

# BRING US IN GOOD ALE

GUSTAV HOLST (1874-1934)

**Poco allegro**  
*mf*

Tenor  
Bring us in no brown bread for that is made of bran, Nor bring us in no white bread for

**Poco allegro**  
*mf*

Piano  
(for rehearsal only)

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*f* *p*

T.  
there-in is no game; But bring us in good ale.

B.  
*mf*

Bring us in no beef for there is ma-ny bones, But bring us in good

Pno.  
*p*

8  
*mf*

A.  
Bring us in no ba-con for that is pass-ing fat, But

T.  
*f* *p*

B.  
ale for that goes down at once; And bring us in good ale.

Pno.  
*f* *p*

S.

A. bring us in good ale and give us i-nought of that.

T. *f* And bring us in good ale.

B. *f* Bring us in no mut-ton, for

Pno.

S. *p* Bring us in no

A. *p* Bring us in

T. *p* Bring us in

B. *p* that is of-ten lean; Nor bring us a-ny tripes for they be sel-dom clean. But

Pno.

S. *cresc.*  
 eg - gys for there are ma-ny shells, But bring us in good ale and

A. *cresc.*  
 no eg - gys for there are ma - ny shells, But bring us in good

T. *cresc.*  
 no eg - gys for there are ma - ny shells, But bring us in good

B. *cresc.*  
 bring us in good ale, But bring us in good ale, But bring us in good ale, But bring us

Pno.

S. *f*  
 bring us no-thing else. But bring us in good

A. *f*  
 ale. Bring us in no but - ter for there are ma - ny hairs, Nor

T. *f*  
 ale. But bring us in good ale.

B. *f*  
 in good ale. Bring us in no but - ter for there are ma - ny hairs, Nor

Pno.

**Accel**

S. *cresc.*  
ale. \_\_\_\_\_ Bring us in good ale, But bring us

A. *cresc.*  
bring us in no pig's flesh for that will make us bears. Bring us in no pud-dings for there

T. *cresc.*  
But bring us in good ale. Bring us in no pud-dings for there

B. *cresc.*  
bring us in no pig's flesh for that will make us bears. Bring us in good ale, But

**Accel**

Pno. *cresc.*

S. in good ale, But bring us in good ale, But bring us in good ale, But bring us in blood ale,

A. in is all God's good; Nor bring us in no ven - i - son for that is not for our blood.

T. in is all God's good; Nor bring us in no ven - i - son for that is not for our blood.

B. bring us in good ale, But bring us in good ale, But bring us in good ale,

Pno.

S. *ff*  
Bring us in no ca - pon's flesh for that is of - ten dear, Nor

A. *ff*  
Bring us in no ca - pon's flesh for that is of - ten dear, Nor

T. *ff*  
Bring us in no ca - pon's flesh for that is of - ten dear, Nor

B. *ff*  
Bring us in good ale, But bring us in good ale, But bring us in good

**Presto**

Pno. *ff*

S. *fff* **Lento**  
bring us in no duck's flesh for they slob - ber in the mere, But bring us in good ale.

A. *fff*  
bring us in no duck's flesh for they slob - ber in the mere, But bring us in good ale.

T. *fff*  
bring us in no duck's flesh for they slob - ber in the mere, But bring us in good ale.

B. *fff*  
ale, But bring us in good ale, But bring us in good ale

**Lento**

Pno. *fff*