

# I KNOW HE LIVES

A Christmas Cantata  
Vocal Score

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# IN THE BEGINNING

SATB, Vocal Score with Tenor Solo

John 1:1, 3, 4, 14

Words and Music by  
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"...before the breath of life stirred upon this earth; before all creation began, was Jesus Christ, Son of God."

8 SSA  
*mp*  
Solo TB  
In the be - gin - ning was the Word, And the Word was with God. And the

19 *mp*  
Word was with God. And the Word was God. All things were made by

24 *cresc.* *mf*  
Him. All things were made by Him. In Him was life, In Him was

32 *cresc.* *f* *mf*  
light, in Him, the life and the light of men. And the Word was made  
*cresc.* *f* *faster*

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flesh and dwelt a - mong us. The Word was made flesh and dwelt a -

mong us. The Word was made flesh, and dwelt a - mong us. The Word of

*cresc.* 44

God. And we be - held His glo - ry. And we be - held the glo - ry of the

*rit.*

Ev - er - last - ing light. *ff* 52 *mp a tempo* In the be - gin - ning was the Word. *mf* E - ven the

*Solo* *TB*

Son. The Son of God. And the Word was God.

*f* *ff* *allargando*

# I KNOW HE LIVES

## SATB Vocal Score

"...And we heard the voice bearing record that he is the only Begotten of the Father." (music begins)

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*Resolutely* **Solo** *mf* 7

I know He lives, — With Him there is no end. I know He lives, — as my e -

*cresc.* *f* *dimin.*

ter - nal friend. Be - cause He lives, — I know that I shall live a - gain. I know — my Sa - vior

**Solo** *mf* 14

lives. I know He lives — and bless - es me with peace. I feel the joy — in - side my

**SA**

*mp* Ooh. — Ooh. —

**TB**

*f* *mf*

soul in - crease. I'll give my life — to serve Him will - ing - ly. I know — my Sa - vior lives.

*f* *mf*

— I'll give my life — to serve Him will - ing - ly. I know — my Sa - vior lives. —

*f* *mf*

22 **Solo** *Adagio*

*mp* He gent - ly leads me. His spir - it feeds me. All that I am I owe to His great love.

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26 *cresc.* *f*

One com-ing day, I shall see His face, and He will hold me. For He has told me that I can

Solo *ff* *molto rit.* Solo 32

live with Him e - ter - nal - ly! I know He lives, my

SA *molto rit.* I know He lives my Sa - vior

TB *ff* I know He lives my Sa - vior

36 *mf*

Sa - vior! I know He lives my King! I want to love Him 'til the

and my King! I know He lives. I will re - joice and sing. I want to love Him 'til the

*mp* *rit.* *dimin.* *p*

end of time. I know He lives. I know He lives.

SA *mp* *rit.* *dimin.* *p*

TB *mp* *rit.* *dimin.* *p*

end of time. I know He lives. I know He lives.

# MARY, OH, MARY

## SSA Vocal Score

5

"...My soul doth magnify the Lord, and my spirit hath rejoiced in God my Saviour."

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Gently 5 Unison

*mp* Ma - ry, oh, Ma - ry, fa - vored of God. Mo - ther of the Sa - rior, the  
world gives you laud. Ma - ry, oh, Ma - ry, I feel you so near. Help me see the  
21 *f* qual - i - ties that you hold dear. Oh, cour - age, pur - i - ty, lov - ing o - be - di - ence.  
*mp* 29 *Sop.* Vir - tu - ous Ma - ry, fa - vored of God. Ma - ry, Ma - ry, sis - ter to sis - ter, my  
*Alto* Ma - ry, Ma - ry, sis - ter to sis - ter my  
38 *f* yearn - ing for hea - ven grows deep. Ma - ry, I, too, seek ded - i - ca - tion to God.  
yearn - ing for hea - ven grows deep. Ma - ry, I, too, seek ded - i - ca - tion to God.  
*dimin.*  
Hum - bly I pray for the strength to live val - iant and faith - ful just like Ma - ry,  
*dimin.*  
Hum - bly I pray for the strength to live val - iant and faith - ful just like Ma - ry,

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*p* I Sop. *mf*  
II Sop.

fa-vored of God. Ma-ry, Ma-ry, sis-ter to sis-ter, my yearn-ing for

*p* Alto *mf*

fa-vored of God. Ma-ry, oh, Ma-ry, fa-vored of God. Mo-ther of the

63

hea-ven grows deep. Ma-ry, I, too, seek ded-i-ca-tion to

*f*

Sa-<sup>#</sup>vi-<sub>or</sub>, the world gives you laud. Ma-ry, I, too, seek ded-i-ca-tion to

*f*

pray. Oh, cour-age, pur-i-ty,

God. Hum-bly I pray for the strength to live

help me see the qual-i-ties. Hum-bly I pray for the strength to live

lov-ing o-be-di-ence, *mp* *dimin.*

val-iant and faith-ful, just like Ma-ry, fa-vored of God.

