

Oh dearest Jesus

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Adagio e con devozione

Soprano *pp*
Oh dear - est Je - sus,

Alto *p*
Oh dear - est Je - sus, Ho - ly Child, dear - est Je - sus,

Tenor

Bass

Adagio e con devozione

Organ *pp*
Ped. *Man.*

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S. *pp*
Ho - ly Child, Make Thee a bed, soft, un - de - fil - ed,

A. *pp*
Ho - ly Child, Make Thee a bed, soft, un - de - fil - ed,

T.

B. *p*
Oh

Org.

8

S.

A.

T. *p*
Oh dear - est Je - sus, Ho - ly Child,

B.
dear - est Je - sus, Ho - ly Child, Make Thee a

Org. *p*

11

S. *pp*
Oh dear - est Je - sus,

A. *pp*
bed, soft, un - de - fil - ed; Oh dear - est Je - sus,

T. *pp*
— Make a bed un - de - fil - ed; Oh dear - est Je - sus,

B. *pp*
bed, soft, un - de - fil - ed; Oh dear - est Je - sus,

Org. *pp*

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S. *mf* *p*
 Ho - ly Child, Make Thee a bed, soft, un - de - fil - ed, With -

A. *mf* *p*
 Ho - ly Child, Make Thee a bed, soft, un - de - fil - ed, With -

T. *mf* *p*
 Ho - ly Child, Make Thee a bed, Make Thee a bed, un - de - fil - ed, With -

B. *mf* *p*
 Ho - ly Child, Make Thee a bed, un - de - fi - led, With -

Org. *p*

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S. in my heart, with - in my heart that it may be A

A. in my heart that it may be A

T. in my heart, with - in my heart that it may be A

B. in my heart, with - in my heart, A

Org.

20

S. *p* qui - et cham-ber kept *pp* for Thee; *p* a qui - et

A. *p* cham - ber kept *pp* for Thee; *p* a qui - et

T. *p* qui - et cham-ber kept *pp* for Thee; *p* a qui - et

B. *p* qui - et cham-ber kept *pp* for Thee; *p* a qui - et

Org. *p* *pp* *p*

23

S. cham - ber kept for Thee; that it may be A qui - et

A. cham - ber kept for Thee; that it may be a qui - et

T. cham - ber kept for Thee; that it may be a qui - et

B. cham - ber kept for Thee;

Org. *Ped.*

26 *pp*

S. cham - ber kept for Thee, kept for

A. cham - ber kept for Thee, kept for

T. cham - ber kept for Thee; kept for

B. *p* a qui - et cham-ber kept for Thee, kept for

Org.

29 **Piu animato** *mf*

S. Thee. My

A. *mf* Thee, for Thee. My heart for ve - ry

T. Thee, for Thee.

B. *mf* Thee. My heart for ve - ry joy, My

Piu animato

Org. *Man.*

32

S. *f*
heart for v - ry joy doth leap, for joy, for

A. *f*
joy, for joy doth leap, for joy, for

T. *f*
for joy doth leap, for joy, for

B. *f*
heart for joy doth leap, for joy doth

Org. *f*

35

S. *f*
joy, for joy doth leap, My heart for ve - ry joy doth

A. *f*
joy doth leap, My heart for ve - ry joy doth

T. *f*
joy, for joy doth leap, My heart for ve - ry joy doth

B. *f*
leap, doth leap, for ve - ry joy doth

Org. *f*
Ped. *Man.*

38 *ff*

S. leap, doth leap, My lips no more can si - lence

A. leap, doth leap, My lips no more can si - lence

T. leap, doth leap, My lips no more can si - lence

B. leap, doth leap, My lips no more can si - lence

Org.

40

S. keep. for joy doth

A. keep. for joy doth

T. keep. for joy doth

B. *f* keep; my heart for ve - ry joy doth leap, My heart for ve - ry joy doth

Org.

p

f

42

S. *f* leap, My heart for ve-ry joy doth leap, *ff* My lips_ no

A. *f* leap, My heart_ for ve-ry joy_ doth leap, *ff* My_ lips_

T. *f* leap, My heart_ for ve-ry joy_ doth leap, *ff* My lips_ no

B. *f* leap, My heart_ for ve-ry joy_ doth leap, *ff* My lips no

Org. *f* *ff*

45

S. *f* more_ can si - - lence keep. I, too, must

A. *f* no more can_ si - lence keep. I, too, must cing; I, too, must

T. more_ can_ si - - lence keep.

B. more can si - - lence keep.

Org. *f*

52 *ff* *p*

S. sing with joy - ful lips The sweet - est an - cient cra - dle

A. *ff* *p*
sing with joy - ful lips The sweet - est an - cient cra - dle

T. *ff* *p*
sing with joy - ful lips The sweet - - est an - cient cra - dle

B. *ff* *p*
sing with joy - ful lips The sweet - - est an - cient cra - dle

Org. *ff* *p*

Man.

