

# INFERNO

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Freely, with great imagination

S KA! *f* (1) when *mp* (3) when I

A *f* (1) *C.b.ch.* *simile*

5 when I had when I had jour/ a journ-ed

8 half of our *Andante* *p* When I had journ-ed *p*

half of our life's way, found with - in shad-owed for-est. *mp* a

I my - self a

*rit.* ----- does not

15 *mf* *p*

For I had lost the path that does not stray.

*mf* *p*

For I had lost the path does not,

stray.

18 *f* *mp* *mp* *p* *simi'*

stray. C.b.ch. -

it is hard to

22 *p* *mp* *mp*

to Ah it is hard to

*mf* *subito p*

speak of what it was, that sav-age for - est dense, dif - fi - cult. -

*mf* *subito p*

speak of what it was, that for - est dense, dif - fi - cult.

*molto rit.* ----- *a tempo*

30 *p* *f* Which e - ven in re -  
 a Which in re  
 a Which

33  
 call news — so bit - ter death is hard - ly  
 call re - news — bit - ter death  
 call re - news my fear, b' se - vere —  
 no se - vere —  
 se - vere death is

37  
 vere —  
 no r  
 no more se - ve..(re.) —

.nis my fear was  
 some - what quiet - ed through — of —  
 p for the night

sor - row *mf* with-in, in my heart, *mp*

44

I had spent, *mf* with-in, with-in — my heart, — my

sor - row — the lake in with-in r

*rit.* ----- 1

47

heart felt ter - ror pre-sent. *f* (T)A! 1

heart felt ter - ror

*mp* *f*

*simile*

*simile*

50

When I had journ - e' way. I found my - self with - in

*solo p*

2

----- 1

shad - owed for - est.