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# A Star Is Dancing


for SAB voices and piano

Bliss Carman, 1891–1929  
adapt. MS

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Andante (♩ = 80)

Piano



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Soprano *p*  
A - bove the wea - ry, wait - ing world, a -

Alto *p*  
Hm, \_\_\_\_\_

Baritone *p*  
Hm, \_\_\_\_\_



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sleep, a-sleep in cold de - spair, there breaks a sound of

hm. There breaks a sound, a sound of

hm. There breaks a sound, a sound of

*mp*

*mp*

*mp*

*mp*

10

joy - ous bells, up - on the frost - ed air.

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*p*

*p*

*p*

*p*

13

*mp* Oo, Oo, *mp* *mp* And o'er the hum-blest roof-tops,

16

oo. oo. *mf* *mf* What lo, a star is danc-ing on the snow, what

19 *mf*

What makes the yel - low star to dance up - on the brink of \_  
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 makes the yel - low star to dance up - on the brink of

*mf*

**Poco più mosso**

22 *mp* *mf*

night? What makes the break-ing dawn to glow, \_\_\_  
 night? What makes the break-ing dawn to glow, \_\_\_  
 night? What makes the break-ing dawn to glow, \_\_\_

*mp* *mf*

**Poco più mosso**