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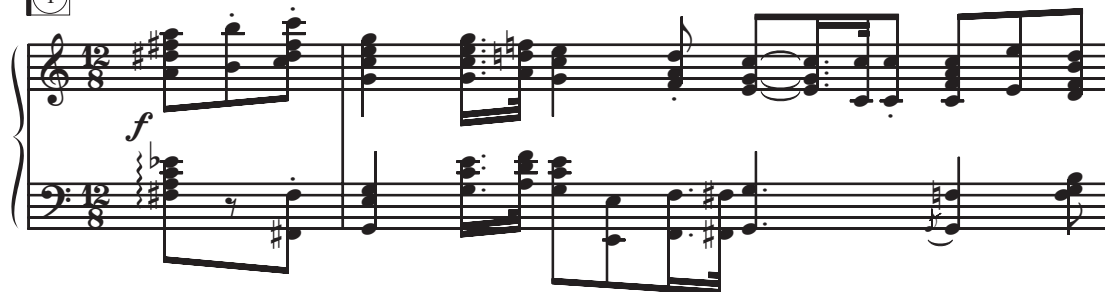
I Must Tell Jesus *with* Blessed Assurance

SAB with opt. Brass and Rhythm

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Based on **ORWIGSBURG** by Elisha A. Hoffman
and **ASSURANCE** by Phoebe Palmer Knapp

① Gospel - very accented ♩ = 48



2

SA *mf*

I must tell Je - sus all of my

B

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4

tri - als; I can-not bear these bur-dens a -

6

lone; In my dis - tress He kind-ly will

8

help me; He ev - er loves and cares for His

10 2 *f*

own. I must tell Je - sus! I must tell

12 I can-not bear my bur-dens a -
Je - sus! I can-not bear my bur-dens a -

14 lone; I must tell Je - sus! I must tell

16

Je - sus! Je - sus can help me, Je - sus a -

18

lone. This is my sto - ry, this is my
(melody)

20

song, prais-ing my Sa - vior all the day
(melody)

22

long. This is my sto - ry, this is my

24

song, prais-ing my Sa - vior all the day

cresc.

26

all the day long. I must tell Je - sus! I must tell

cresc.

This is my sto-ry,

Trust and Obey

SAB with opt. Flute*

Words by
John H. Sammis, 1887

Arranged by **Lloyd Larson**
Tune: TRUST AND OBEY
by **Daniel B. Towner, 1887**

 Gently, steadily ♩ = 112-116

Flute

Gently, steadily ♩ = 112-116

mp *mf*

mf

4 SA *mf*

When we walk with— the Lord in the

B *mf*



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*Optional Flute part is on pages 27-28.

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7

light of — His Word, what a glo - ry — He

This system contains measures 7, 8, and 9. It features a vocal line with lyrics, a piano accompaniment, and a guitar line. The key signature has two sharps (F# and C#). The vocal line has a melodic line and a bass line. The piano accompaniment has a treble and bass line. The guitar line is a single staff with a treble clef. Measure 8 is marked with a circled '8'.

10

8

sheds on — our way! — While we

mp *mf*

This system contains measures 10, 11, and 12. It features a vocal line with lyrics, a piano accompaniment, and a guitar line. The key signature has two sharps (F# and C#). The vocal line has a melodic line and a bass line. The piano accompaniment has a treble and bass line. The guitar line is a single staff with a treble clef. Measure 10 is marked with a circled '8'. Dynamics *mp* and *mf* are indicated in measure 11.

13

do His— good will, He a - bides with— us

This block contains measures 13, 14, and 15 of a musical score. It features a vocal line with lyrics, a bass line, and a piano accompaniment. The key signature has two sharps (F# and C#). Measure 13 includes the lyrics 'do His— good will, He a - bides with— us'. The piano part consists of chords and moving lines in both hands.

