, piano, and accents, and features a mix of common time and measures with a 2/4 feel indicated by a '2' above the staff.