

Polly and I

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Allegretto

The piano introduction consists of two staves. The right hand plays a series of chords and eighth notes in a 6/8 time signature, while the left hand provides a simple harmonic accompaniment with chords and single notes.

Pol-ly and I were sweethearts, As all the neighbours know; Pol-ly and I were sweethearts

The vocal line is written in a treble clef with a key signature of two flats (B-flat and E-flat). The piano accompaniment is in a grand staff. The lyrics are placed below the vocal line.

Rather quicker

twenty years a - go. Pol-ly was made of dim - ples, So winsome and wee and
Oh it was rare on Sun - days, With Pol - ly up - on my

The tempo marking *Rather quicker* is placed above the vocal line. The music continues with a key change to one flat (F major). The lyrics are placed below the vocal line.

fair, And if ev - er you miss'd a sun - beam, You'd find it in Pol - ly's hair; And her
arm, To stroll thro' the Cas - tle mea - dows, And'round by the dai - ry farm; To

The vocal line continues with the lyrics. The piano accompaniment provides a steady accompaniment. The lyrics are placed below the vocal line.

eyes had something in them She never knew how to say, And I look'd at my sweet lit - tle
talk of the house I'd fur - nish, And the ring I'd have to give, And the love that we'd bear for each

ral - len - tan - do
Polly Till she look'd my heart a - way. Till she look'd my heart a - way.
other So - long as we both should live, So long as we both should live.

Tempo I
Pol-ly and I were sweethearts, As all the neighbours know; Pol-ly and I were sweethearts

twenty years a - go.

Slowly *rall.*

Pol - ly grew pale and wea - ry; The ros - es paled on her cheek; She

droop'd like an A - pril prim - rose, When the wind blew cold and bleak. I

Religioso

pray'd to our Fa - ther in Heav'n And our Fa - ther

Slowly

kept me brave; Yes That's what I want with the

rall.

cow - slips To lay them on Pol - ly's grave. To lay them on Pol - ly's

rall.

pp Slowly and sadly

grave. Pol - ly and I were sweet - hearts, As all the neighbours

pp

f rall.

know; ——— Pol - ly and I were sweet hearts, Twen - ty years a -

f rall.

go. ———

a tempo e accel.