



FIVE SHAKESPEARE SONGS

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TAKE, O TAKE THOSE LIPS AWAY

BEVERLY LEWIS

SSA a cappella

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# III. Take, O Take Those Lips Away

William Shakespeare (1564-1616)

Beverly Lewis

*Measure for Measure, IV., i.*

♩ = 76

*mf*

Soprano 1  
Take, O take those lips a way, That so sweet - ly were for-sworn;

*mf*

Soprano 2  
Take, take, Take those lips a - way.

*mf*

Alto  
Take, O take those lips a - way, Take those lips *div.*

5

S1  
And those eyes, the of day, Lights that do mis-lead the morn:

S2  
And those eyes, the break of day, Lights mis - lead morn.

*unis.*

A  
a - - - way, Those eyes, *div.*

9

*mp*

S1  
But my kiss - es bring a - gain, bring a - gain,

*mp*

S2  
But my kiss - es bring a - gain, Bring a - gain,

*mp*

A  
bring, bring a - gain,

III. Take, O Take Those Lips Away

13 *cresc.*

S1 Seeds of love, but seal'd in vain, — seal'd in — vain. O take those

S2 Seal'd in vain, seal'd in — vain.

A Seal'd in vain, seal'd in vain, seal'd — in — vain. Take those —

*unis. cresc.*

17 *f*

S1 lips a - way, — That so sweet - ly were for sworn. And those eyes, — the

S2 Take, — take — those lips a - way. And those — eyes, the

A lips a - way, take those lips a - way. Those

*f* *div. unis.*

21 *mp*

S1 break of — day, Lights that do mis - lead the morn: But my kiss - es

S2 break of — day, Lights mis - lead — morn. — But my kiss - es

A eyes, — Those — eyes, —

*mp* *mp*