

"I Am A Bard (For A' That)"

from the opera "The Jolly Beggars"

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Moderato ♩=90

Soprano *mf*
I am a Bard of no re-
Great love I bear to a' the

Alto *mf*
I am a Bard of no re-
Great love I bear to a' the

Baritone *mf*
I am a Bard of no re-
Great love I bear to a' the

Piano *mf* *mf*

13 *p* *mp*
S. gard, Wi' gen-tle folks an a' that___ But Ho-mer-like the glow-rin byke, Frae town to town I
fair, their hum-ble slave an a' that___ But lord-ly will, I hold it reams A mor-tal sin to

p *mp*
A. gard, Wi' gen-tle folks an a' that___ But Ho-mer-like the glow-rin byke, Frae town to town I
fair, their hum-ble slave an a' that___ But lord-ly will, I hold it reams A mor-tal sin to

p *mp*
Bar. gard, Wi' gen-tle folks an a' that___ But Ho-mer-like the glow-rin byke, Frae town to town I
fair, their hum-ble slave an a' that___ But lord-ly will, I hold it still A mor-tal sin to

Pno. *p* *mp*



25

S. *f* *rall.* *p* *A tempo*
 draw that. For a' that, an 'a that, An twice as mu-ckle's a' that, I've
 thraw that

A.
 draw that. For a' that, an 'a that, An twice as mu-ckle's a' that, I've
 thraw that

Bar.
 draw that. For a' that, an 'a that, An twice as mu-ckle's a' that, I've
 thraw that

Pno. *f* *p*

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S. *p* 1.2. 3.
 lost but ane, I've twa be-hin', I've wife e-nough for a' that

A. *p*
 lost but ane, I've twa be-hin', I've wife e-nough for a' that

Bar. *p*
 lost but ane, I've twa be-hin', I've wife e-nough for a' that

Pno. *p* *pp*

39 A Capella

S. In rap-turesweet this hour we meet, Wi mu-tual love an a' that;— But for how lang the

A. In rap-turesweet this hour we meet, Wi mu-tual love an a' that;— But for how lang the

Bar. In rap-turesweet this hour we meet, Wi mu-tual love an a' that;— But for how lang the

piano for rehearsal only

Pno.

51

S. flie may stang, Let in-cli - na-tion law that! For a' that, an 'a that, An twice as mu-ckle's

A. flie may stang, Let in-cli - na-tion law that! For a' that, an 'a that, An twice as mu-ckle's

Bar. flie may stang, Let in-cli - na-tion law that! For a' that, an 'a that, An twice as mu-ckle's

Pno.

60

S. *p* a' that, I've lost but ane, I've twa be-hin', I've wife e-nough for a' that *p*

A. *p* a' that, I've lost but ane, I've twa be-hin', I've wife e-nough for a' that *p*

Bar. *p* a' that, I've lost but ane, I've twa be-hin', I've wife e-nough for a' that *p*

Pno. *p* *p*

66

S. I've lost but ane, I've twa be - hin', I've wife e-nough for a' that *mf* *p*

A. I've lost but ane, I've twa be - hin', I've wife e-nough for a' that *mf* *p*

Bar. I've lost but ane, I've twa be - hin', I've wife e-nough for a' that *mf* *p*

Pno. *mf* *p* *pp*