

Amy Lowell (1874 - 1925)

*for Julia Bokunewicz*

# PETALS

Nicholas Fagnilli (1997)

**Grave, Tranquilo**

Soprano Solo

Clarinet in B♭

Piano

**Grave, Tranquilo**

**p like wind chimes**

**Lento.**

4

6 5

6 5

**p — mf — p**

6 5

**\***

**Lento.**

2

6

Life is a stream

*mp*

8

on which we strew

*mp*

\*

*R&d.*

11

*mp*

pet-al by pet-al the flow-er of our heart

*p*

\*

**J = 65**

3

14

17

*mf*

The end lost in dream

*mp*

19

*f*

in dream They float past our view

*mf*

*f* *mf*

21

*mf* 3

we on - ly watch\_ their glad ear - ly start\_

3

\* Ped.

3

24

freight - - ed with

*fp*

*f*

*mf*

Ped.

26

hope \_\_\_\_ Crim - soned with joy

*ff*

*f*

*mf*

*<f*

*mp*

*ff*

\* Ped. \_\_\_\_ \*

*ff*

*ff*

29

with joy \_\_\_\_

*ff*

*ff*

Ped.

*ff*

*ff*

31 
  
 We scatter the leaves  
 of our

f 
  
 mf 
  
 p 
  
 mf

33 
  
 op - 'ning rose 
  
 Their wide - ning 
  
 \* Ped.

36 
  
 scope 
  
 f 
  
 , 
  
 mp 
  
 \* Ped.

6 39 *mf*

Their dis-tant em- ploy we shall nev - er know

\*

43

*ReD.*

45

And the stream

\*

46

*mf*

as it flows,

7  
**6**  
4

5                    6

*ff*

47

*ff*

sweeps \_\_\_\_\_ them \_\_\_\_\_ a - - -

*mf*

3

*ff*

3

*mp*

*Reo.*

48

- way \_\_\_\_\_

*mp*

*p*

*p*

\*

*Reo.*

52

Each one is gone

56

ever be - yond. in - to

59

in - fin - ite ways. spoken We alone stay...

Ped.

while years hurry on...

the flower-fared North...

9

62

88

88

64

**p**

3

Though its frag- rance still stays.

still stays

still stays

**pp**

\*

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