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Come, O Come My Life's Delight

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To Frederick Saxty.

Come, O come my Life's delight.

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Adagio. *pp*

VOICE. *pp*
Come, O

PIANO. *pp*

come, my life's de - light, *mp* Let..... me not in

lan - - guor pine..... *p* *mp* Love loves

The musical score is written for voice and piano. It begins with a tempo marking of 'Adagio' and a dynamic marking of 'pp' (pianissimo). The voice part starts with the lyrics 'Come, O' and continues with 'come, my life's de - light, Let..... me not in lan - - guor pine..... Love loves'. The piano accompaniment features a flowing, arpeggiated texture in the right hand and a more rhythmic bass line in the left hand. The score is divided into three systems, each with a vocal line and a piano line. The piano line includes various dynamic markings such as 'pp', 'p', and 'mp'. The overall mood is serene and contemplative.