

for Mary and Jeremy
As the bridegroom to his chosen

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Andante legato (♩ = 84) **SOPRANOS and ALTOS mp dolce**

VOICES

ORGAN Sw. mp legato

Ped.

5(23)

As the

8) bride-groom to his cho-sen, as the king un-to his realm, As the
(2.) foun-tain in the gar-den, as the can-dle in the dark, As the

Ch.

9(27)

8) keep-er to the cas-tle, as the pi-lot to the
trea-sure in the cof-fer, as the man-na in the

* Slightly altered, and with lines 5 and 6 of each stanza added by John Rutter.

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12(30) **cresc. div. mf mp**

8) helm, ark, As the cap-tain to his sol-diers, as the
As the fire-light in the win-ter, as the

cresc. mf mp

15(33) **p**

8) shep-herd to his lambs, } So, Lord, art thou to
sun-light in the spring, }

p

19 **1. TENORS and BASSES mp**

me. 2. As the

1.