

This Offering of Praise

SATB with opt. Handbell or Handchime accompaniment

Words by
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Arranged by **Lloyd Larson**

Based on ASH GROVE,
Traditional Welsh melody

With sparkling energy, steady ♩ = ca. 138

1

+Bells

mp

5

SA *mp*

O
-Bells

9

Lord of cre - a - tion, and God of sal - va - tion, to

The musical score is written for SATB voices and piano accompaniment. It begins with a key signature of one flat (Bb) and a 3/4 time signature. The tempo is marked 'With sparkling energy, steady ♩ = ca. 138'. The first system (measures 1-4) features a piano introduction with a melody in the right hand and a bass line in the left hand, marked 'mp'. A square box with the number '1' indicates the CD track number. The second system (measures 5-8) includes vocal entries for Soprano (SA) and Alto (A) in measure 5, and Tenor (T) and Bass (B) in measure 6. The piano accompaniment continues. The third system (measures 9-12) features the vocal melody with the lyrics 'Lord of cre - a - tion, and God of sal - va - tion, to'. The piano accompaniment provides harmonic support.

□ indicates CD track number.

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13 SA 2

You now— we— lift up this of - f'ring of praise. *mp*

TB

For

17

You, in Your— kind - ness, have mend - ed— our— blind - ness and

+Bells

21 3

shown by— Your— good - ness the light of Your ways. *mf*

With— *mf*

25

glad - ness and sing - ing our wor - ship we're bring - ing, for

mf

29

You are the source of our joy and de - light. We

mp

33

join the pro - ces - sion of grate - ful con - fes - sion, "To

-Bells

mp

37

God be— all— glo - ry and wis - dom and might!"

+Bells

41

5

mf

mp

With

45

mp

mp

as

joy and with— plea - sure this mo - ment— we— trea - sure