

## Exultation

### No. 3 of *Sea Pieces*

words by Emily Dickinson

music by Sheena Phillips

Performance recommendation: begin with bars 1 - 17 sung by S1 only, then return to the start and sing in three parts

**Moderato**  $\text{d} = \text{c. } 96$  in ecstatic bursts of energy - with generous pauses **rit.**

**Soprano (S)** *mf*

Ex - ul - ta - tion is the go - ing Of an in - land soul to sea,

**Soprano (S)** *mp cresc.* *p leggiero*

Ex - ul - ta - tion of a soul to sea,

**Alto (A)** *mp cresc.* *p leggiero*

Ex - ul - ta - tion of a soul to sea,

**a tempo** **rit.**

**5**

Past the hous - es - past the head-lands - In - to deep E - ter - ni - ty -

**Soprano (S)** *mp cresc.* *p*

Ex - ul - ta - tion - - - - - deep E - ter - ni - ty

**Soprano (S)** *mp cresc.* *p*

Ex - ul - ta - tion - - - - - deep E - ter - ni - ty

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**a tempo**

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*rit.*

Bred as we, a - mong the moun-tains, Can the sail - or un - der-stand

*mp cresc.*

*p*

Ex - ul - - ta - - tion - - - can he un - der-stand

*mp cresc.*

*p*

Ex - ul - - ta - - tion - - - can he un - der-stand

**a tempo**

*rit.*

13

The di - vine in - tox - i - ca - tion Of the first league out from land?

*mp cresc.*

*f*

Ex - ul - - ta - - tion - - - first league out from land?

*mp cresc.*

*f*

Ex - ul - - ta - - tion - - - first league out from land?

**a tempo sempre con brio ma leggiero**

18

*mf*

Ex - ul - ta - tion is the go - ing Of an in - land soul to sea,

*mf*

Ex - ul - ta - tion is the go - ing Of an in - land soul to sea,

*mf*

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Ex - ul - ta - tion!

Ex - ul - ta - tion! \_\_\_\_\_

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Poco rit.

Past the houses - past the head-lands - In - to deep E - ter - ni - ty - ,  
Past the houses - past the head-lands - In - to deep E - ter - ni - ty - ,  
Ex - ul - - ta - tion! Ex - ul - ta - tion!

26 a tempo

Bred as we, a - mong the mount-ains, Can the sail - or un - der-stand  
Bred as we, a - mong the mount-ains, Can the sail - or un - der-stand  
Ex - ul - - ta - tion! Ex - ul - ta - tion!

rit.

30 f

The di - vine in - tox - i - ca - tion Of the first league out from land?  
The di - vine in - tox - i - ca - tion Of the first league out from land?  
Ex - ul - - ta - tion! Of the first league out from Land!