

THINGS I LOVE THE MOST

A strainer post is a post, usually at the end of a length of wire fence such as a stock fence, to which the wire is strained taut.

If it wasn't used, the fence would pull at different tensions and collapse.

The **willie** (or **willy**) **wagtail** is a bird native to mainland Australia, (not Tasmania), New Guinea, the Solomon Islands, the Bismarck Archipelago, and Eastern Indonesia. It gets its name from constantly wagging its tail from side to side.

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♩=90 (but very freely) *mf* Rit. A tempo Rit. ♩=75

These are the things that I love the most: lots of but-ter on rai-sin toast; a

4 A tempo Rit. Molto Rit. A tempo

cat with his face in a bowl of cream; fat rab-bits hop-ping through an old dog dream. Black swans fly-ing 'cross the moon;

7 *cresc.* Rit. Molto Rit. ♩=100 *f* *p subito* Rit.

stars that wink when I play their tune! BUT! What I love the most, is two Wil-lie Wag-tails on a strain-er post!

10 ♩=90 Rit. *mf* A tempo (♩=90) Poco Rit. Molto Rit. ♩=80

These are the things that I love the best: ba-by cock-a-toos in a red gum nest; A

sempre p *mf*

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13 **Rit.** **Molto Rit.** ♩=90

new foal's wob-ble-foot-ed brand-new legs; ban - tam hens on speck - led eggs. The

15 **Rit.** ♩=80 **cresc.** **Rit.**

breath that comes from a po - ny's nose; cats that purr when I tick-le their toes, —

17 ♩=90 **f** **p subito** ♩=80 **Rit.** **A tempo**

BUT! What I love the most is two Wil - lie Wag-tails on a strain - er post!

19 **Slower** **mp** **Rit.** ♩=60 * ♩=40

These are the things I real-ly hate the most; a big fat blow-fly on my Veg-e-mite on toast;

* Vegemite is a yeast extract spread, usually spread on toast, which many Australians are brought up on, eating in large quantities. For non-Australians it's an acquired taste.