16

9

still, and with all who— will trust and— o -

This block contains measures 16, 17, and 18 of the musical score. It continues the vocal line with lyrics, bass line, and piano accompaniment. Measure 16 includes the lyrics 'still, and with all who— will trust and— o -'. A rehearsal mark '9' is placed above measure 17. The piano accompaniment continues with harmonic support for the vocal melody.

19

bey. Trust and o - bey, for there's

f

f

f

p.

22

no oth - er way to be hap - py in

25

Je - sus, but to trust and o -

Musical score for measures 25-27. The vocal line (treble and bass clef) has lyrics "Je - sus, but to trust and o -". The piano accompaniment (treble and bass clef) features a melody in the right hand and a supporting bass line in the left hand. A repeat sign is present at the end of measure 27.

28

bey.

mf 10

mf

mp *mf*

Musical score for measures 28-30. The vocal line (treble and bass clef) has lyrics "bey.". The piano accompaniment (treble and bass clef) features a melody in the right hand and a supporting bass line in the left hand. Dynamics include *mf*, *mp*, and *mf*. A repeat sign is present at the end of measure 30.

31

mf

Not a bur - den — we bear, not a

This system contains measures 31, 32, and 33. The vocal line (treble clef) begins with a whole rest in measure 31, followed by a half note G4, a quarter note A4, a quarter note B4, a half note C5, and a quarter note B4 in measure 32. Measure 33 contains a whole note G4. The piano accompaniment (grand staff) features a steady eighth-note pattern in the right hand and a bass line with eighth notes and chords in the left hand.

gently

This system contains measures 34, 35, and 36. The vocal line continues with a half note G4, a quarter note F#4, a quarter note E4, and a whole note D4 in measure 34. Measures 35 and 36 contain whole notes G4 and F#4 respectively. The piano accompaniment continues with the eighth-note pattern in the right hand and chords in the left hand.

34

sor - row — we share, but our toil, He — will

This system contains measures 37, 38, and 39. The vocal line begins with a half note G4, a quarter note F#4, a quarter note E4, and a whole note D4 in measure 37. Measures 38 and 39 contain whole notes G4 and F#4 respectively. The piano accompaniment continues with the eighth-note pattern in the right hand and chords in the left hand.

This system contains measures 40, 41, and 42. The vocal line continues with a half note G4, a quarter note F#4, a quarter note E4, and a whole note D4 in measure 40. Measures 41 and 42 contain whole notes G4 and F#4 respectively. The piano accompaniment continues with the eighth-note pattern in the right hand and chords in the left hand.

37 11

rich - ly re - pay;

mf

not a

40 Alto only *mp*

not a frown nor a

grief nor a loss, not a frown nor a

43 *mf* SA 12

cross, but is blest if we trust and o -

cross,

46 *mel. f*

bey. Trust and o - bey, for there's

mf *f*

49

no oth - er way to be hap - py — in

This musical system covers measures 49 to 51. It features a vocal melody in the upper staff and piano accompaniment in the lower staves. The key signature has two sharps (F# and C#). The lyrics are: "no oth - er way to be hap - py — in". The piano part includes a solo line in the right hand and a supporting line in the left hand.

52

Je - sus, — but to trust and — o -

This musical system covers measures 52 to 54. It continues the vocal melody and piano accompaniment. The lyrics are: "Je - sus, — but to trust and — o -". The piano part features a more active right hand with some grace notes and a steady left hand.

55 *mf* 13

bey. _____

mf

mp *mf*

mf

58 *poco rit.* *f* *a tempo*

Then in fel - low - ship sweet we will

f

poco rit. *a tempo* *f*

poco rit. *f a tempo*

for my mother, Betty E. Hayes, who taught me to love music
and still reminds me of its power to communicate

His Eye Is on the Sparrow

SAB

Words by
Civilla D. Martin, 1860-1948

Arranged by **Mark Hayes**
Tune: SPARROW
Music by **Charles H. Gabriel**, 1865-1932

