

commissioned by The Towne Singers
THE SEAL LULLABY

Dedicated with love and gratitude to Stephen Schwartz

RUDYARD KIPLING

ERIC WHITACRE

Simply, with a little rubato ♩ = 66

SOPRANO
p Ooh, ooh, ooh, *mf*

ALTO
p Ooh, ooh, ooh, *mf*

TENOR
p Ooh, ooh, ooh, *mf*

BASS
p Ooh, ooh, ooh, *mf*

PIANO
p *8va* *loco* *8va* *loco* *mf*
pedal generously throughout

7

mp ooh, ooh, ooh, *mp*

mp ooh, ooh, ooh, *mp*

ooh, ooh, ooh, *mp*

12

Oh! hush thee, my ba - by, the

Oh! hush thee, my ba - by, the

p

p

p

18

night is be - hind us, And black are the wa - ters that spark-led so_

night is be - hind us, And black_____ wa - ters spark - led so

And black_____ wa - ters spark - led

And_____ black_____ wa - ters spark - led so

mp

mp

mp

mp

mp