

I Shall Not Live In Vain

Text: Emily Dickinson

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First time through: Soprano section or Soloist on text, all other voices humming

Second time through: All voices on text

Adagio
(Soprano section or Soloist on text first time through)

Soprano
mp If I can stop one heart from brea - king, I shall not

Alto
mp mmm— stop one heart from brea - king, I shall not
(Altos humming first time through)

Tenor
mp mmm— stop one heart from brea - king, I shall not
(Tenors humming first time through)

Bass
mp mmm— stop one heart from brea - king, I shall not
(Basses humming first time through)

S
live in vain. If I can ease one life the a - ching, or cool one *p*

A
live— in vain.— If I can ease— one life the a - ching, or cool one *p*
rit. *f*

T
live in vain. If I can ease one life the a - ching, or cool one *p*
f

B
live in— vain. If I can ease one life the a - ching, or cool one *p*
f

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S pain, or help one fai-nting ro - bin un-to his nest a - gain, I shall not live in
accel. *rit.* *mf*

A pain, or help one fai-nting ro - bin un-to his nest a - gain, I shall not live in
accel. *mf*

T pain, one fai-nting ro - bin un-to his nest a - gain, I shall not live in
accel. *mf*

B pain, one fai-nting ro - bin un-to his nest a - gain, I shall not live in
accel. *mf*

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S vain. I shall not live in vain. If I can vain.
1. 2.

A vai (ain.) I shall not live in mmm If I can vain.
(All voices on text)

T vain. I shall not live in mmm If I can vain.
(All voices on text)

B vain. I shall not live in mmm If I can vain.
(All voices on text)