

The Lobster Quadrille

from Alice in Wonderland

for Flute, Mezzo Soprano, Baritone and Piano

Lewis Carroll

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Recitativ drammatico (♩ = 60) Calmo misterioso (♩ = 60)

Flute

Mezzo-Soprano

Baritone

Piano

f *Theatricly spoken: address the audience!*

You may not have lived much un - der the sea...

mf

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3

p

spoken (free rhythm)

so you can have no i - dea...

p legato sempre

con ped.

5 *mf* what a de-light - ful thing... *a*

7 *Misurato* (♩ = 120) *mf* Lob-ster Qua-drille is! You first form in-to a line, *(authoritative)*

Misurato (♩ = 120) *8vb*

10 *f* (enthusiastically) Two lines, two lines! *mf* a line a - long the sea-shore...

29

Lively but not too fast (♩=120)

Come, let's try the first figure! We can do without
Ve-ry much in-deed!

34

looks disappointed and puts fork and knife away
lob-sters, you know.

41

"Will you walk a little faster?"
said a whiting to a