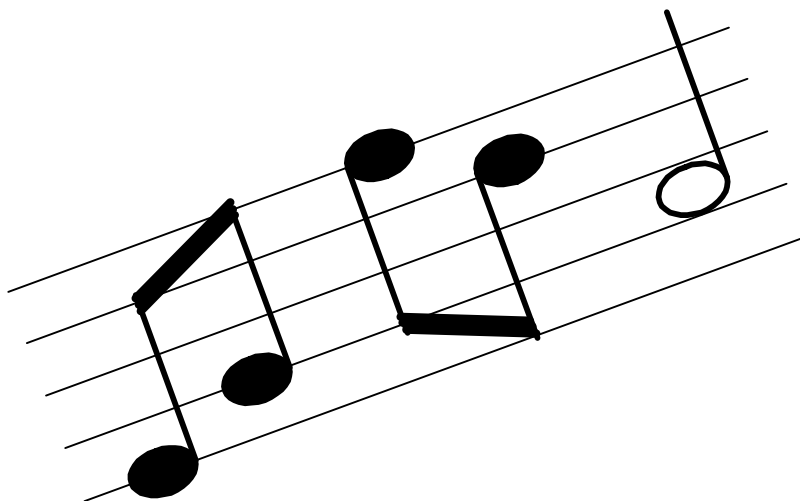


MEDIUM-HIGH VOICE

EDVARD GRIEG

THE FIRST PRIMROSE



The First Primrose

Edvard Grieg
1843-1907

Allegretto dolcissimo

p

Oh dar - ling take this rose from me, the first bud - ded rose of

p

spring - time. Don't leave it on the branch to bloom for

ma - ny more wil - low. Though sum - mer has its

charms and spells, and fall is the sea - son for play - ing, still

con 2do.

poco rit.

spring could be the best of all if you could just hear what I'm

poco rit.

pp a tempo

say - ing! For you and I should nev - er sigh and

pp a tempo

mf

dream of the love we're miss - ing. It's nev - er too soon when

mf

dim. e poco rit.

ro - ses bloom, for spring is the sea - son for kiss - ing.

dim. e poco rit.

p

Reo. *