

excerpt from the opera

# Korczak's Orphans

Libretto by  
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Music by  
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**Very slowly and freely**

1 *p*

Korczak

The witch does-n't live in the crusts of bread, no not in the bread, no

**a bit faster, gaining speed little by little**

5 *♩.=100*

K

not in the crusts. The witch does-n't live in the crusts of bread, no not in the bread crusts.

**Slower again ♩.=72**

*mp*

**a very long accel.**

10

Chld.

The witch does-n't live in the crusts of bread, no

*beckoning the child to join in*

*mp*

K

The witch does-n't live in the crusts of bread, no not in the bread, no

14

Chld.

not in the bread, no not in the crusts. The witch does - n't live in the

K

not in the crusts. The witch does - n't live in the crusts of bread, no

17

Chld.

crusts of bread, no not in the bread crusts.

*mf*

K

not in the bread crusts. She's

20  $\text{♩} = 116$

Chld. She's holed up in her moun - tain cas - tle, di - ning on ca - vi -

K holed up in her moun - tain cas - tle, di - ning on ca - vi - ar,

$\text{♩} = 116$

24

Chld. ar, di - ning on di - ning on di - ning on di - ning on

K di - ning on di - ning on di - ning on di - ning on di - ning on ca - vi -

27

Chld. di - ning on ca - vi - ar. The witch does - n't live in the

K ar. The witch does - n't live in the crusts of bread, no

30

Chld. crusts of bread, no not in the bread, no not in the crusts. The

K not in the bread, no not in the crusts. The witch does - n't live in the



33

Chld. witch does-n't live in the crusts of bread, no not in the bread crusts.

K crusts of bread, no not in the bread crusts. Who'd



37

Chld. Who'd think she would deign to spend time a-mong

K think she would deign to spend time a-mong us? Who'd

41

Chld. us? Who'd think she would deign who'd think she would deign to spend

K think she would deign who'd think she would deign to spend time a - mong



44

Chld. time a - mong us? The witch does - n't live in the

K us? The witch does - n't live in the crusts of bread, no



47

Chld. crusts of bread, no not in the bread, no not in the crusts. The  
*tousling the child*

K no not in the crusts! The witch does - n't live in the

50

Chld. witch does-n't live in the crusts of bread, no not in the bread crusts.

K crusts of bread, no not in the bread crusts. not in the



54

Chld. bread crusts.

K bread crusts.