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alt The tree has stood before my house for eighty years | In good years the branches heavy with blossom and leaves | In bad

(mp) (gesprochen)  
(normale sprechlage, fließend)

chor-  
xophon  
B

kkor-  
leon

alt years surviving | The branches bare only in winter | When the tree and the earth sleep

ten.  
sax.

kk.

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In that time the rule of the local school  
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(normale sprechlage, fließend)

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