

for the Kinzer Family, Littleton, Colorado

THE JESUS GIFT

for Mixed Voices, S. A. B.* Medium Solo, with Keyboard

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Gently ♩ = 92

musical score for the beginning of the piece, featuring a piano introduction in G major, 8/8 time. The right hand plays chords, and the left hand plays a flowing eighth-note pattern. The tempo is marked 'Gently' with a quarter note equal to 92 beats per minute. The dynamic is marked 'mf'.

5 Medium Solo (or several voices in unison)

musical score for the first vocal entry, starting at measure 5. The vocal line is in G major, 8/8 time. The lyrics are: "Shall I gath - er em - 'rals, shall I bring him gold? _____". The piano accompaniment continues with the same pattern as the introduction, marked 'mp'.

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musical score for the second vocal entry, starting at measure 9. The vocal line continues the melody. The lyrics are: "Shall I show - er dia - monas, white - hard, bright - cold? _____". The piano accompaniment continues with the same pattern, marked 'mp'.

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musical score for the third vocal entry, starting at measure 13. The vocal line continues the melody. The lyrics are: "Shall I span - gle jew - els like stars a - bove? _____". The piano accompaniment continues with the same pattern, marked 'f'.

* Also available S. A. T. B., HMC-235
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17 Choir in unison

mp

Give him laugh - ter, bring peace - filled laugh - ter,

21 Ped. simile

Of - fer him warm laugh - ter, and love. _____

25 S.A. unis.

mf

B. Shall we gath - er em - 'rals, shall we bring him gold? _____

mp

Oo _____

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Shall we show - er dia - monds, white-hard, bright-cold? _____

Oo _____ Oo _____ Oo _____