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Music by LOUIS TOCABEN

Tempo di Barcarolle

The musical score consists of two staves. The upper staff is for the piano, featuring a treble clef, a key signature of one sharp (F#), and a common time signature. The lower staff is for the voice, featuring a bass clef and a key signature of one flat (B-flat). The vocal part begins with a dynamic of *p*. The piano part includes dynamics such as *p*, *accel. e cres.*, *pp*, *p*, and *a tempo*. The vocal line contains lyrics in parentheses: "Wake!..... while the splen - dor shines..... on the deep;..... Eyes..... true and Hark..... to my plead - ing, night..... soon will fade,..... Love's..... in - ter-". The piano accompaniment continues with a dynamic of *p dolce*.

The musical score continues with two staves. The upper staff is for the piano, and the lower staff is for the voice. The vocal part begins with a dynamic of *p dolce*. The lyrics continue from the previous section: "ten - der watch..... for thee keep!..... Wake,..... ere the tem - pest ce - ding, heed!..... gen-tle maid..... Fear..... not the storm - cloud,". The piano accompaniment consists of eighth-note chords.



calls..... in its might,... My heart..... im - plores..... thy smile..... to - night!  
fear..... not the sea,..... — Come with the dawn,..... oh, come..... to me.....

dim.

p

Stars..... are now gleam - ing far..... o'er the sea,..... Na - - ture is

accento forte.

dream - ing, dear..... one, of thee:..... For thee my soul is sigh - - ing!

dim.

f agitato

a tempo

Love, with light un - dy - ing, Is wait-ing, my dearest, to sail o'er the billow, my

f agitato

ril.

heart be thy pil - low, So haste in thy beau-ty to me: Haste to me,  
*a tempo*

*colla voce*

allarg.

*p a tempo*

fond one, hasty o-ver the waves of the ra-di-ant sea, love, with

*rit.*

*poco meno mosso*

me.... Love wait - eth for thee!

*a tempo*

*p poco meno mosso*

*f marcato*

Come sail o-ver the waves of the beau-ti-ful sea, love, with

*marcato*

me! me!

*rit.* D.C.

*rit.*

*mp*

*p*