

DAFYDD Y GAREG WEN

(David of the White Rock.)

John Ceiriog Hughes (1832–1887).
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Welsh Trad. by A.T.MacLean
after David Owen (1712–1741)

$\text{♩} = 78$
Rather slowly.

T

B

B

Piano

mf

mf

8

T.

mf

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Pno

mf

17

T. *Cod-wch fy nwy-law i gyr-raedd y tanl, Duw a'ch ben - dith-io fyngwedd -w a'm*
Lift up my hands so that I can reach the strings, May the good God bless you my wi - dow and

B *Cod-wch fy nwy-law i gyr-raedd y tanl, Duw a'ch ben - dith-io fyngwedd -w a'm*
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Pno

24

T. *plant." child.* *2. Neithiwr mi*
La - st night I was

B *plant." child.* *2. Neithiwr mi*
La - st night I was

B *plant." child.* *2. Neithiwr mi*
La - st night I was

Pno *f* *con esp*

32

T.

glyw ais lais ang el fel hyn_____ "Dafydd, tyrd a dref a chwareu trwy'r glyn.
hear - ing an ang - el's voice like this_____ Dav-id come home now and play through the glen.

B

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B

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Pno

39

T.

De lyn fy me byd ffar well i dy dant. Duw a'ch ben - dith-io_ fyngwedd-w a'm plant."
Dear harp of my child - hood fare - well to thy strings May the good God bless you my wi - dow and child.

B

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B

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Pno

47 *rall.* *p*

T. *Oo_ (very softly)*

B *p* *Oo_ (very softly)*

B *p* *Oo_ (very softly)*

Pno *p*

Programme note- This tune was composed by David Owen (1712–1741),
 A harpist and composer who lived near Porthmadog in Caernarfonshire.
 He was known locally as Dafydd y Garreg Wen (English: David of the White Rock).
 Y Garreg Wen was the name of the farm where he lived near Morfa Bychan.
 As Owen lay on his death bed, he called for his harp and composed the tune.
 He died at the age of 29 and is buried at St Cynhaearn's Church near Porthmadog