

Rat einer Alten. The old woman's advice.

(Orig. E-moll.)

Gemessen.

demessen.

Bin jung ge - we - sen,
I too was young once,
kann auch mit
and speak with

41. { *f kurz* *mf*

A musical score for piano and voice. The top staff is for the voice, starting with a treble clef, a key signature of one flat, and a common time signature. The lyrics are: "re - den, und alt ge - wor - den, drum gilt mein Wort. knowledge, now am I ag - èd, thus heark-en well." The bottom staff is for the piano, showing two staves of bass clef, one flat key signature, and common time. The music consists of eighth and sixteenth note patterns. Measure 12 begins with a dynamic marking *f*.

Lebhaft.

Leonhart.

Schön rei - fe Bee - ren am Bäum - chen han - - gen:
Lus-cious ripe *ber - ries* *now on the tree* *hang:*

sf *sf*

pp

wis - sen den Weg.
o - ther ways in.

Etwas langsamer.

A - ber mein Dirn - chen, du lass dir ra - - ten: hal - te dein
But thou, my maid - en, let me ad - vise thee: keep thou thy

pp *cresc.*

Schätz - chen wohl in der Lie - - be, wohl in Re - spekt!
lov - - er ev - er de - vot - ed, filled with res - pect!

pp *f*

poco rit.

Mit den zwei Fäd-lein, in eins ge - - dre - het,
If these two threadsthou to - - geth - er 'twin - est,

pp *poco rit.*

a tempo

ziehst du am klei - nen Fin - ger ihn nach.
to thee for ev - er - more hell be bound.

p

Auf - rich - tig Her - - ze, doch schweigen
Learn when to speak and when to be

p rit.

a tempo f

kön - nen, früh mit der Son - - ne mu - tig zur Ar - - beit,
sil - ent, with the sun ris - - ing do thy work glad - - ly,

mf

ge - sun - de Gli - - der, sau - be - re Lin - - nen,
thy limbs keep heal - - thy, spot - less thy lin - - en,

p pp rit.

a tempo

das ma - chet Mäd - chen und Weib - chen wert,
hon - ored as maid and wife then wilt be,
das ma - chet hon - ored as

Mäd - chen und Weib - chen wert.
maid - en and wife thou'l be.

Wie zu Anfang.

Bin jung ge - - we - - sen, kann auch mit re - den, und alt ge -
I too was young once, and speak with knowledge, now am I

mf

wor - - den, drum gilt mein Wort.
ag - - ed, thus heark-en well.

f

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