16

Moderately slow ♩ = ca. 116

The musical score is written for piano and voice. It begins with a piano introduction in G major, 6/8 time, marked 'Moderately slow' with a tempo of approximately 116 beats per minute. The piano part features a melody in the right hand and a supporting bass line in the left hand, with dynamics ranging from *mp* to *mf*. The score includes a section marked 'rit.' (ritardando) and a section for the voice, starting at measure 6, marked 'SA a tempo'. The voice part is written for Soprano, Alto, and Bass (SAB) voices. The lyrics are: 'Why should I feel dis - cour - aged?'. The piano accompaniment continues with a melody in the right hand and a supporting bass line in the left hand, marked 'mp a tempo'.

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LT

8

Why should the shad - ows come?

10

Why should my heart be lone - ly

12

and long for heav'n and home when

14 *mp*

He's my por - tion.

Je - sus is — my por - tion? — My con - stant Friend — is

mf

17 *mf*

He's my friend. His eye is on the spar - row, —

He. — His eye is on — the spar - row, — and I

20

Yes, I know He watch - es me. — His

know He watch - es me. — His

22

eye is on the spar - row, *mp* and I

24

(17)

yes, He watch - es me. *mf* I know He watch - es me. *mf*

26

Slightly faster ♩ = ca. 120

sing be - cause I'm hap - py. I

Slightly faster ♩ = ca. 120

28 *f*

sing be - cause I'm free. For His

f

30 *Tempo One* ♩ = ca. 116 *rit.* *mf*

eye is on the spar - row, and I

mf

Tempo One ♩ = ca. 116 *rit.*

32 *a tempo*

know He watch - es me.

mf a tempo *mp*

35 *poco rit*

poco rit

38 *mp a tempo*

When - ev - er I am tempt - ed,

mp

a tempo

a tempo

40 *mf*

when - ev - er clouds a - rise,

mf

mf

mf

O Love That Will Not Let Me Go

SAB with opt. String Accompaniment

Words by
George Matheson

Tune: ST. MARGARET
by Albert L. Peace
Arranged with New Music
by Molly Ijames

With stirring tenderness ♩ = 69-72

20

p

mf

poco rit.

9 SA *mp a tempo*

O Love that will not let me go, I

mp a tempo

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12

rest my wea - ry soul in Thee; I

14

give Thee back the life I owe, that

16

in Thine o - cean depths its flow may rich - er,

18

poco rit.

(21)

a tempo

full - er be.

poco rit.

a tempo

20 B *mf*

O Light that fol - l'west all my

22

way, I yield my flick - r'ing torch to

24

Thee; my heart re - stores its bor - rowed

26

ray, that in Thy sun - shine's blaze its

22

28

day may bright-er, fair - er be.

31 *rit.* *mp* Slightly slower ♩ = 63-66

O Joy that seek - est me through

rit. *mp* Slightly slower ♩ = 63-66

33

pain, I can - not close my heart to Thee; _____ I

Come Home

Just As I Am/Softly and Tenderly Jesus Is Calling/Jesus Is Tenderly Calling

Two-part Mixed

Arranged by

**Anna Laura Page and
Jean Anne Shafferman**

25 Expressively ♩ = ca. 92

Just As I Am - Music by William Bradbury, 1849

Softly and Tenderly Jesus Is Calling

Words and Music by Will Thompson, 1880

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19 SA 26 *mp*

watch - ing for

TB *mp*

see, on the por - tals, He's wait - ing and watch - ing,

24 *mf*

you and for me. Come home, _____ come

mf

Come _____ home, _____ come

29 *poco rit.* *f*

home, _____ you who are wea - ry, come home. _____

f

home, _____

f *poco rit.*

34 *a tempo*
mf

Ear - nest-ly, ten - der - ly, Je - sus__ is call - ing,

mf

a tempo
mf

39 *poco rit.* *mp* *a tempo*

call - ing, O sin - ner, come home!_____

mp

call - ing, sin - ner, come home!_____

poco rit. *mp* *a tempo*

44 (27) *accel.*

accel.

