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Jesus Is the Living Stone

SATB with opt. Orchestra

Words Adapted from
1 Peter 2:4-8

Music by
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(1) Stately $\text{♩} = 69-72$

5 (2) SA *mp*

8

si - ah, the Prince of Peace; Lord, our re-fuge, strength and

(1) indicates CD track number.

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1 pow - er, and His love will nev - er cease.

(3)

mp

pow - er, and His love will nev - er cease.

mp

8va

14 SA

He is Al - pha and O - me - ga; the Be -

TB

mp

8va

8va

17

gin - ning and the End!

div.

mf

Our Re - deem - er,

Mas-ter,

mf

mf

20

Sav - ior, Je - sus, Com - for - ter _____ and

22 (4) *mp*

Friend. *mp* Je - sus *mf*

mp *mf*

8va

24

is _____ the firm foun - da - tion, _____ For our

mf

26

sins His blood a - tones. He's the

f

28

Rock, the might - y for - tress, Je - sus

30

is the Liv - ing Stone.

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33

(5)

mf

The foun-

36

mp

Oo Ah

da - tion nev - er wa - vered, like an an - chor through ev - r

8va

39

mf

The Rock of our sal -

f

storm; He's the Rock of our sal -

f

41

va - tion; He calms the rag - ing

va - tion; Je - sus calms the rag - ing

43 (6) *mp*

mf

storm.

f

Yes - ter -

mf

f

rit.

3

a tempo

day, to - day, for - ev - er,

3

a tempo

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47
reach - es ev - 'ry man; From His

49
birth to heav - en's glo - ry, Je - sus

51
Christ, the Great _____ "I Am!"

The musical score consists of three staves. The top staff is for the soprano voice, the middle staff for the alto voice, and the bottom staff for the piano. The piano part includes bass notes and harmonic chords. The lyrics are written below the vocal parts. Measure 47 concludes with a fermata over the piano's final chord. Measure 49 begins with a piano dynamic (indicated by a large black circle). Measure 51 starts with a piano dynamic and includes a circled '7' above the vocal line, followed by a circled '8' above the piano line.

53

Je - sus is _____ the firm foun -

This page contains three staves of musical notation. The top staff uses a treble clef, the middle staff a bass clef, and the bottom staff a bass clef. The lyrics "Je - sus is _____ the firm foun -" are written below the notes. Measure numbers 53 are at the top left.

55

da - tion, _____ For our sins _____ His blood a -

This page contains three staves of musical notation. The top staff uses a treble clef, the middle staff a bass clef, and the bottom staff a bass clef. The lyrics "da - tion, _____ For our sins _____ His blood a -" are written below the notes. Measure number 55 is at the top left.

57

tones. He's the Rock, the might - y

This page contains three staves of musical notation. The top staff uses a treble clef, the middle staff a bass clef, and the bottom staff a bass clef. The lyrics "tones. He's the Rock, the might - y" are written below the notes. Measure number 57 is at the top left.

10

59

for - tress, Je - sus is the Liv - ing

(8)

61

Stone. He's the Rock, the might - y

ff

He's the Rock, He's the Rock, the might - y

63

for - tress, He is our

65

God,
the
Liv - ing

67

Stone,
He
is
the
Liv - ing

69

Stone!

rit.

^{*(4)}

*Accompaniment CD holds this note for 4 counts.