

THE RAINY DAY

Words: Henry Wadsworth Longfellow

Music: Kenneth Riggs

Moderately ♩ = 92

The day is cold, and drear - y; it rains, and the wind is nev - er wea - ry;

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dead leaves fall, and the day

dead leaves fall, and the day is

dead leaves fall, and the day is

dark, and drear - y,

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dark, and drear - y,

The vine still clings to the mould - rim wall,

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The vine still clings to the mould - rim wall,

but at ev' - ry gust, the

but at ev' - ry gust, the

but at ev' - ry gust, the

My life is cold, and dark, and dreary,

My life is cold, and dark, and dreary,

My life is cold, and dark, and dreary,

rains and the wind is nev - er wea - ry,

rains and the wind is nev - er wea - ry,

rains and the wind is nev - er wea - ry,

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thoughts still cling to the mould' - ring past.
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B♭sus⁷ Gm⁹/F⁹ A⁹
B♭sus⁷ Gm⁹/F⁹ A⁹

34

but the hopes of youth fall thick in the blast.
but the hopes of youth fall thick in the blast.
but the hopes of youth fall thick in the blast.

B⁹/Maj⁹ B⁹/A⁹ A⁹ B⁹/G⁹ B⁹/B⁹ A⁹/E⁹ A⁹/G⁹ B⁹/B⁹

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— and the day is dark and dear.
— and the day is dark and dear.
— and the day is dark and dear.
— and the day is dark and dear.

B⁹ C⁹ A⁹ E⁹ B⁹/B⁹ A⁹/G⁹ B⁹/B⁹

42

—
—
— Be still, sad heart! and
—
B⁹/B⁹ A⁹/E⁹ B⁹/B⁹ E⁹/B⁹/G⁹ B⁹/B⁹

46

mf
mf
mf
mf

be - hind the clouds is the sun still shin - ing.
be - hind the clouds is the sun still shin - ing.
cease re-pin - ing.

D⁹/C⁹ A⁹/B⁹ D⁹/A⁹ B⁹/A⁹ F⁹/G⁹

49

f
f
f
f

Thy fate's the com - mon fate of all, in - to each life some
Thy fate's the com - mon fate of all, in - to each life some
Thy fate's the com - mon fate of all, in - to each life some

A⁹ A⁹/B⁹ B⁹ A⁹

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poco rit.
poco rit.
poco rit.
poco rit.

rain must fall, Some days must be
rain must fall, Some days must be
rain must fall, Some days must be
rain must fall, Some days must be

Gus G Gus G

55

dark and drear - y.
dark and drear - y.
dark and drear - y.
dark and drear - y.

E⁹/B⁹/G⁹ E⁹/B⁹/G⁹