Jesus Is Tenderly Calling
Music by George Stebbins, 1883; Words by Fanny Crosby, 1883

49 A little faster

mf

Je - sus is call - ing the wea - ry to rest, call - ing to - day,

A little faster ♩ = ca. 100

mf

55 *mf*

bring Him your bur - den and you will be blessed;

(mel.)

call - ing to - day;

(28)

61 (mel.) *poco rit.* *a tempo*

He will not turn you a - way. Call - ing to -

mf

Call - ing to - day,

poco rit. *a tempo*

67 *rit.*

day, call - ing to - day, call-ing to - day, Je - sus is call-ing to - day,

73 *a tempo* ***f*** (29)

Je - sus is call - ing, is ten - der-ly call-ing to - Je - sus is call - ing, call-ing, Je - sus is ten - der-ly call-ing to -

79 *rit.* ***mp*** **Tempo I** ***mf***

day. O! for the won - der - ful love He has day.

Tempo I ♩ = ca. 92

Just a Closer Walk

Two-part Mixed with opt. Rhythm

Words and Music Traditional
Arranged by **Ruth Elaine Schram**

31 Happily, lightly ♩. = ca 120

The musical score is written for a two-part mixed choir and piano accompaniment. It is in the key of D major (indicated by two sharps) and 12/8 time. The tempo is marked 'Happily, lightly' with a quarter note equal to approximately 120 beats per minute. The piano part begins with a *mf* dynamic and includes a 'Pedal sparingly' instruction. The vocal parts enter at measure 4. The 'Women' part has lyrics 'I am' and the 'Men' part has lyrics 'weak, but Thou art strong;'. The piano accompaniment continues throughout, with dynamics ranging from *mf* to *p*. The score ends at measure 6.

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9

mf

Je - sus, keep me from all

mf

11

wrong;

mf

13

mf

I'll be sat - is - fied as

mf

15

long as I

long, as long

17 *mp*

mp

walk, let me walk close to

mp

19 (32)

Thee.

21 *mf*

Just *mf* a clos - er walk with

Musical score for measures 21-22. The vocal line (treble and bass clef) has lyrics "Just a closer walk with". The piano accompaniment (treble and bass clef) features chords and moving lines. Dynamics include *mf*.

23

Thee, _____

Thee, with *p* Thee,

(mf)

Musical score for measures 23-24. The vocal line (treble and bass clef) has lyrics "Thee, with Thee,". The piano accompaniment (treble and bass clef) features chords and moving lines. Dynamics include *p* and *(mf)*.

25

grant _____ it, Je - sus, _____ is my

mf

Musical score for measures 25-26. The vocal line (treble and bass clef) has lyrics "grant it, Jesus, is my". The piano accompaniment (treble and bass clef) features chords and moving lines. Dynamics include *mf*.

27

plea, —————

plea, my plea, *mp*

(mf)

29

dai - ly walk - ing ——— close to

mf

31

Thee; ————— let it be, dear

mf

(33)

34

Lord, let it be.

36

p When my

38

fee - ble life is o'er,

40 *mp*

time _____ for

mp

mp

42

me will be no more;

44

guide _____ me

46

gent - ly, safe - ly o'er

o'er, safe - ly

48

poco rit.

to Thy king - dom

o'er

poco rit.

50

34

a tempo

shore, to Thy shore.

