Echo

For Baritone and Piano

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Echo - Ursula Vaughan Williams

Echo by a ferny spring
Echo by houses loitering
Speak or whisper she will hear
change your hope to fear

Listening since the world began
takes the careless words of man
take a foolish idle jest
turn it, against your breast

every word she gives a wound
only silence keeps her bound
gives them back with other sense
clothed in mocking innocence

Be silent, let echo rest.
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Cloudy, Floating, Not so fast, molto legato

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Listening

since the world began - take the care-less words, of man

Shout!

take a foolish idle jest - turn it! a-gainst your breast

* damp with rubber on the string or damp the string by palm
Tempo I

\( \frac{\text{poco rit.}}{\text{mp}} \)

\( \frac{j = 72}{\text{mp}} \)

Bar. 29

\( \text{e - very word - she gives} \)

Bar. 32

\( \text{a wound} \)

Bar. 34

\( \text{only silence keeps her bound} \)
Bar. 37

give them back

Pno.

Bar. 39

with other sense

clothed in mocking innocence

Pno.

Bar. 41

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Speak! or Whisper!

Pno.
Bar. Pno.

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change your hope
to hear

48

breathy

Be Si- lent
Be Si-lent

51

j = 52
poco rit.

Be Si-lent let echo rest

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