

## Benjamin Britten



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### VOCAL

#### The Birds

1929, rev.1934

2 min

for voice and piano

9790060013980 Voice, Piano

Availability: This work is available from Boosey & Hawkes for the world

9790060092121 Unison

#### Canticle I "My Beloved is Mine" op. 40

1947

7 min

for high voice and piano

9790060014079 High Voice, Piano

Availability: This work is available from Boosey & Hawkes for the world

#### Canticle II "Abraham and Isaac" op. 51

1952

17 min

for alto, tenor and piano

9790060014086 Voice, Piano

Availability: This work is available from Boosey & Hawkes for the world

#### A Charm of Lullabies op. 41

1947

12 min

for mezzo-soprano and piano

9790060014130 Medium Voice, Piano

World premiere complete: 06 Aug 2018

Cadogan Hall, London, United Kingdom

Sarah Connolly, mezzo-soprano; Joseph Middleton, piano

Availability: This work is available from Boosey & Hawkes for the world

#### Complete Folksong Arrangements

for voice and piano

9790051933747 Voice, Piano

9790051933754 Voice, Piano

#### Dialogue of Corydon and Mopsa

Henry Purcell, arranged by Benjamin Britten

1950

3 min 30 sec

for two voices and piano

9790060114342 2 Voices, Piano

9790051933761 Voice, Piano

9790051933778 Voice, Piano

#### Evening, Morning, Night

1944

4 min

from 'This Way to the Tomb' for medium voice and harp or piano

9790060080807 Medium Voice, Piano

Availability: This work is available from Boosey & Hawkes for the world

#### Fancie

1961

1 min

for unison voices and piano

9790060014239 Unison

Availability: This work is available from Boosey & Hawkes for the world

#### Fish in the Unruffled Lakes

1937

Six Settings of W.H.Auden for high voice and piano

9790060102677 High Voice, Piano

Availability: This work is available from Boosey & Hawkes for the world

**Folksong Arrangements Volume 1****British Isles**

for voice and piano

9790060014307 **Medium Voice, Piano**

9790060014314 **High Voice, Piano**

**Folksong Arrangements Volume 2****France**

for voice and piano

9790060014321 **Medium Voice, Piano (French, English)**

9790060014338 **High Voice, Piano (French, English)**

**Folksong Arrangements Volume 3****British Isles**

for voice and piano

9790060014345 **Medium Voice, Piano**

9790060014352 **High Voice, Piano**

**Folksong Arrangements Volume 4****Moore's Irish Melodies**

for voice and piano

9790060014369 **Voice, Piano**

Availability: This work is available from Boosey & Hawkes for the world

**Folksong Arrangements Volume 5****British Isles**

for voice and piano

9790060014376 **Voice, Piano**

Availability: This work is available from Boosey & Hawkes for the world

**Folksong Arrangements Volume 6****England**

13 min

for voice and guitar

9790060014383 **High Voice, Guitar**

Availability: This work is available from Boosey & Hawkes for the world

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**The Holy Sonnets of John Donne op. 35**

**1945**

26 min

for high voice and piano

9790060014475 **High Voice, Piano**

Availability: This work is available from Boosey & Hawkes for the world

**In these delightful pleasant groves**

Henry Purcell, arranged by Benjamin Britten

**1968**

3 min

for SATB (choir or soli) and piano

9790060114335 **SATB**

Availability: This work is available from Boosey & Hawkes for the world

**Mother Comfort**

**1936**

2 min 30 sec

for two voices and piano

9790060020018 **Voice, Piano**

Availability: This work is available from Boosey & Hawkes for the world

**On this Island op. 11**

**1937**

13 min

five songs for high voice and piano

9790060014888 **High Voice, Piano**

Availability: This work is available from Boosey & Hawkes for the world

**The Rape of Lucretia****Flower Song**

**1946**

3 min

for contralto and piano

9790060014284 **Voice, Piano**

Availability: This work is available from Boosey & Hawkes for the world

**Sechs Hölderlin-Fragmente op. 61**

**1958**

12 min

9790060015212 **High Voice, Piano (German)**

Availability: This work is available from Boosey & Hawkes for the world

VOCAL 2

### Seven Sonnets of Michelangelo

Benjamin Britten, arranged by Colin Matthews

1940, arr.2016-17

15 min 50 sec

for tenor and orchestra

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**World premiere of version: 08 Jun 2018**

Maltings Concert Hall, Aldeburgh, United Kingdom

Robert Murray, tenor; BBC Scottish Symphony Orchestra

Conductor: John Wilson

Availability: This work is available from Boosey & Hawkes for the world

### Seven Sonnets of Michelangelo op. 22

1940

15 min 50 sec

for tenor and piano

9790060015243 **Voice, Piano**

**World premiere of version: 14 Mar 2010**

St John's, Smith Square, London, United Kingdom

Sir John Tomlinson, bass; David Owen Norris

Availability: This work is available from Boosey & Hawkes for the world

### Songs from the Chinese op. 58

1957

10 min

for high voice and guitar

9790060015311 **Voice, Guitar**

Availability: This work is available from Boosey & Hawkes for the world

### Tom Bowling and Other Song Arrangements

28 min

for voice and piano (2 songs for 2 voices and piano, 1 for voice, piano & cello ad lib)

Availability: This work is available from Boosey & Hawkes for the world

### Two Songs by Thomas Hardy

1953

5 min 30 sec

for high voice and piano

1. If it's ever Spring again

2. The Children and Sir Nameless

(These settings were discarded from the final version of 'Winter Words')

These songs are now published as an appendix to <a

href="/shop/prod/Britten-Benjamin-Winter-Words-Op52-Vocal-Album-for-High-Voice-Pia

no/604527"> <b>Winter Words</b></a>, ISMN 9790060015601

They are published of course to be enjoyed, but as individual songs. In no circumstances should they form part of the cycle itself, which has its own established integrity.

**World Premiere: 22 Nov 1983**

Wigmore Hall, London, United Kingdom

Neil Mackie, tenor; Iain Burnside, piano

Availability: This work is available from Boosey & Hawkes for the world

### Underneath the Abject Willow

1936

3 min 30 sec

for two voices and piano

9790060115547 **Voice, Piano**

Availability: This work is available from Boosey & Hawkes for the world

### War Requiem

**Agnus Dei**

Benjamin Britten, arranged by Philip Brunelle

1961, arr.1989

4 min

for solo tenor, SATB chorus and organ

9790060086083 **Tenor, SATB, Organ**

Availability: This work is available from Boosey & Hawkes for the world

### Winter Words op. 52

1953

19 min 30 sec

for high voice and piano

high voice, piano

9790060015601 **High Voice, Piano**

Availability: This work is available from Boosey & Hawkes for the world