



Now is the Hour

✂ New Zealand

7

Traditional New Zealand melody
arranged by Christopher Norton

Freely ♩ = 76

mp

con Ped

6

mp

Ped

11 **poco rit** **A tempo**

sim

16

f

3 1 3 1 5 4 4 2 1



The origins of this tune are uncertain, but it is believed to have been composed early in the 20th century, and was first published in 1913. Various words have been written for it, the most well-known of which describe a scene of farewell as lovers are parted as one sets sail 'far across the sea'.

21

3
1

1 3

1 2

cresc

26

1 2

dim

mp

31

36

2 1

2 1

41

3

1 3

3

2

46

5 4 3

dim

50

rit

A tempo

pp

53

slowing slightly

pp

Ped

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