

# Old Man Platypus

A B (Banjo) Patterson

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**Tempo:** ♩. = 60

**Time Signature:** 12/8

**Instrumentation:** SOPRANO 1, SOPRANO 2, ALTO, Piano

**Performance Instructions:** *mp legato*, *mf*

**Lyrics:**

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*mp* Far from the trou - ble and toil - of town, —

*mp* Far from the trou - ble and toil - of town, —

15

5

*mp*

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*mp*

sweep - and shi -

*mp*

sweep - and shi -

7

*f*

ver, Look at a

*mf*

ver, frag - ment of

*mp*

ver, vel - vet brown -

*mp*

*mf*