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SUMMER LONGINGS

*/Las mananas floridas
De abril y Mayo: Calderon/*

SONG

Composed for, and Dedicated

TO

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Not too slow.

PIANOFORTE

Scherz.

Ah! my heart is wea - ry waiting,

Parlante.

Waiting for the May - Waiting for the pleasant rambles, Where the fragrant

Ad libitum.

A tempo.

hawthorn brambles, With the woodbine al - ter - na - ting, Scent the dew - y way.

Ah! my heart is weary waiting, Waiting for the May.

3^d Verse. Ah! my heart is sore with sighing,
 2^d Verse. Ah! my heart is sick with longing,

Sighing for the May.— Sighing for their sure re—turning When the summer
 Parlante. Longing for the May.— Longing to es—cape from study, To the young face

beams are burning, Hopes and flow'rs that dead or dy—ing All the win—ter lay.
 A tempo. fair and ruddy, And the thousand charms be—longing To the summer's day.
 A tempo.

Ah! my heart is sore with sighing, Sighing for the
 Ah! my heart is sick with longing, Longing for the
 May.
 May.

3.

Ah! my heart is pained with throbbing,
 Throbbing for the May—
 Throbbing for the seaside billows,
 Or the water-wooing willows;
 Where in laughing and in sobbing
 Glide the streams away.
 Ah! my heart, my heart is throbbing,
 Throbbing for the May.

4.

Waiting sad, dejected, weary,
 Waiting for the May.
 Spring goes by with wasted warnings—
 Moonlight evenings, sunbright mornings—
 Summer comes, yet dark and dreary
 Life still ebbs away—
 Man is ever weary weary,
 Waiting for the May.