

# Song of the Shoemakers

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Trio for SSA

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Allegro moderato

1st & 2nd Voice

3rd Voice

Piano

*f*

*p stacc.*

*p*

*mf*

Ho! work-ers of the old-time styled The

Gen-tle Craft of Lea-ther! Young bro-thers of the an-cient guild, Stand

forth once more to-ge-ther! Call out a-gain your long ar-ray, In the

2 3 4

5 6 7 8

9 10 11 12

13 14 15 16

old - en mer - ry man - ner! Once more, on gay Saint Crisp - in's day, Fling

*cresc.* *f*

17 18 19 20

out your bla - zoned ban - ner!

21 22 23 24 25

Rap, rap! up - on the well-worn stone How falls the pol-ished ham-mer! Rap,

*mf* *p*

26 27 28 29 *mf*

rap! the mea-sured sound has grown A quick and mer-ry clam-our. Now *mf*

30 31 32 33 *cresc.*

shape the sole! now deft-ly curl The gloss-y vamp a-round it, And *cresc.*

34 35 36 37 38 *f*

bless the while the bright-eyed girl Whose gen-tle fin-gers bound\_\_\_\_\_ it!

39 40 41 42 43

*p*

The red brick to the ma-son's hand, The brownearth to the

44 45 46 47

till - er's. The shoe in your shall wealth com - mand, Like fai - ry Cin - der -

*p*

48 49 50 51

*mf*

el - la's! As they who shunned the house - hold maid Be - held the crown up -

*mf*

52 53 54 55

*cresc.* *f*

on her, So all shall see your toil re - paid With hearth and home and

*cresc.* *f*

*cresc.* *f*

56 57 58 59 60

*mf*

hon - our. Then let the toast be

*mf*

*dim.* *p*

61 62 63 64

free - ly quaffed, In wa - ter cool and brim - ming, "All hon - our to the

65 66 67 68

*mf* *mf* *mf*

good old Craft Its mer - ry men and wo - men!" Call out a - gain your

69 70 71 72

*cresc.* *cresc.* *cresc.*

long ar - ray, In the old time's plea - sant man - ner: Once more, on gay Saint

73 74 75 76 77 78

*f* *f* *f* *f* *f* *f*

Crisp-in's day, Fling out his bla-zoned ban - ner!