

What Child Is This?

for Handbells or Handchimes (3, 4, or 5 octaves)

Handbells or Handchimes used: 37, 48, 58

PERFORMANCE NOTES:

3-octave ensembles should omit notes in ().

4-octave ensembles should omit notes in [].

3 and 4-octave ensembles omit notes in < >.

Handchime ensembles should ring notes with a mallet sign.

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Based on the hymn tune GREENSLEEVES

Mysteriously ♩ = 100-112

10 11 12 13 14

15 16 17 * 18 19

20 21 22 23 24

cresc.

25 26 27 28 29

mf

Musical score for piano, measures 30-49. The score is written for two staves (treble and bass clef) and includes dynamic markings and articulation symbols.

Measures 30-34: Treble clef contains chords and single notes, mostly with sharps. Bass clef contains sustained chords and single notes. Measure 31 has a slur over two notes in the bass.

Measures 35-39: Treble clef contains chords and single notes. Bass clef contains sustained chords and single notes. Measure 38 has a crescendo hairpin. Measure 39 has a *mp* (mezzo-piano) dynamic marking.

Measures 40-44: Treble clef contains chords and single notes. Bass clef contains sustained chords and single notes. Measure 40 has a crescendo hairpin. Measure 41 has a *p* (piano) dynamic marking. Measures 43 and 44 have an *LV* (left hand) marking.

Measures 45-49: Treble clef contains chords and single notes. Bass clef contains sustained chords and single notes. Measures 45, 46, and 47 have an *LV* (left hand) marking. Measure 48 has an *R* (right hand) marking. Measure 49 has a final chord in the treble and a single note in the bass.