

# 55. Irish Air

## Balinamona ora

Koželuch  
Thomson 4th Set (1799), 100

Vivace

Violin

Voice

Piano

Violoncello

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beau-ty's a-larms, The slen-der bit beau-ty you grasp in your arms; O gi'e me the lass that has

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a-cres o' charms. O gi'e me the lass wi' the weel-stock-it farms... Then hey for a lass wi' a

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to-cher, Then hey for a lass wi' a to-cher. Then hey for a lass wi' a to-cher, The

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nice yel - low gui-neas for me.

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***AWA' WI' YOUR WITCHCRAFT O' BEAUTY'S ALARMS.***

WRITTEN FOR THIS WORK

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IRISH AIR. - BALINAMONA ORA.

Awa' wi' your witchcraft o' beauty's alarms,  
 The slender bit beauty you grasp in your arms;  
 O gi'e me the lass that has acres o' charms,  
 O gi'e me the lass wi' the weel-stockit farms.  
 Then hey for a lass wi' a tocher,  
 Then hey for a lass wi' a tocher,  
 Then hey for a lass wi' a tocher,  
 The nice yellow guineas for me.

Your beauty's a flower, in the morning that blows,  
 And withers the faster, the faster it grows;  
 But the rapturous charm o' the bonie green knowes,  
 Ilk spring they're new deckit wi' bonie white yewes.  
 Then hey for a lass wi' a tocher,  
 Then hey for a lass wi' a tocher,  
 Then hey for a lass wi' a tocher,  
 The nice yellow guineas for me.

And e'en when this beauty your bosom has blest,  
 The brightest o' beauty may cloy, when possess;  
 But the sweet yellow darlings wi' Geordie imprest,  
 The langer ye ha'e them, the mair they're carest.  
 Then hey for a lass wi' a tocher,  
 Then hey for a lass wi' a tocher,  
 Then hey for a lass wi' a tocher,  
 The nice yellow guineas for me.