

Music for a while

"Oedipus"

Henry Purcell

Andante

Alto

p

Mu - sic

Harpichord

A.

Mu - sic for - a - while, shall all your - cares be - guile shall all, all

Hch.

A.

(cresc.) all shall all, shall all - shall all - your cares be - guile *p* won -

Hch.

A.

dring, won - dring, how your pains - were - eas'd eas'd -

Hch.

14
 A. eas'd And dis - dai - ning - to be pleas'd. Till A - lec - to, free - the -
 Hch.

17
 A. dead Till A - lec - to free - the - dead. from their - e - ter -
 Hch.

20
 A. *mp* nal, e - ter - *p* nal bands, Till the snakes drop,
 Hch. *mp*

24
 A. drop drop drop drop drop drop drop drop from her hands, and the
 Hch.

27 *p*

A. whip, and the whip - from out her - hands. Mu - sic,

Hch.

30

A. mu - sic for a while shall all your - cares be - gui - le shall all all

Hch.

33 *p*

A. all shall all all all shall all - your cares be - gui - le shall all all

Hch.

36

A. all, all all all all, shall all your - cares be guile.

Hch.