

for Joanna Percy and Hannah Baker, SongFest 2023

Stars

for Voice and Piano

Text by Sara Teasdale
Music by Jaclyn Breeze

2023

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Alone in the night
On a dark hill
With pines around me
Spicy and still,

And a heaven full of stars
Over my head
White and topaz
And misty red;

Myriads with beating
Hearts of fire
The aeons
Cannot vex or tire;

Up the dome of heaven
Like a great hill
I watch them marching
Stately and still

And I know that I
Am honored to be
Witness
Of so much majesty.

Stars

Jaclyn Breeze (BMI)

Quiet, reflective ♩ = 62

Voice

Piano

pp *mp*

pedal generously throughout

4

p

A - lone in the night

Pno.

6

On a dark hill With pines a - round me

Pno.

Same tempo, but blooming, spinning

9 *f*

spi - cy and still, And a hea - ven full of stars Ov - er my

Pno.

11 *p*

head White and to - paz And mis - ty red;

Pno.

13 *mf*

My - ri - ads with beat - ing Hearts of fire The

Pno.