a tempo

Gather by the River to Pray

Down to the River to Pray/Shall We Gather at the River

Two-part Mixed

Arranged by
Pepper Choplin

[35] Gentle walking tempo ♩ = ca. 63
Women

Women

Men

mp

As I went

Gentle walking tempo ♩ = ca. 63

mp

3

down to the riv-er to pray, stud-y-in' a-bout that good ole way; and

The image shows a musical score for the hymn 'Down to the River to Pray'. It consists of three staves. The top staff is a vocal melody in treble clef, key of D major (one sharp), and 3/4 time. It begins with a treble clef, a key signature of one sharp (F#), and a 3/4 time signature. The melody is: D4 (quarter), E4 (quarter), F#4 (quarter), G4 (quarter), A4 (quarter), B4 (quarter), C5 (quarter), B4 (quarter), A4 (quarter), G4 (quarter), F#4 (quarter), E4 (quarter), D4 (quarter). The second staff is a piano accompaniment in treble clef, key of D major, and 3/4 time. It begins with a treble clef, a key signature of one sharp (F#), and a 3/4 time signature. The accompaniment is: D4 (quarter), E4 (quarter), F#4 (quarter), G4 (quarter), A4 (quarter), B4 (quarter), C5 (quarter), B4 (quarter), A4 (quarter), G4 (quarter), F#4 (quarter), E4 (quarter), D4 (quarter). The third staff is a bass line in bass clef, key of D major, and 3/4 time. It begins with a bass clef, a key signature of one sharp (F#), and a 3/4 time signature. The bass line is: D3 (quarter), E3 (quarter), F#3 (quarter), G3 (quarter), A3 (quarter), B3 (quarter), C4 (quarter), B3 (quarter), A3 (quarter), G3 (quarter), F#3 (quarter), E3 (quarter), D3 (quarter). The lyrics 'down to the riv-er to pray, stud-y-in' a-bout that good ole way; and' are written below the vocal melody.

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5 36

who shall wear the star - ry crown? Good Lord, show me the

way.

mel. mp down to the riv - er to pray,

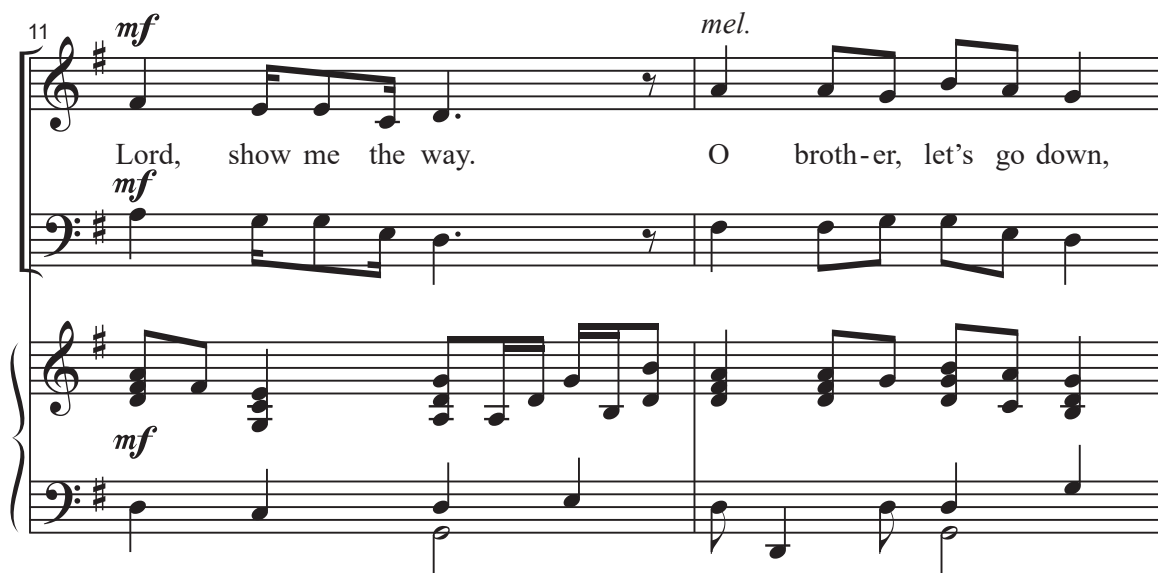
As I went down to the riv - er to pray,

stud - y - in' a - bout that good ole way; and who shall wear the star - ry crown? Good

11 *mf* *mel.*

Lord, show me the way. O broth-er, let's go down,

mf



13

let's go down, come on down. O broth-er, let's go down,



15

down to the riv-er to pray, down to the riv-er to

down to the riv-er to pray, to



68

17 37 *mp*

pray. *mp*

pray.

mp *mf*

Shall We Gather at the River
 Words and Music by **Robert Lowry**, 1864

19 *mf*

Shall we gath-er at the riv - er, where bright an-gel feet have trod,——

21 *mf*

with its crys-tal tide for-ev - er flow-ing by the throne of God?

