TILL THE SANDS OF THE DESERT GROW COLD

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Larghetto

Thou art the soul of a summer's day,

Con Pedale

Thou art the breath of the rose; But the summer is fled and the

rose is dead; Where are they gone, who knows, who knows?

Thou art the blood of my heart of hearts, Thou art my soul's re-

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Tempo di Bolero

Brightly

The hot winds that
come to thee
burning sea, A barrier stands 'tween thee and me, I
O'er desert sands all go from me,
Or

bid them to tell thee that I love thee,
love, fast as light, I'd hasten to thee,
Speeding my soul to
Quenching my thirst in

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Hot sands
Noon suns

Passionately

burn-ing, Fire my veins with pas-sion bold,
find me, Far be-hind the car-a-van,

love thee, till des-cert sands grow cold!
warns me, how vain is the strength of man.

Love me, I'll love thee
Love me, I'll love thee

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gave thee to me, And mine thou shalt be, For-

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Lento

\[ \text{\large \textbf{I come to Thee at last, oh Lord, for rest,}} \]
\[ \text{With wasted years, with heart and mind oppressed,} \]
\[ \text{And now, Thy promise is to me so sweet,} \]
\[ \text{That I shall find forgiveness at Thy feet.} \]

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