



DRINKING ALONE UNDER THE MOON

Text from Li Bai's Yue Xia Du Zhuo
8th Century Tang Dynasty

This interpretation by Paul Jarman

Music by **PAUL JARMAN**

Freely (♩ = 70) *Softly, yet with excitement*

BASS

p

A cup of wine, a tree in bloom. No one near, I drink a-lone.

Flute

Violoncello

pp *p*

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S.

p *mf*

Bright moon, my sha-dow and she.

S.

pp *mf* *p*

Raise my cup, ca-lling bright moon. my sha-dow and she make three. But the

A.

pp *mf*

Raise my cup, ca-lling bright moon. my sha-dow and she make three.

T.

pp *mf*

Raise my cup, ca-lling bright moon. my sha-dow and she make three.

Bar.

pp *p*

Raise my cup, ca-lling bright moon, bright moon. But the

B.

pp

Raise my cup, ca-lling bright moon, bright moon.

Fl.

Vc.

p

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S. *mp* My sha-dow lin-gers by my side...

S. *mp* moon knows no drink, my sha-dow lin-gers by my side... *p* Moonmy friend...

A. *p* Moon knows no drink, my sha-dow lin-gers by my side... *p* Moonmy friend...

T. *p* Moon knows no drink, my sha-dow lin-gers by my side...

Bar. *mp* moon knows no drink, my sha-dow lin-gers by my side...

B. *p* Moon knows no drink, my sha-dow lin-gers by my side... *p* Moonmy friend...

Fl. *mf*

Vc. *mf* *p*

poco accel.

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S. *mp* Sha-dow my mime. *pp* *cresc.* Soon it is the end of Spring.

S. *pp* *cresc.* Soon it is the end of Spring.

A. *pp* *cresc.* Soon it is the end of Spring.

T. *mp* Sha-dow my mime. *pp* *cresc.* Soon it is the end of Spring.

Bar. *mp* Sha-dow my mime. *pp* *cresc.* Soon it is the end of Spring.

B. *pp* *cresc.* Soon it is the end of Spring.

Fl. *mf*

Vc. *pp* *cresc.* *mf*

♩ = 90

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S. *mp* The moon fli-

S. *mp* To my songs the

A. *mp* To my songs. to my

T. *mp* To _____

Bar. *mp* To my songs the moon fli - ckers.

B. _____

Fl. *mf*

Vc. *mf*

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S. *cresc.* - ckers. My sha - dow tang - les.

S. *cresc.* moon fli - ckers. As I dance my sha - dow tang - les.

A. *cresc.* songs to my songs. As I dance, as I dance, as I

T. *cresc.* To _____ To _____ To _____

Bar. *mf* To my songs the moon fli - ckers. As I dance my sha - dow tang - les. As I dance

B. As I dance my sha - dow tang - les

Fl. 3 3 6 6

Vc. 3 3 6 6