

KITE AT CLOVER POINT

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Moderato ♩ = 96

Flute *mf*

Sopranos

Altos

Piano *mf*

At the

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Detailed description: This system contains the first four staves of the score. The Flute part (top staff) begins with a melodic line in 4/4 time, marked *mf*. The vocal parts (Sopranos and Altos) are silent until the final measure, where they enter with the lyrics 'At the'. The Piano accompaniment (bottom two staves) provides a harmonic foundation with a steady eighth-note pattern in the left hand and chords in the right hand, also marked *mf*.

5

S

A

end of the New World, down by the sea, where land meets wa - ter and the air is clean, At the

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Detailed description: This system contains the vocal and piano parts for the second system. The Soprano (S) and Alto (A) parts are shown with lyrics: 'end of the New World, down by the sea, where land meets wa - ter and the air is clean, At the'. The piano accompaniment continues with the same harmonic structure as the first system. A rehearsal mark '5' is placed at the beginning of the vocal staves.

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S
end of the New World, down by the sea, this kite is a prayer — we free.

A
end of the New World, down by the sea, this kite we dare set free.

14

Fl
mf *f*

S
f
This kite is a dan - cer, silk in the breeze, breath of the an - gels

A
This kite is a dan - cer, silk in the breeze, breath of the an - gels

18

Fl

S

A

lif - ting our dreams. This kite is a po - em that flies in the dark, a

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mp

22

Fl

S

A

wea - pon of con - flict turned in - to art. At the end of the New World,

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mp *mf*

59

Fl *f* *tr*

S
land meets wa - ter and the air is clean, At the end of the New World, down by the sea, this

A
land meets wa - ter and the air is clean, At the end of the New World, down by the sea,

63

Fl *poco rit.*

S
kite is a prayer we free, set free.

A
this kite we dare set free, set free.