

Six Blake Songs

1. To Tirzah

William Blake
(1757-1827)

Nigel Butterley

Pesante (♩ = c.54)

Baritone

Piano

f

mp

5

f

What - e'er is Born of Mor-tal Birth, Must be con-sum - ed with the

8

mp *mf* *f*

Earth To rise from Gen-er - a tion free; Then what have

p *cresc.* *f*

11

f

I to do with thee? Thou

mp *f*

14

Mo - ther of my Mor - tal part with cru - el - ty didst mould my

16

Heart, And with false self-de-ceiv - ing tears, Didst bind my No - strils Eyes and

20

Ears. Didst close my Tongue in sense - less clay And

22

me to Mor - tal Life be - tray: