

Portland Peace  
Choir

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## The Seal Lullaby

Music by Eric Whitacre  
Words from "The White Seal" by Rudyard Kipling

Simply, with a little rubato ♩ = 66

SOPRANO

ALTO

TENOR

BASS

PIANO

*p* *mf*

Ooh, ooh, ooh,

*p* *mf*

Ooh, ooh, ooh,

*p* *mf*

Ooh, ooh, ooh,

*p* *mf*

Ooh, ooh, ooh,

8va loco 8va loco

pedal generously throughout

// *mp*

// *mp*

// *mp*

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12

*p* Oh! hush thee, my ba - by, the

*p* Oh! hush thee, my ba - by, the

18

*mp* night is be - hind us, And black are the wa - ters that spark led so -

*mp* night is be - hind us, And black wa - ters spark - led so

*mp* And black wa - ters spark - led

*mp* And black wa - ters spark - led so

23

*mp*

green. The moon o'er the comb - ers, looks down - ward to —

*p*

green. — The moon looks to

*p*

green. The moon looks to

*p*

green. The moon looks to

27

*p*

find us At rest in the hol - lows that rus - tle be - tween.

*p*

find us At rest in hol - lows that rus - tle be - tween.

*p*

find us At rest in hol - lows that rus - tle be - tween.

*pp*

find us At rest. Where

32

Ah wea - ry wee

Ah wea - ry

Ah wea - ry

bil-low meets bil - low, there soft be thy\_ pil - low; wea - ry

37

flip - per - ling curl at thy\_ ease!

flip-per-ling curl at thy ease!

flip - per-ling curl at thy ease! The storm shallnot

flip - per-ling curl at thy ease! The storm shallnot

41

*mp* nor shark o - ver - take thee, *mf* A - sleep in the

*mp* nor shark o - ver - take thee, *mf* A - sleep in the

wake thee, *mf* A - sleep in the

wake thee, *mf* A - sleep in the

45

*rit.* arms of the slow - swing - ing seas, a - sleep in the

arms of the slow - swing - ing seas, a - sleep in the

arms of the slow - swing - ing seas, in the

arms of the slow - swing - ing seas, in the *rit.*

49 *mp* *p* **a tempo**

arms of the slow-swing - ing seas. *oooh,*

arms of the slow-swing - ing seas. *oooh,*

arms. *p* *oooh,*

arms. *p* *oooh,*

**a tempo**

54

*oooh,*

*oooh,*

*oooh,*

*oooh,*

59

ooh, ooh, ooh, ooh, ooh, ooh, ooh, ooh,

63

mp ooh, mp ooh, mp ooh, mp ooh, mf



67 **rit.** **p** **pp** **a tempo**

ooh, ooh, ooh, ooh, ooh, ooh, ooh, ooh,

**mp** **p**

72 **p** **pp**

ooh, ooh, ooh, ooh, ooh, ooh, ooh, ooh,

**mp** **p** **pp**

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