

Starry Night For A Ramble

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Allegretto e con moto ♩ = 100

1. I like a game of Croquet, or bowl - ing on the green, — I
(2. So) talk a - bout your bath - ing or stroll - ing on the sands, — On
(3. I) like to take my sweet - heart "of course you would" said he, — And
(4. Yes,) some will chose ve - loci - pede, and o - thers take a drive, — And

Suggestion: put a slight but definite accent on the first and fourth beats of each measure.

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like a lit - tle boat - ing to pull a - gainst the stream. — But of
some un - seen ver - an - da, where gen - tle zeph - yr fans. — Or —
soft - ly whis - per in her ear "how dear - ly I love thee." — And —
some will sit — and mope at home, half dead, and half a - live. — And —

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all the games that I love best to fill me with de - light, — I
roll - ing home in the morn - ing boys, and ver - y near - ly tight, — Could
when you pic - ture to your - selves the scenes of such de - light, — You'll
some will chose a — steam - boat, and oth - ers ev - en fight, — But

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like to take a ram - ble up - on a star - ry night. _____
 ne - ver beat a ram - ble up - on a star - ry night. _____ A
 want to take a ram - ble, up - on a star - ry night. _____
 I'll en - joy my ram - ble, up - on a star - ry night. _____

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star - ry night for a ram - ble, in a flow' - ry dell: Yes, Through the bush and

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1, 2. 3. *rit.*

2. So
 bram - ble, a kiss, but ne - ver tell. (3. I kiss, but ne - ver tell.
 (4. Yes,)

1, 2. 3. *rit.*