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Australia

(The Song of Australia)

Words by Mrs. C. J. Carleton

Music by Carl Linger
Arr. by E. J. Bonhomme

Moderato

mf

1. There is a land where sum-merskies Are gleam-ing with a thou-sand dyes,
2. There is a land where hon-ey flows, Where laugh-ing corn lux-u-riant grows;
3. There is a land where treasures shine, Deep in the dark un-fath-om'd mine

cresc. *f* *dolce*

Blending in witch-ing har-mo-nies, in har mo-nies, And grassy knoll and
Land of the myr-tle and the rose, myr-tle and rose. On hill and plain the
For worshippers at Mam-mon's shrine, at Mam-mon's shrine Where gold lies hid, and

3 *3*

for-est height, Are flushing in the ro-sylight, And all a-bove is
clus-tring vine Is gushing out with pur-ple wine, And cups are quaff'd to
ru-bies gleam, And fa-bl'd wealth no more doth seem The i-dle fan-cy

mf *cresc.* *f*

a-zure bright, Aus-tra-li-a, Aus-tra-li-a, Aus-tra-li-a!
thee and thine, Aus-tra-li-a, Aus-tra-li-a, Aus-tra-li-a!
of a dream, Aus-tra-li-a, Aus-tra-li-a, Aus-tra-li-a!

4. There is a land where homesteads peep
From sunny plain and woodland steep,
And love and joy bright vigils keep;
Where the glad voice of childish glee
Is mingling with the melody
Of nature's hidden minstrelsy.

Australia!

5. There is a land where, floating free,
From mountain top to girdling sea,
A proud flag waves exultingly;
And freedom's sons the banner bear;
No shackl'd slave can breath the air
Fairest of Britain's daughters fair,

Australia!

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