

# I would prefer not to

Chant (enfant), alto et piano  
Paroles de Herman Melville  
Extraites de "Bartleby the scrivener"  
Andante ♩ = 58

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Chant

16 16 3 5

41 2 2 9

55 Piano I would pre-fer not to be a litt-le rea-so-o-o-na-ble I would

59 pre-fer to be le-ef a-a-lon-dere I have gi-i-ven up co-py-ing.

64 9 Piano But I am not par-ti-cu-lar I would

77 pre-fer not to I would pre-fer not to qui-it you I would pre-fer not to.

82 I would pre-fer not to ma-ake a-a-nychange a-at all At pre-

86 sent I pre-fer to-o give no an-swer Do you not seathe rea-son fo your-self.

91 But I am not par-ti-cu-lar I would pre-fer not to I would

96 *rit.* pre-fer not to qui-it you I would pre-fer not to.