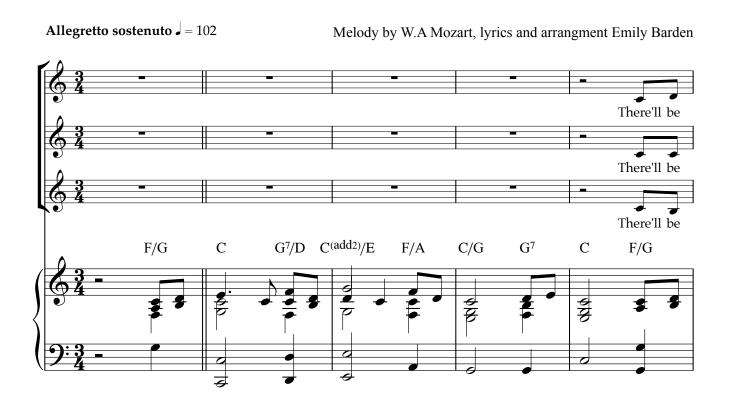
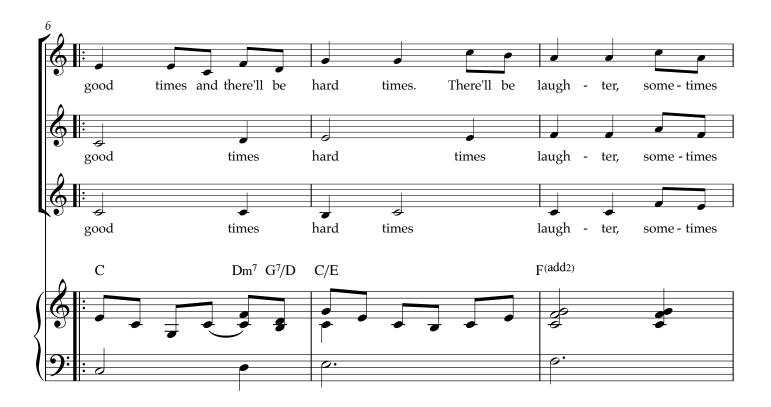
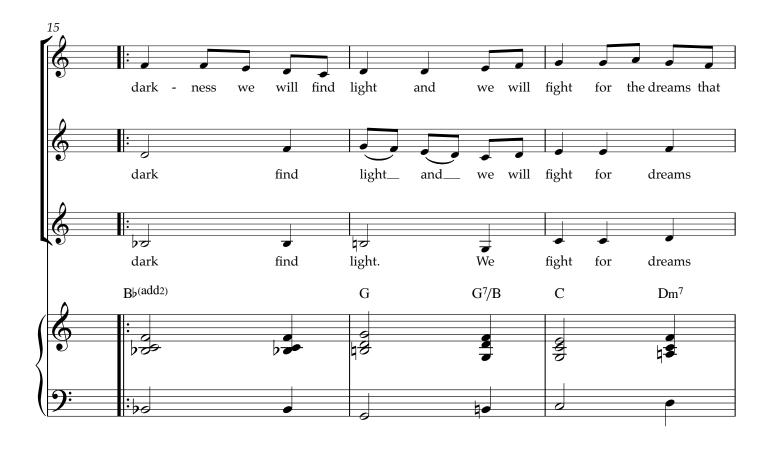
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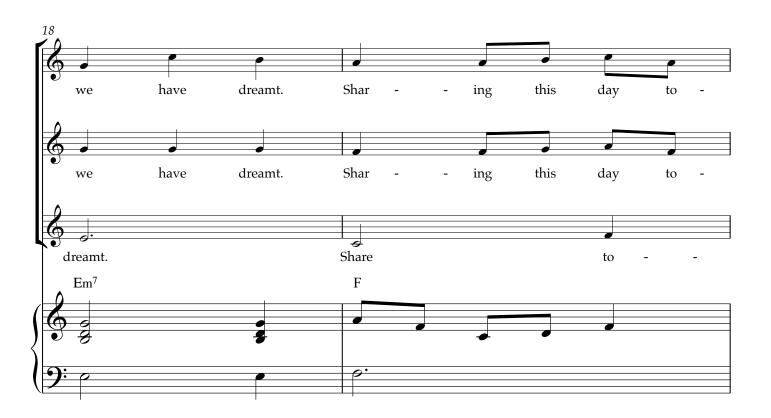
Tune: Michael Turner's Waltz

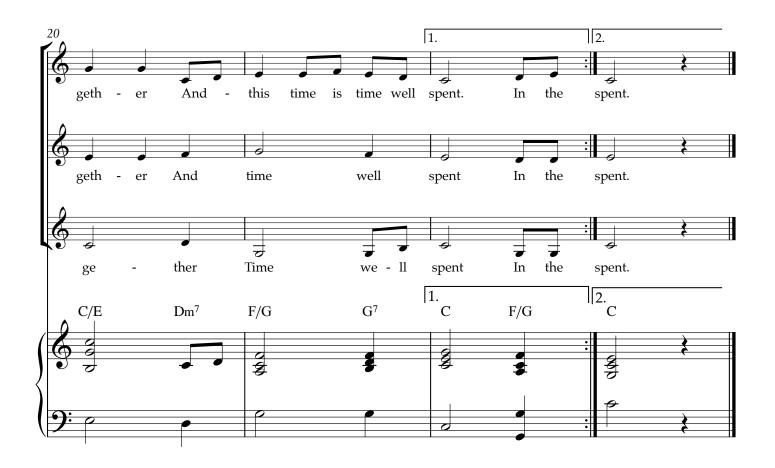












Michael Turner, 1796 - 1885, was clerk and sexton of the Parish of Warnham from 1830 to 1880. He compiled his tune books (which contained some religious music) between 1842 and 1852.

In the 1982 edition of "A Sussex Tune Book" by Anne Loughran & Vic Gammon, which is Micheal Turner's collection of secular music (and which is the main source for the information in this posting), the Waltz here is number 105 and is untitled.

This tune was in fact composed in 1788 by Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart (KV 536, No. 2, 'Six German Dances') Waltz in G.

It is not clear how it came to be ascribed to Michael Turner (1796-1885) of Warnham, Sussex.

He was a fiddler, shoemaker, parish clerk and sexton. As well as playing for dances, he led the Warnham church band until 1847, when the it was replaced by an organ.