55 *poco rit.*

S. song; The sweet - - - est an - cient cra - dle song;

A. song; The sweet - est an - cient cra - dle song;

T. song; The sweet - - - est cra - dle song;

B. song; The sweet - - - est cra - dle song;

Org. *poco rit.*

Allegro (♩ = c.120)

58 *f*

S. Glo - ry to God in high - est heav - en, Who un - to man His

A. Glo - ry to God in high - est heav - en, Who to man His

T. Glo - ry to God in high - est heav - en, Who un - to man His

B. Glo - ry to God in high - est heav - en, Who to man His

Allegro (♩ = c.120)

f

Org. *Ped.*

61

S. Son hath giv - en.

A. Son hath giv - en.

T. *mf* Son hath giv - en. Glo - ry to God in high - est heav - en,

B. *p* Son hath giv - en. Glo - ry to God in high - est heav -

Org. *p*

Man.

64 *mf*

S. *mf*
Glo - ry to God in high - est heav - en, Glo - ry to God in

A. *p*
Glo - ry, Glo - ry to God in high - est heav - en, Glo - ry to God in

T. *p*
Glo - ry to God in high - est heav - en, Glo - ry to God in

B.
en. Glo - ry to God in

Org. *mf*
Ped.

67

S. high - est heav - en Who un - to man His Son hath giv - en,

A. high - est heav - en, Glo - - ry, Glo - - - ry,

T. high - est heav - en Who un - to man His Son hath giv - en,

B. high - est heav - en, Glo - - - ry, Glo - - - ry,

Org.

70

f *ff*

S. Glo - ry to God in high - est heav - en, Glo - - - -

A. Glo - ry to God in high - est heav - en, Glo - ry to

T. Glo - ry to God in high - est heav - en, Glo - ry to God,

B. Glo - ry to God in high - est heav - en, Glo - ry to God in

Org. *f*

Ped ad lib

73

S. - - - - ry, Glo - - - - - - - - - - ry,

A. God in heav - en, Glo - ry to God in heav - en,

T. Glo - - - - - - - - - - ry, Glo - - - - -

B. high - est heav - en, Who un - to man His son hath giv - en,

Org.

76

S. Glo - ry to God in high - est heav - en, Who un - to man His

A. Glo - ry to God in high - est heav - en, Who to man His

T. - - ry to God Who to man His

B. Glo - - - - - ry to God, Who His

Org.

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Maestoso

S. *f* Son hath giv - en, Glo - ry to God in high - est heav -

A. *f* Son hath giv - en, Glo - ry to God in high - est heav -

T. *f* Son hath giv - en, Glo - ry to God in high - est heav - en,

B. *f* Son hath giv - en, Glo - ry to God in high - est heav -

Maestoso

Org.

83 *rit.* *Tempo* *pp*

S. en, in high - - - est heav - en, in heav - en. Oh

A. eb, in high - est heav - en, in high - est heav'n, in heav'n. Oh

T. Glo - - - - ry to God in high - est heav'n. Oh

B. en, in high - est heav - en, in heav - - - - ven. Oh

Org. *pp* *Man.*

87 *primo*

S. dear - est Je - sus, Ho - ly Chld, Make thee a bed, soft,

A. dear - est Je - sus, Ho - ly Chld, Make thee a bed, Make thee a

T. dear - est Je - sus, Ho - ly Child, Make thee a bed, soft,

B. dear - est Je - sus, Ho - ly Child, Make thee a bed,

Org. *primo*

90 *p*

S. un - de - fil - ed With - in my heart, with - in my heart, that

A. bed, un - de - fil - ed With - in my heart, that

T. un - de - fil - ed With - in my heart, with - in my heart, that

B. un - de - fil - ed, With - in my heart, with - in my heart,

Org. *p*

93

S. it may be A qui - et cham - ber kept for

A. it may be A cham - ber kept for

T. it may be A qui - et cham - ber kept for

B. — A qui - et cham - ber kept for

Org.

96

S. *p*
Thee. — Oh dear - est Je - sus, dear - est Je -

A. *p*
Thee. Oh dear - est Je - sus, — dear - est — Je -

T. *p*
Thee. Oh dear - est dear - est Je - sus, dear - est Je -

B. *p*
Thee. Oh dear - est Je - - sus, dear - est Je -

Org.

99

S. *p* *pp*
sus, My heart, — a qui - et cham - ber — kept —

A. *p* *pp*
sus, My heart, — a qui - et cham - ber — kept —

T. *p* *pp*
sus, My heart a qui - et cham - - - ber — kept —

B. *p* *pp*
sus. My heart — a qui - et cham - - - - ber kept —

Org. *pp* *pp*

Man.

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S. *rit.* *pp*
for Thee, Je - - sus.

A. *pp*
for Thee, Je - - sus.

T. *pp*
for Thee, Je - - sus.

B. *pp*
for Thee, Je - - sus.

Org. *rit.* *pp*
Ped.