

The Jesus Gift

For SATB* and Piano with Optional Instrumental Accompaniment

Duration: ca. 3:35

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Piano

mp

Andante cantabile (♩ = ca. 76)

with pedal

Solo *mp* Soprano section may sing in absence of soloist

Shall I gath - er em - r'alds, shall I bring Him gold?

Soprano *unis. mp*

Alto *unis. mp* Oo

Tenor *unis. mp*

Bass Oo

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Shall I show - er dia - monds, white - hard, bright - cold?

Oo

Oo

This system contains the first vocal line with lyrics, a vocal line with 'Oo' lyrics, and a piano accompaniment. The key signature is two sharps (F# and C#) and the time signature is 4/4. The piano part features a steady eighth-note accompaniment in the bass and a more melodic line in the treble.

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Shall I span - gle jew - els like stars a - bove?

This system contains the second vocal line with lyrics, a vocal line with 'Oo' lyrics, and a piano accompaniment. The key signature remains two sharps. The piano part continues with a similar accompaniment style.

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This system contains the piano accompaniment for the third system. The key signature remains two sharps. The piano part features a steady eighth-note accompaniment in the bass and a more melodic line in the treble.

Give Him laugh - ter, bring peace-filled laugh - ter,
unis.
Give Him laugh - ter, bring peace-filled laugh - ter,
loo loo loo loo

18

of-fer Him warm laugh - ter and love.
of-fer Him warm laugh - ter and love.
poco a poco cresc.

22

Soprano *unis. mf*
 Alto Shall we gath - er em - 'rals,
 Tenor *unis. mf*
 Bass

27

unis. shall we bring Him gold? *unis.* Shall we show - er
unis. Shall we show - er

30

dia - monds, bright - cold?
 dia - monds, white - hard?

33

Shall we span - gle jew - els like stars a -

unis.

36

bove? *noom noom

Give Him laugh - ter,

dim. *mp*

39

noom noom of - fer Him warm

bring peace - filled laugh - ter,

mp

42

*Close immediately to the voiced consonant "m."

laugh - ter and love. *mf* Sim - plest of

gifts, gen - tlest of hearts;

kind - ness He'll use as He leads *mf* leads

56

Sop. only

Ten. only

so, give Him these gifts,

so,

Alto only

Bass only

hand Him your hearts.

Hon - or His

Hon - or His

All

All

birth and you'll need

no

rit.

rit.

rit.

64 1st Soprano section or small Soprano group may sing in absence of soloist

Solo *mf a tempo*

Ah _____ Oh _____

Sop. *f a tempo*

Alto

em - 'rals nor ru - bies, sil - ver nor

Tenor *f a tempo*

Bass

Ah _____ Oh _____

64

f a tempo

Ah _____ white -

gold; nei - ther bright dia - monds, white -

Ah _____ white -

67

72

hard, bright - cold.

hard, bright - cold. Span - gle not rich

hard, bright - cold.

70

72

dim.

dim.

dim.

73

jew - els like stars a - bove;

love. *rit.*

love. *rit.*

love. *rit.*

82

No - el, No - el.

No - el, No - el. *rit.*

No - el.

rit.

85

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