THE WHITE GOOSE

Letěla bílá hus

Variations on a Moravian folk song

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Andante, rubato (♩=ca 76)

sosten.

S1 — *f* — Hey, hey, hey, see the snow-y white

S2 — *f* — Hey, hey, see the snow - y goose, hey, snow - y white

CHORUS

A1 — *f* — Hey, hey, see the snow - y goose, snow - y white

A2 — *f* — Hey, see the snow - y white goose,

a tempo (non rubato) — *pp* — Hey, hey, hey, hey, hey, hey!

S1 S2 — (hum) (hum) — *pp*

SOLI (echo)

A — *pp* — Hey, hey, hey, hey, hey, hey!

CHORUS — *pp* — goose, goose, goose, goose,

p — fly - ing swift-ly o'er the

p — fly - ing swift-ly o'er the

f — fly - - - - - - ing o'er the

f — fly - ing swift-ly o'er the

Oj, oj, hus, letěla bílá, letěla bí-lá, le-tě-la, letěla bí-lá, hus, oj, oj, oj

hey, hey, hey, hey, hey, hey,

pp

(hum) (hum)

pp

hey, hey, hey, hey, hey, hey,

oj, oj, oj, oj, oj, oj — — —

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val - - - - - ley,

Vá - ha,

val - - - - - ley,

p

Hey,

oj,

val - - - - - ley,

p

Hey,

Vá - ha,

Oj,

val - - - - - ley,

p

Hey,

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p molto

ask - - - - - - - - - - king of the hand-some lad,

a ptala sa synečka,

3

sub.p sosten.

Where, oh where,

oj, kde sú

sub.p

ask-ing of the hand-some lad,

a ptala sa syneč - ka,

Where, oh where

sub.p

ask-ing of the hand-some lad,

a ptala sa syneč - ka,

Where, oh where

sub.p

oj, kde sú

ask-ing of the hand-some lad,

Where, oh where

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mf

I will sit u - pon my steed,

na koníčka sednu si

3

sub.p sosten.

And will ride

sub.p

a na nem

I will sit u - pon my steed,

na koníčka sednu si,

And will ride

sub.p

I will sit u - pon my steed,

na koníčka sednu si,

And a will ride

sub.p

na nem

I will sit u - pon my steed,

And will ride

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a tempo

mf

to my new love.

sa za - to - - čím. - -

Oj Hey,

mf

to my new love.

mf

to my new love.

sa za - to - - - čím. - -

mf

to my new love.

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f

hey, hey, hey!

oj, oj, oj. - - -

f

Hey, hey, hey!

f

Hey, hey, hey!

f

43 *a tempo*

Hey, hey, hey, hey, hey, hey,

(hum)

Hey, hey, hey, hey, hey, hey,

love, mam, Sor - row will not o - ver - ale já do ní ne -

love, mam Sor - row will not o - ver -

love, mam. will not o - ver - já do ní ne -

Sor - row will not o - ver - ale já do ní ne -

Hey, hey, hey, hey, hey, hey,

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(hum)

tacet al fine

Hey, hey, hey, hey, hey, hey,

come me, sko - čím,

come me,

Hey, Oj

come me, Hey,

sko - čím, Oj

come me. Hey

15 *Più mosso*

is my clear pool. Oy, Oj,

is my clear pool. Oy, Oj,

is my clear pool. Oy, Oj,

is my clear pool.

napa - jed - la.

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where is my clear pool, (hum) (hum)

where is my clear pool, (hum) (hum)

where is my clear pool, (hum) (hum)

oy, (hum) Oj, (hum)

le - tí bí - lá hus,

22 *agitato*

Where is my pool, oy, where is my clear

Where is my pool, oy, where is my clear

Where is my pool, oy, where is my clear

oy, oy, oy, oy, where is my clear

Oj, le - tí hus Oj, le - tí bí - lá

Oj, Oj, Oj, le - tí bí - lá

ROBERTON

25 sosten. mf

pool, see the snow-y white goose,
hus, mf letí bílá hus

pool, see the snow-y white goose,

pool, see the snow-y white goose,
hus, mf letí bílá hus p

hus, pool, oy, oj, oy, see the snow-y white goose, oy, oj

28 p pp Tempo I

see the snow-y white goose.
p letí bílá hus pp

see the snow-y white goose. Hey,
p pp oj,

see the snow-y white goose. Hey, oj,
letí bílá hus, pp

see the snow-y white goose.

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Hey, Hey, oj, winds a sil - ver
mf Na pajedla tam sú, kde sa voda

Far a - cross the mea - - - - - - - dow, Hey, Hey, winds a sil - ver
oj,

mf Far a - cross the mea - - - - - - - dow, Winds kde a sil - ver
mf na pajedla tam sú, kde sa voda

Far a - cross the mea - - - - - - - dow, Hey, winds a sil - ver

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ri - - - - - - - ver, He who has no true sweet - heart, weeps
to - - čí, a kdo nemá ga - lán - ky oj,

ri - - - - - - - ver, He who has no true sweet - - - - heart,

ri - - - - - - - ver, He who has no true sweet - - - - heart,
to - - čí, a kdo nemá galán - ky

ri - - - - - - - ver, He who has no true sweet - - - - heart,
a kdo nemá galán - ky

37 sosten. accel.

p be - side wa - - ter so deep. Hey,
at tam do ní sko - - čí. oj,

p weeps be - - side wa - - ter so deep. Hey,

p weeps be - - side wa - - ter so deep. Hey,
oj, at tam do ní sko - - čí. oj,

weeps be - - side wa - - ter so deep. Hey,

40 f ritard.

hey, though I have, hey, though I have no true
oj, já ne - mám, oj, já galánky ne

f hey, though have no love hey, no true
já ga - lán - ky ne - mám oj, já ne -

f hey, though I have no love, no true
já ga - lán - ky ne - mám, já ne -

f hey, hey, hey, I have no true love,
já galánky ne - - mám.