

TO
Miss Mary E. Hall.

THE
Stream of Life

Ballad

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p

dim: *dim:*

I. VER: Oh silvery stream - - let of the fields That flowest full and

p *mf*

free For thee the rains of Spring re - turn The summer

p *mf* *f rit:* *f colla parte.*

dim: *dim:*

dews for thee, for thee; And when thy la - - - test blossoms

dim: *f* *dim:*

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die, In Autumn's chil - - - ly showers The Win-ter

foun - - - tains gush for thee Till May brings back brings back the

flowers The Win-ter foun - - - tains gush for thee Till May brings

back brings back the flowers.

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2. VER: Oh stream of life the vio-let

springs But once be - neath thy bed; But one brief

Sum - - - mer on thy path The dews of heaven are shed are

shed; Thy parent foun - - - tains shrink a - way And close their

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f *dim:* *P*

crys - - - tal views And where thy glitt' - - ring cur-rent

f *dim:* *P* *f* *P*

dim:e rit:

flowed..... Thy dust a - lone..... a-lone re-mains, And where thy

cres: *dim:e rit:*

f *rit:*

glitt - - ring current flowed.... Thy dust a - lone.... a-lone re-mains.

f *f*

p dim:

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