

From First Breath

commissioned by the London Symphony Orchestra Community Choir

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$\text{♩} = 63$ *flessibile* circa 8"

f *mp*

accel. **rit.**

S
dn dn dn_ dn dn dn dn A war - ming

A
dn_ dn dn dn dn dn A war - ming

T
dn dn dn A war - ming

B
ng

Piano (opt.)
f *pp*

mf

S
3 glow from win - ters hearth with - in_ the fla - a - a - ames

A
3 glow from win - ters hearth with - in_ the fla - a - ames

T
3 glow from win - ters hearth with - in_

B

Pno. *pp*

circa 4"

S
A
T
B

6

that dance and tap their rhythmic prattle

ng ng ng ng that dance and tap their rhythmic prattle

ng ng ng ng and tap their rhythmic prattle

their rhythmic prattle

Pno.

mp *mf* *p*

circa 12"

SATB

9

1 2 3 4 5 6 7

t-k-t-ta ta ts - k - ta ta - k-ta ta - t-k-ta ta - k ts-t-k-t ts - k ta t-k - t

do not synchronise with choir, play ad. lib.

Pno.

mp espressivo *p* *mp* *pp*

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10 *circa 3"*

S *mf*
like bri-lliant stars_

A *mf*
like bri-lliant stars_

T *mp* *mf*
mm as child - ren play sweet laugh-ter soars like bri-lliant stars_

B *mp* *mf*
mm as child - ren play sweet laugh-ter soars like bri-lliant stars_

Pno. *niente* *ppp* *niente*

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S *f*
the gui-ding lights they bring life force now here!

A *f* *p < f*
the gui-ding lights they bring life force now here! Shh..

T *f* *p < f*
life force now here! Shh..

B *f* *p < f*
life force now here! Shh..

Pno.