

# OH, NO!

for S.S.A. voices and piano  
with optional PianoTrax CD\*

Words by  
**THOMAS HAYNES BAYLEY (1797-1839)+**

Music by  
**RUTH MORRIS GRAY**

**Playfully** (♩ = ca. 132) 

SOPRANO I & II

ALTO

PIANO

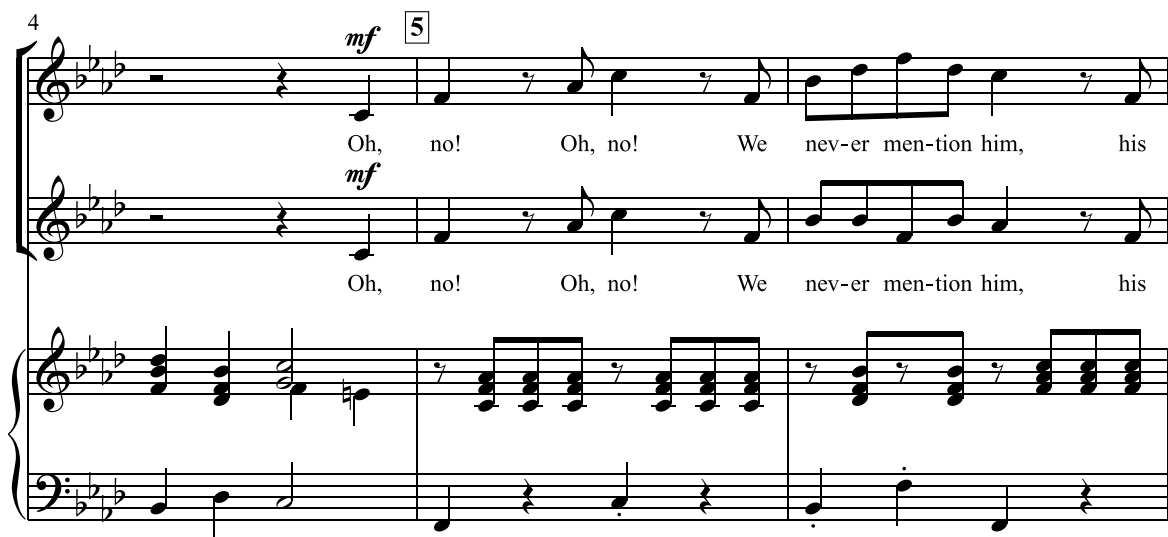
*mf*



4 *mf* 5

Oh, no! Oh, no! We nev-er men-tion him, his

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\* PianoTrax 1 Accompaniment CD available (31028).

+ Thomas Haynes Bayley was an English writer most famous for his saying, "absence makes the heart grow fonder." Bayley was born in 1797 in the town of Bath, England. He died in 1839 at the age of 42. Bayley's marriage to a wealthy woman allowed him to pursue a writing career. He enjoyed writing songs, poems, and plays. Bayley's sense of humor is evident in his poem, "Oh, No! We Never Mention Her," which was later published as "Oh, No! We Never Mention Him."

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*mp*

name is nev - er heard; My lips are now for - bid to speak that

*mp*

name is nev - er heard; My lips are now for - bid to speak that

*mp*

9

*mf*

once fa - mil - iar word. From sport to sport they

*mf*

once fa - mil - iar word. From sport to sport they

*mf*

11

hur - ry, hur - ry me, to ban - ish my re - gret; And

hur - ry, hur - ry me, to ban - ish my re - gret; And