

# The Cuckoo

Traditional

American folk song  
arranged by Robert E. Heninger

*p*  $\text{♩} = 84$

*soprano*  
The cuck - oo she's a pret - ty bird she sings as she

*alto*  
The cuck - oo she's a pret - ty bird she sings as she

*tenor*  
The cuck - oo she's a pret - ty bird she sings as she

*bass*  
The cuck - oo she's a pret - ty bird she sings as she

*piano for rehearsal only*  
*p*

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flies. She brings us glad ti - dings and she tells us no

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lies. She sucks all the pret - ty flow - ers that make her voice

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lies. She sucks all the flow'rs that make her voice

lies. Sucks the flow'rs that make her voice

*pp*

For Perusal Only

clear, And she nev - er says cuck - oo 'til the spring of the year. *Fine*

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clear, And she nev - er says, cuck - oo 'til the spring of the year. *Fine*

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*Fine*

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*p* A - walk - in' and a - talk - in' and a wan - d'rin goes I. A -  
*mp* Our meet - in's a \_\_\_ pleas - ure, *p* our \_\_\_ part - in's a grief; A

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*p/ mp*  
*p*

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wait - in' for sweet Wil - lie he will come by and by. I'll  
 false heart - ed \_\_\_ lov - er is \_\_\_ worse than a thief. A

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thief but— rob you and take all you crave, But a

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*pp*

walk and talk with him from morn - ing til' night.  
false heart - ed lov - er will lead you to the grave. *D.C. al Fine*

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*D.C. al Fine*