

I AM PASSING AWAY L. M.

"Remember how short my time is. – Psa. 89:47

Key of F Major

R. F. Ball, about 1844

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The musical score is written in 4/4 time with a key signature of one flat (F Major). It consists of four systems of music. Each system has a vocal line (treble clef) and a piano accompaniment line (bass clef). The lyrics are: "Pass a few swift - ly fleet - ing years, And all that now in bod - ies are," followed by "Shall quit like me this vale of tears, Their right - eous sen - tence to re - ceive. - ceive." The score includes first and second endings for the final phrase.