

Softly and Tenderly

Handbells used: 3 octaves (36 bells);
4 octaves (48 bells);
5 octaves (57 bells)

optional

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3 octave choirs omit notes in ().
3 & 4 octave choirs omit notes in < >.
5 octave choirs play all notes.

THOMPSON

Will L. Thompson

*Piano Setting by Joel Raney

Arranged for Handbells by Arnold B. Sherman

Slowly and thoughtfully (♩ = ca. 96)

1 2 3 4

p

LV LV LV LV

5 6 7 8

pp

LV LV LV LV

9 10 11 12

mp cantabile

LV LV LV LV

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**5 octave choirs double the top note an octave higher.

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with movement

*Five octave choirs double top note an octave higher.

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29 30 31 32

33 34 35 36

37 38 39 40

41 42 43 44

rit.

mp a tempo

mf more movement

LV R LV LV LV LV LV LV LV LV LV

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45 46 47

48 49 50

51 52 53

54 55 56

LV

mf

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60 61 62

TD *pp* *delicately* TD

TD TD

LV LV

63

64

65

TD

LV

LV

R

LV

66 67 68

LV R LV LV

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69 70 71

R
allarg.

f

LV

72 73 74 75

rit.

LV

76 77 78 79

slow

LV gently

optional roll

LV

80 81 82 83

LV

LV

LV (to the end)

*Five octave choirs double top 2 notes an octave higher. **Five octave choirs double top note an octave higher.

Sofily and Tenderly

The Handbell Music of Arnold B. Sherman

Code No.

