

Mezzo-soprano

2. When my love swears

A $\text{♩} = 85$
mf

When my love swears that she's made of truth I do be - lieve her, though I know she

4 **poco lentando a tempo**

lies, that, that she might think me some un - tu - tor'd youth,

8 **a tempo**

un - learned in the world's false sub - tle - ties. Thus vain - ly

10 **B**

thin - king that she thinks me young, all - though she knows my days are past the

13 **poco lentando....a tempo**

best, I I sim - ply cre - dit her false spea - king tongue:

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on_ both sides thus is sim - ple truth sup - press'd. But

19 **C**

where - fore says she not she is in - just? And where - fore say not I that I am

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old? O, love's best ha - bit is in see - ming trust, and

a tempo
poco rall.

25

age, in love, loves not to have years told: There - fore I

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lie with her and she with me. and in our

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calando a tempo *mp* *mf*

faults by lie we flat - ter'd be.