

*Dedicated to Jeanne Frey,
founder of the Kalamazoo Children's Chorus,
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Eja, Eja!
(We Will Sing for Joy)
SSA Chorus and Piano*

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Ranges: Soprano I Soprano II Alto



1 Joyfully $\text{♩} = 132$

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S I, II

A

We will sing for joy! —

E - ja, e - ja! **

Sing-ing

mp

mf

mp

mp

Duration: approx. 2:10

* Also available for Three-part Mixed/SAB (15/1599H) and Two-part (15/1598H).

** Eja = Latin for 'joy' and is pronounced 'eh-(ee)ah'.

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We will sing, sing for joy! Sing-ing
e - ja, e - ja!— Sing, sing for joy! Sing-ing

e - ja, e - ja!— E - ja, e - ja! We will sing for joy— and
e - ja, e - ja!— E - ja, e - ja! We will sing for joy— and

cel - e - brate mu - sic, e - ja, e - ja!—
cel - e - brate mu - sic, e - ja, e - ja!—

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Rhy-thms will dance and the mel - o - dies soar. — Feel the

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joy of the mu-sic, the joy of life,— the joy of the mu-sic, e -

joy— of the mu-sic, the joy of life,— the joy— of the mu-sic, e -

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(2)

mf unis.

ja!

E - ja, e - ja! We will

ja!

mf

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sing for joy— and cel - e - brate mu - sic, e -
mf
E - ja, e - ja! We will cel - e - brate mu - sic, e -

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ja, e - ja! Rhy - thms will dance and the
f
ja, e - ja!

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mel - o - dies soar. Feel the joy of the mu - sic, the
mf
Rhy - thms will dance. Feel the joy— of the mu - sic, the

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(3)

joy of life,— the joy of the mu-sic, e - ja!

joy of life,— the joy— of the mu-sic, e - ja!

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unis. p

Oh, lis - ten!

Lis - ten! Mu-sic is

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Oh, lis-ten to the mü - sic. Don't you

ev' - ry - where.

Hear it—

(4)

mf

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hear it?
Oh, don't you hear it?
sur-round-ing us now.
Don't you hear it?

mp

Float - ing on clouds— and whis-p'ring through the trees,

mp

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mp unis.
poco a poco cresc.

Cir-cling the skies— and roll-ing on the seas, In - spir - ing our
poco a poco cresc.

In - spir - ing our
poco a poco cresc.

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(5)

minds, en - rich - ing our lives, The
minds, en - rich - ing our lives, The

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(6) *f*

pow - er of mu - sic brings joy! Sing
pow - er of mu - sic brings joy! Sing

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unis.

e-ja, e-ja! E-ja, e-ja! We will sing for joy and
e-ja, e-ja! E-ja, e-ja! We will

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cel-e-brate mu-sic, e - ja, e-ja! Rhy-thms will dance and the

cel-e-brate mu-sic, e - ja, e-ja!

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mel - o - dies soar. Feel the joy of the mu - sic, the

Rhy-thms will dance. Feel the joy— of the mu - sic, the

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the joy of the mu - sic!

joy of life, the joy— of the mu - sic!