2395	ACCLAMATION ON "AZMON"	3-6 Oct.	1652	JOYFUL, JOYFUL, WE ADORE THEE	2-3 Oct.
2395D	ACCLAMATION ON "AZMON"	Dir/Organ Score	1851	JOYFUL, JOYFUL, WE ADORE THEE	4-5 Oct.
1612	AH, HOLY JESUS	3-5 Oct.	2147	JOYFUL, JOYFUL, WE ADORE THEE	4-6 Oct.
2228	ANGELS WE HAVE HEARD ON HIGH	3-5 Oct.	1727	JUBILATE	3-5 Oct.
C 5157	ANGELS WE HAVE HEARD ON HIGH	SATB Choral	2320	JUST AS I AM	3-5 Oct.
1672	AVE VERUM CORPUS	3-4 Oct.	C 5339	JUST AS I AM	SATB Choral
2073	BALLADE	3-5 Oct.	RS 7728	LEAD ON, O KING ETERNAL	SATB Choral
2185	BIND US TOGETHER (Arr. Raney)	3-5 Oct.	1852	LEAD ON, O KING ETERNAL	3-5 Oct.
1567	BIST DU BEI MIR	3 Oct.	2210	LET THERE BE PEACE ON EARTH	2-3 Oct.
2327	BRING A TORCH, JEANETTE ISABELLA	3-6 Oct.	2402	LET THERE BE PEACE ON EARTH	3-5 Oct.
1676	CANTICLE	3-5 Oct.	2329	LORD, I LIFT YOUR NAME ON HIGH	3-5 Oct.
2141	CANTIQUÉ DE JEAN RACINE	3-5 Oct.	C 5361	LORD, I LIFT YOUR NAME ON HIGH	SATB Choral
2375	CAROL OF THE BELLS	3-5 Oct.	2112	MIGHTY FORTRESS, A	4-6 Oct.
1644	CHRISTMAS SUITE	2-3 Oct.	2273	NEWS OF GREAT JOY	3-5 Oct.
1645	CHRISTMAS SUITE	4-5 Oct.	2298	O COME, O COME, EMMANUEL	4-7 Oct.
2266	COME, NOW IS THE TIME TO WORSHIP	3-5 Oct.	2221	OLD RUGGED CROSS, THE	3-6 Oct.
C 5539	COME, NOW IS THE TIME TO WORSHIP	SATB Choral	2349	OVATION OF PRAISE	3-6 Oct.
1643	DANZA FESTIVO	3-5 Oct.	2285	PRAISE TO THE LORD, THE ALMIGHTY	3-6 Oct.
2436	DARKEST HOUR (Lenten Meditations)	3-6 Oct.	1518	PROCESSION OF PRAISE	3-5 Oct.
1521	DOWN BY THE RIVERSIDE	3-5 Oct.	1895	PROCESSION OF PRAISE	Dir/Organ Score
1433	ENGLISH CAROL, AN	3-5 Oct.	2195	PROCESSIONAL	3-5 Oct.
2422	FAIREST LORD JESUS	3-6 Oct.	2196	PROCESSIONAL	Full Score
1698	FANTASY NO. 1 IN F MINOR	3-5 Oct.	2192	PROMENADE from <i>Pictures at an Exhibition</i>	3-5 Oct.
1981	FANTASY NO. 2 IN C MINOR	3-5 Oct.	2193	PROMENADE from <i>Pictures at an Exhibition</i>	Dir/Organ Score
2255	FANTASY NO. 3 IN G MINOR	3-6 Oct.	2431	RISEN LORD	3-6 Oct.
2286	FESTA	3-6 Oct.	2431D	RISEN LORD	Dir/Organ Score
2286D	FESTA	Dir/Organ Score	1371	RUDOLPH, THE RED NOSED REINDEER	2-5 Oct.
1324	FESTIVE FANFARE	2-3 Oct.	2266	SHOUT TO THE LORD	3-5 Oct.
1325	FESTIVE FANFARE	4-5 Oct.	C 5246	SHOUT TO THE LORD	SATB Choral
2450	FOR THE BEAUTY OF THE EARTH	3-5 Oct.	1249	SILENT NIGHT, HOLY NIGHT	3-5 Oct.
1764	GAUDEAMUS	3-5 Oct.	2443	SOFTLY AND TENDERLY	3-5 Oct.
2231	GIFT OF GRACE, THE	3-5 Oct.	1422	SONG OF JOY	3-4 Oct.
2201	GOD SO LOVED THE WORLD	3-5 Oct.	1425	SONG OF JOY	5 Oct.
2230	HARK! THE HERALD ANGELS SING	4-6 Oct.	1697	SONG OF REMEMBRANCE	3-5 Oct.
1343	HE IS BORN	3 Oct.	2272	SONG OF THE MANGER	2-3 Oct.
1726	HE IS BORN	5 Oct.	1282	SONG OF THE WIND	3-5 Oct.
RS 7727	HE IS BORN	Two-Part Choral	1853	SONG OF TRIUMPH	3-5 Oct.
C 5054	HE IS BORN	SATB Choral	1854	SONG OF TRIUMPH	Full Score
2369	HE LEADETH ME	3-6 Oct.	1847	STRIFE IS O'ER, THE	3-5 Oct.
1844	HE NEVER SAID A MUMBALIN' WORD	3-5 Oct.	1635	TRUMPET TUNE FANFARE	2-3 Oct.
2140	HERE I AM, LORD	3-5 Oct.	1730	TRUMPET TUNE FANFARE	4-5 Oct.
C 5087	HERE I AM, LORD	SATB Choral	1731	TRUMPET TUNE FANFARE	Dir/Organ Score
2152	IF WITH ALL YOUR HEARTS	3-5 Oct.	2055	UP ON THE HOUSETOP	3-6 Oct.
C 5106	IF WITH ALL YOUR HEARTS	SATB Choral	2392	WHAT WONDROUS LOVE IS THIS	3-5 Oct.
2233	INTERMEZZO from <i>Cavalleria Rusticana</i>	3-5 Oct.	1267	WERE YOU THERE	3 Oct.
2417	I LOVE YOU LORD	3-5 Oct.	2356	WHEN I SURVEY THE WONDROUS CROSS	3-6 Oct.
1867	IT CAME UPON THE MIDNIGHT CLEAR	3-5 Oct.	2411	WHEN IN OUR MUSIC GOD IS GLORIFIED	3-5 Oct.
1888	IT CAME UPON THE MIDNIGHT CLEAR	Full Score	2414D	WHEN IN OUR MUSIC GOD IS GLORIFIED	Dir/Organ
1734	JESUS LOVES ME	3-5 Oct.			
1708	JESUS SHALL REIGN	2-3 Oct.			
1709	JESUS SHALL REIGN	4-5 Oct.			
1897	JOURNEY, THE	3-5 Oct.			

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