

Score

Dedicated to the Community Chorus of Penn Yan, New York

Dur: c 2:25

Christmas

Anthem for SATB Divisi Voices, Keyboard and (Opt.) 3 Octave Handbells and 3 Octave Handchimes

Based on text by
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With energy (♩ = ca. 112)

Piano

ff - pp

Handbells/
Handchimes

ff - pp

*When Handbells are used, Keyboard should begin at bracket in m. 12.

S

A

T

B

mp **A** *dolce*

As shad - ows cast by cloud and

mp *dolce*

As shad - ows cast by cloud and

mp *dolce*

As shad - ows cast by cloud and

mp *dolce*

As shad - ows cast by cloud and

Pno

mp *dolce*

HB

mp *dolce*

S
sun flit o'er the sum - mer grass, so, in Your

A
sun flit o'er the sum - mer grass, so, in Your

T
sun flit o'er the sum - mer grass, so, in Your

B
sun flit o'er the sum - mer grass, so, in Your

Pno

HB

16 17 18 19 20 21

S
sight, Al - might - y One, earth's gen - er - a - tions

A
sight, Al - might - y One, earth's gen - er - a - tions

T
sight, Al - might - y One, earth's gen - er - a - tions

B
sight, Al - might - y One, earth's gen - er - a - tions

Pno

HB

22 23 24 25 26

B (♩ = ca. 44)

mf

S
pass. _____ And as the years, — an end - less host, come swift - ly

mf

A
pass. _____ And as the years, an end - less host, come swift - ly

mf

T
pass. _____ And as the years, an end - less host, come swift - ly

mf

B
pass. _____ And as the years, an end - less host, come swift - ly

mf

Pno

HB

27 28 29 30 31 32 33

S
press - ing on, _____ the bright - est names that earth can boast just glist - en

A
press - ing on, _____ the bright - est names that earth can boast just glist - en

T
press - ing on, _____ the bright - est names that earth can boast just glist - en

B
press - ing on, _____ the bright - est names that earth can boast just glist - en

Pno

34 35 36 37 38 39 40 41

C (♩ = ca. 92)

S
and are gone. Yet does the star of Beth - 'lem shed a

A
and are gone. Yet does the star of Beth - 'lem shed a

T
and are gone. Yet does the star of Beth - 'lem shed a

B
and are gone. Yet does the star of Beth - 'lem shed a

Pno

42 43 44 45 46 47 48

S
lus - tre pure and sweet: and still it

A
lus - tre pure and sweet: and still it

T
lus - tre pure and sweet: and still it

B
lus - tre pure and sweet: and still it

Pno

49 50 51 52 53

S leads, as once it led, to the Mes - si - ah's

A leads, as once it led, to the Mes - si - ah's

T leads, as once it led, to the Mes - si - ah's

B leads, as once it led, to the Mes - si - ah's

Pno

54 55 56 57 58

D
Medium Voice Solo *mf*

Solo O Ho - ly One may that yon - der star grow

S feet. (Hum) *pp* *div.*

A feet. (Hum) *pp* *div.*

T feet. (Hum) *pp* *div.*

B feet. (Hum) *pp* *div.*

Pno

HB/HC *pp* HC

59 60 61 62 63 64