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# *Beauty and the Beast*

Opera in Three Acts

## Libretto

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Acknowledgment is made of the use, in whole or in substantial part,  
of several poems by Walter de la Mare in the libretto of this opera.  
They are *Bunches of Grapes*, *Cecil*, *The Sleeping Beauty*, *Song*, and *Down-adown-derry*.  
They are republished in a collection entitled *Songs of Childhood* reprinted in America  
by Dover Publications, Inc., in 1968.

### Cast of Characters

<b>Beauty</b>	Soprano
<b>Beast/Prince</b>	Baritone
<b>First Sister</b>	Soprano
<b>Second Sister</b>	Soprano
<b>Father</b>	Baritone

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