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MEMORY

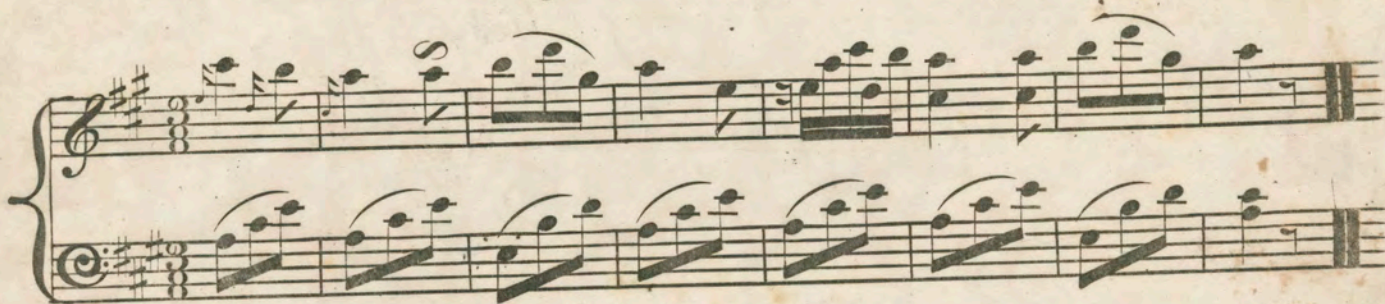
Favourite song written and arranged

for the
Piano Forte

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TENDERLY.



Hours there were to mem' - ry, dear - - er, Than the sunbright scenes of day;

Friends were fon - der, joys were near - - er, But a - - las they've fled a - way.

Oh! 'twas when the moonlight play - ing, O'er the valleys si - - lent grove,
Told the bliss - ful hour for stray - ing, With my fond, my faith - ful Love.

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Oft when ev'ning faded mildly,
O'er the wave our bark would rove;
Then we've heard the night-bird wildly
Breath his vesper tale of love..
Songs like his, my Love would sing me,
Songs that warble round me yet..
Ah! but where does mem'ry bring me,
Scenes like those I must forget.

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But in dreams let love be near me,
With the joys that bloom'd before;
Slumb'ring then 'twill sweetly cheer me,
Calm to live my pleasures o'er.
Then perhaps some hope may waken,
In this heart deprest with care,
And like flow'rs in vale forsaken,
Live a lonely beauty there.

