



# THE STARS LOOKED DOWN

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## The Stars looked down

The stars looked down from out the quiet heavens,  
The roses slept beneath the evening dew,  
But in my empty world my heart was breaking  
The stars looked down upon my loneliness, – and knew.  
When day was done and all the world was sleeping,  
Through passing shadows, as the long night grew,  
Into my heart there stole a tender whisper,  
The stars looked down and brought a message, dear, from you.

The stars looked down their mystic glory shining  
And in my world a wond'rous peace was born;  
For in their gleams I felt my soul uplifted,  
And for awhile I found my loneliness was gone.  
And when at last the night was slowly passing  
Beyond the darkness to the boundless blue,  
I breathed a pray'r into the golden silence,  
The stars looked down and bore my answer back to you.

*Lillian Glanville*

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Andante

VOICE

PIANO

*mp*

The stars looked

down from out the qui-et heav - ens, — The ro-ses slept be-neath the eve-ning

dew, — But in my emp - ty world my heart was break - ing, — The stars looked

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*rit.*  
down up - on my lone - li - ness, - and knew. *a tempo* When day was

*rit. colla voce* *a tempo*

done and all the world was sleep - ing Through pass - ing sha - dows, as the long night

grew, *mp* In - to my heart there stole a ten - der whis - per

*mp*

*p* The stars looked down *rit.* and brought a mes - sage, dear, from

*rit.*

*a tempo* you. *mp* The stars looked

*a tempo*

down their mys-tic glo-ry shin - ing, — And in my world a wond'-rous peace was

born; — For in their gleams I felt my soul up - lift - ed, — And for a -

*mf*

- while I found my lone - li - ness was gone. — And when at

*mp*

*p*

last the night was slow - ly pass - ing Be - yond the

dark - ness to the bound - less blue, I breathed a

*mf* *p*

pray'r in - to the gold - en si - lence, The stars looked down

and bore my an - swer back to you.

*rit.* optional *a tempo* *rit.*