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Lilac Wine

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Original Keys: F# minor/F# major

Freely, à la recitative ♩ = c.72

The musical score is presented in three systems. Each system includes a vocal line with lyrics, a guitar line with chord diagrams, and a piano accompaniment. The key signature is one flat (Bb), and the time signature is 4/4. The tempo is marked as 'Freely, à la recitative' with a quarter note equal to approximately 72 beats per minute. The piano part is marked 'mp' (mezzo-piano). The guitar part includes chords Gm, Eb, D, Am7b5, and D7. The lyrics are: 'I lost my-self on a cool, damp night, gave my-self in that mis-ty light, - was hyp-not-ized by a strange de-light un-der a li-lac tree. I made wine from the li-lac tree, put my heart in its rec-i-pe, - it makes me see what I want to see, - be what I want to be.' The score includes various musical notations such as rests, slurs, and triplets.

Gm **Eb**

I lost my-self on a cool, damp night, gave my-self in that mis-ty light, -

D **Am7b5** **D7** **Gm**

was hyp-not-ized by a strange de-light un-der a li-lac tree. I made wine from the li-lac tree,

Eb **Am7b5** **D7**

put my heart in its rec-i-pe, - it makes me see what I want to see, - be what I want to be.