

*A Song, Set by Mr. Rob. KING.*

The musical score is written on five staves in G major (one sharp) and 4/4 time. The melody is simple and lyrical, with lyrics printed below each staff. The lyrics are: "Tell me why so long you try me, Still I follow, still you fly me; Will the race be never done, Will it be ever but begun: Could I quit my Love for you, I'd ne'er love more what e'er I do; When I speak truth, you think I lie, You think me false, but say not why."

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