

# Jesu Joy of Man's Desiring

Chorale from Cantata #147

Brevis

Johan Sebastian Bach  
(1685-1750)

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$\text{♩} = 70$

The musical score is arranged in five staves. The vocal parts (Soprano, Alto, Tenor, Bass) are in treble clef with a key signature of one sharp (F#) and a 3/4 time signature. The piano accompaniment is in a grand staff (treble and bass clefs) with the same key signature and time signature. The tempo is marked as quarter note = 70. The lyrics '1. Je - su, joy of' are written below the vocal staves. The piano part features a complex texture with many triplets and sixteenth-note patterns.

Soprano  
Alto  
Tenor  
Bass  
Piano

1. Je - su, joy of  
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S. man's de - sir - ing, Ho - ly wis - dom,

A. man's de - sir - ing, Ho - ly wis - dom,

T. man's de - sir - ing, Ho - ly wis - dom,

B. man's de - sir - ing, Ho - ly wis - dom,

Pno.

12

S. Love most bright, Drawn by

A. Love most bright, Drawn by

T. Love most bright, Drawn by

B. Love most bright, Drawn by

Pno.

17

S. Thee, our souls as - pir - ing, soar to un - cre -

A. Thee, our souls as - pir - ing, soar to un - cre -

T. Thee, our souls as - pir - ing, soar to un - cre -

B. Thee, our souls as - pir - ing, soar to un - cre -

Pno.

23

S. at - ed light.

A. at - ed light.

T. at - ed light.

B. at - ed light.

Pno.

28

S. Word of God, our flesh that fash - ion'd,

A. Word of God, our flesh that fash - ion'd,

T. Word of God, our flesh that fash - ion'd,

B. Word of God, our flesh that fash - ion'd,

Pno.

32

S. With the fire of

A. With the fire of

T. With the fire of

B. With the fire of

Pno.

36

S. life im - pas - sion'd,

A. life im - pas - sion'd,

T. life im - pas - sion'd,

B. life im - pas - sion'd,

Pno.

40

S. Striv - ing still to Truth un - known,

A. Striv - ing still to Truth un - known,

T. Striv - ing still to Truth un - known,

B. Striv - ing still to Truth un - known,

Pno.

45

S. Soar - ing, dy - ing, round Thy throne.

A. Soar - ing, dy - ing, round Thy throne.

T. Soar - ing, dy - ing, round Thy throne.

B. Soar - ing, dy - ing, round Thy throne.

Pno.

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Pno.

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Pno.