

# SONGS OF THE OCEAN



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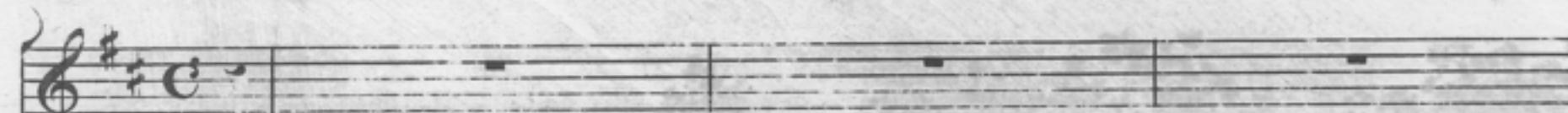
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# BIRD OF THE OCEAN BLUE.

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VOICE.



PIANO

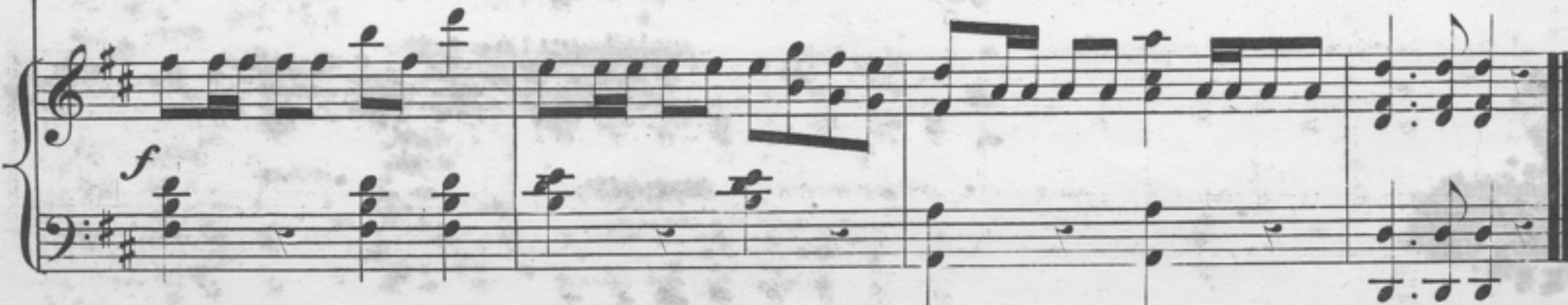
FORTE.



*dolce.*

PIANO

FORTE.



Bird of the o-cean blue, stor-my winds are blowing, Skies darkling o-ver thee  
*dolce.*

mountain seas are flow - ing. Spread thy wings to the blast hope of the brave,

*f* *p*

Bird of the o-cean blue, queen of the wave, Through the nights darkest hour thy  
 co - lors were fly - ing, While the fierce whirlwind sped o'er the dead and dy - ing.

*ritard.*

4  
a tempo.

Thine was no ocean grave, on thy course career-ing, hope nerv'd thy baffled wing,

vic-to-ry was cheering, Bird of the ocean blue, stor-my winds are blowing

skies darkling o-ver thee mountain seas are flow-ing, Spread thy wings to the blast

hope of the brave, Bird of the o-cean blue queen of the wave.

colla voce.

a tempo.



## 2

Thy strength was mountain born liberty was beaming,  
 Bright on thy starry wing, her emblems were streaming,  
     Oaks of thy native land bend to thy will,  
     Foreign powers chaining thee, yield to thy skill,  
 Like the bold falcon darts - through the blue air glancing,  
 Thou o'er the mountain waves on the foe advancing,  
 New nations honor thee, where they stood despising,  
 Proud of thy liberty from thy might arising.

Bird of the ocean blue, Stormy winds are blowing &c.

## 3

Long may thy banner stand brilliant be thy story,  
 Long may the stars and stripes, gleam upon thy glory -  
     Proud of thy naval power just in thy wars,  
     Honored in battle fields, rife with their scars,  
 Show forth thy giant strength with thy mercy blending,  
 Army and Navy still freemens rights defending,  
 No power of the dark reign can our compact sever,  
     Bird of the ocean blue on onward forever,  
     Bird of the ocean blue, Stormy winds are blowing &c.