23

Ere we reach the shin-ing riv - er, lay we ev-'ry bur-den down;—

25

(38)

grace our spir-its will de-liv - er and pro-vide a_robe and_crown.

27

f

*

Yes, we'll gath-er at the riv - er, the beau-ti-ful, the beau-ti-ful_riv - er;

f

*Sing cued pitches only if sopranos and/or tenors are available.

29 39 *poco rit.*

gath-er with the saints_at the riv - er that flows by the throne of__

poco rit.

31 *a tempo*

God.

mf

So let's go

a tempo

33 *mf*

Shall we gath-er at the riv - er, where bright an-gel feet have trod,____

down to the riv-er to pray, stud-y-in' a-bout that good ole way that

35

with its crys-tal tide for-ev - er flow - ing by the throne of_

we shall wear the star-ry crown. Good Lord, show us the

37

God. So let's go down to the riv - er to pray,

way. Soon we'll reach the shin-ing riv - er,

39

stud - y - in' a - bout that good ole way that

soon our pil - grim - age will cease;

For the Beauty of the Earth

SATB or Two-part Mixed* with opt. Flute**

Words by
Folliott S. Pierpoint, 1864, alt.

Music by **Cindy Berry**
Quoting DIX
by Conrad Kocher, 1838

[42] Gently ♩ = ca. 120
+Fl.

mp

5 SA *mp*
For the beau - ty of the earth, — for the glo - ry of — the

TB *mp*

-Fl. +Fl.

8 **[43]**
skies, for the love — which from our birth — o - ver

The musical score is written for SATB or Two-part Mixed voices with an optional Flute. It is in 4/4 time with a key signature of two sharps (F# and C#). The tempo is marked 'Gently' with a quarter note equal to approximately 120 beats per minute. The score begins with a piano introduction marked 'mp' (mezzo-piano) and includes dynamic markings like crescendo and decrescendo. The vocal parts (Soprano, Alto, Tenor, and Bass) enter at measure 5. The lyrics are: 'For the beauty of the earth, — for the glory of — the skies, for the love — which from our birth — o - ver'. The score continues through measure 8, where measure 43 is indicated. The piano accompaniment features arpeggiated chords and sustained bass notes.

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*For performance by Two-part Mixed voices, omit cued notes. **Optional Flute part is on pages 83-84.

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11

and a-round us lies, Lord of all, to Thee we

mf

mf

-Fl. +Fl.

mf

14

raise this our hymn of grate-ful praise, this our hymn of

-Fl.

18

grate-ful praise.

mp

mp

mp

+Fl.

44

22 *mp*

For the won - der of each hour__ of the

mp

For the won - der__ of

-Fl.

25

day and of__ the night, hill and vale,__ and

day and the night, hill and vale,__

28 (45)

tree and flower,__ sun and moon and stars__ of light, Lord of

+Fl.

31 *mf*

all, to Thee we raise this our hymn of grate - ful

mf

mf

34 46 *mp*

praise, this our hymn of grate - ful praise.

mp

mp

-Fl.

+Fl.

38 *smoothly, expressively*

For the joy of hu - man

smoothly, expressively

-Fl.

41 *mf* (47)

love, _____ broth - er, sis - ter, _____ par - ent,

+Fl. -Fl.

mf

45 a -

child, _____ friends on earth and friends a -

+Fl.

49 bove, _____

bove, a - bove, for all gen - tle thoughts and