

THE ROSARY.

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Andantino.

The hours I spent with

thee, dear heart, Are as a string of pearls to me I

count them o'er—each one a-part, my Ro-sa-ry, my Ro-sa-ry

p rit.

cresc.

f

dim.

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Each hour a pearl, each pearl a

rall. *accel.*

prayer To still a heart in absence wrung I

tell each bead un - to the end, And there a

quasi recitativo

cross is hung A cross is hung Oh

molto ritardendo

mem - o - ries that bless and burn, Oh bar - ren

atempo.

gain, Oh bit - ter loss! I touch each bead at

cresc.

last to learn to kiss the Cross, sweet-heart, to kiss the cross, the cross, sweet-

rit.

rit.

f

rit.

heart.

p

dim.

pp