

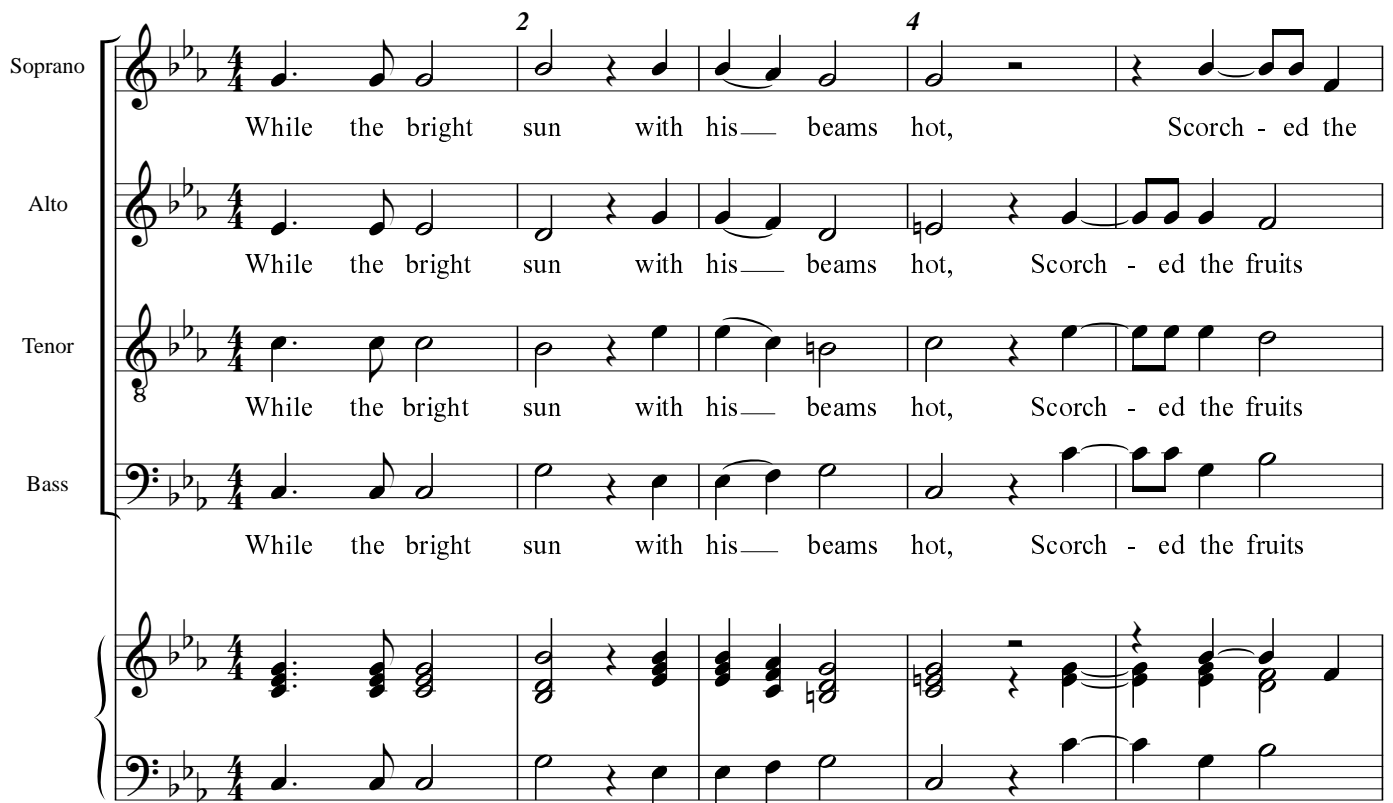
# While the Bright Sun

SATB with Accompaniment for practice

English Text

**William Byrd (1548-1628)**

Engraved by Cecil Rigby



The musical score is for a SATB choir and piano accompaniment. It is in the key of B-flat major (two flats) and 4/4 time. The piece consists of 8 measures. The vocal parts (Soprano, Alto, Tenor, Bass) all sing the same English text. The piano accompaniment provides harmonic support. The lyrics are: "While the bright sun with his— beams hot, Scorch - ed the fruits". There are fermatas over the word "hot" in all parts. The score includes a Soprano line, an Alto line, a Tenor line, a Bass line, and a piano accompaniment section with a grand staff (treble and bass clefs).

Soprano  
While the bright sun with his— beams hot, Scorch - ed the

Alto  
While the bright sun with his— beams hot, Scorch - ed the fruits

Tenor  
While the bright sun with his— beams hot, Scorch - ed the fruits

Bass  
While the bright sun with his— beams hot, Scorch - ed the fruits