

Three Songs of Fiona McLeod

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The War Song of the Vikings

$\bullet = 100$ *ff*

Soprano
1.
loose the hounds of war the whirling swords!

Alto
ff
Let loose the hounds of war the whirling swords!

Tenor
ff
Let loose the hounds of war the whirling swords!

Bass
ff
Let loose the hounds of war the whirling swords!

Let loose the hounds of war the whirling swords!

4 *f*

S
f send them leaping a - far

A
f send them leaping a - far

T
f Send them leaping a - far.....

B
f Send them leaping a - far..

6 *ff*

S *ff* Red in their thirst for war

A *ff* Red in their thirst for war.

T *ff* Red in their thirst for war.

B *ff* Red in their thirst for war.

8 *mf*

S *mf* Odin laughs in his car ... at the scream

A *mf* Odin laughs in his car ... at the scream

T *mf* Odin laughs in his car ... at the scream

B *mf* Odin laughs in his car ... at the scream

11 *a tempo* *ff* *mf*

S ing of their swords! The

A ing of their swords! Far let the white ones fly;

T ing of their swords! Far let the white ones fly;

B ing of their swords! Far let the white ones fly;

14 *f* *mf* poco a poco cresc.

S whirl - - - ing swords! A far off the

A Far let the white ones fly; Far let the white ones fly; Far let the white ones fly;

T Far let the white ones fly; Far let the white ones fly; Far let the white ones fly;

B Far let the white ones fly; Far let the white ones fly; Far let the white ones fly;

17 *poco a poco cresc.* >

S
ravens spy Death shadows

A
Far let the white ones fly; Far let the white ones fly;

T
8 Far let the white ones fly; Far let the whits ones fly;

B
Far let the white ones fly; Far let the white ones fly;

19 > > > *ff* >

S
cloud the sky Let the wolves of the Gael die neath the

A
Far let the white ones fly; Far let the white ones fly; Far let the white ones fly;

T
8 Far let the white ones fly Far let the white ones fly; Far let the white ones fly;

B
Far let the white ones fly; Far let the white ones fly; Far let the white ones fly;

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S
scream - - - - ing swords_ - - - - - - - - -

A
Far let the white ones fly; Death shadows cloud the sky,

T
8 Far let the white ones fly, Death shadows cloud the sky,

B
Far let the white ones fly; Death shadows cloud the sky,

24 a tempo

S
(swords.....)

A
Death shadows cloud the sky Death shadows cloud the sky.

T
8 Death shadows cloud the sky Death shadows cloud the sky.

B
Death shadows cloud the sky Death shadows cloud the sky.

26 *f*

S The shining ones yon - der high in Val - halla shout

A The shining ones yon - der high in Val halla shout

T 8 The shining ones yon - der high in Val halla shout

B The shining - ones yon - der high in Val - halla shout

30 *ff* *accel.*

S now shout now with thunder ... Drive the Gaels under! Cleave them a - *accel.*

A now shout now with thunder... Drive the Gaels under! Cleave them a - *accel.*

T 8 now shout now with thunder... Drive the Gaels under! Cleave them a - *accel.*

B now shout now with thunder Drive the Gaels under! Cleave them a -

33 *ff* accel. *ff*

S *ff* sunder accel. Swords of Val - halla Val -

A *ff* sunder accel. Swords of Val - halla Val -

T *ff* sunder accel. Swords of Val - halla Val -

B *ff* sunder! accel. Swords of Val - halla Val -

asunder Swords of Val - halla Val

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S halla Val halla Val halla.....!

A halla Val - halla Val - halla.....!

T halla Val halla Val - halla.....!

B halla Val - halla Val halla.....!