

VII. The Sick Rose

William Blake

John Sykes

Andante sostenuto *mezza voce*

Voice

O Rose, thou art sick; The in-

Andante sostenuto
mp

Piano

4

Voice

vis-i-ble worm that flies in the night in the howl-ing storm Has

Pno.

sfz *sfz* *dim.*

7

Voice

found out thy bed of crim-son joy;— And his dark sec-ret

Pno.

mp *mf* *f* *mf*

10 **allarg.** *f* *cresc.* **ff** **a tempo**

Voice

love does thy life de - stroy.

allarg. *f* *mf cresc.* *colla parte* **a tempo** *f*

Pno.

Ped. > *

13 **rit. e smorz.**

Voice

rit. e smorz.

Pno.

fff *mf* *mp* *dim.* *p* *ppp*