*mp* *dimin.*

val-iant and faith-ful. Vir-tu-ous Ma-ry, fa-vored of God.

79

*p* *rit.* *pp*

Ma-ry, Ma-ry. Ma-ry, fa-vored of God.

*p* *rit.* *pp*

Ma-ry, oh, Ma-ry. Ooh. Sis-ter to sis-ter. Ooh. Fa-vored of God.

## DON'T THEY KNOW YOU'RE A KING?

## SATB Vocal Score

Fawn Rasmuson

Linda Chapman

"...And they came with haste, and found Mary, and Joseph, and the babe lying in a manger."

5

SS *mp* *cresc.* *mf*

Lit - tle ba - by, ly - ing in a man - ger, Don't they know you're a King?

A *mp* *cresc.* *mf*

*mp* *mf*

On - ly — straw to pil - low your head, Can't they hear the an - gels sing? Al —

14

*mp* *mf*

le - lu - ia, Al — le — lu — ia! Born this day our — King! Al —

Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia!

24

*mp* *mf* *TB*

le - lu - ia, Al — le — lu — ia! Born this day our — King! *mf* Shep - herds come to

Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia!

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greet the ba-by. Why on-ly they who see? They heard the mes-sage,

33

"To all peo-ple, ti-dings of great joy shall be!" Al-le-lu-ia, Al-le-lu-ia, Al-le-lu-ia, Al-le-lu-ia,

le-lu-ia! Christ the Lord is He! Al-le-lu-ia, Al-le-lu-ia, Al-le-lu-ia,

46

Christ the Lord is He! Wise-men guid-ed by the star. Prec-ious gifts to bring. They be-held Him, Son of God, Glo-ry to the King! Al-

bring. They be-held Him, Son of God, Glo-ry to the King! Al-

56 *cresc.*

le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia! Born the King of Kings! Al - le - lu - ia, Al -

Al - le - lu - ia, Al - - Al - le - lu - ia, Al - - *cresc.*

67 *mf*

le - lu - ia! Born the King of Kings! Shep-herds, Wise-men, wor-ship Him.

*ff* *mf*

Born to save the earth! Let the world now praise and a-dore at the Christ child's ho - ly

*dim. e rit.* *dim. e rit.*

81 *mp* *cresc.*

birth. Jo - seph and Ma - ry watch o'er the ba - by while the an - gels

*mp* *mp* *cresc.*

*mf* *mp* *dim. e rit.* *p*

sing. Lit - tle ba - by ly - ing in a man - ger, Don't they know you are a King? - - -

*mf*

# OH, STAR

SATB Vocal Score

10

"...for we have seen his star in the east, and are come to worship him."

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**Alto Solo** 6

Oh, Star, you light the mid-night sky, give ra-diance from on high, de-scend-ing down on

*rit.* 10 *a tempo*

sleep-y, lit-tle Beth-le-hem, Oh, Star, an-nounc-ing to the earth our Sav-ior's ro-yal birth. The choir-ing an-gels

**Tenor Solo** *a tempo*

14 *f*

SA

raise their an-thems. God sent His Son to be a light to ev-'ry man.— To bring us back to God through

TB *f*

His ce-les-tial plan. A Sa-rior for all peo-ple. A lamp to light the way. He

22 *p*

gave to all a sa-cred call. "Come fol-low and o-bey." Ooh—

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"...there shall be a new star arise, such as ye never have beheld."

**Alto Solo** 33

Oh, Star, turn dark-ness in-to day, let earth and sky o-bey, to her-ald our Re-

*rit.* 37 *a tempo*

deem-er's birth so far a-way. Oh, Star, His com-ing is so near. The pro-phe-cies are

**Tenor Solo**

"...come I into the world." 51

clear. We watch with hope to find the night that glows so bright. Oh, Star. Ooh

**SA**

**TB**

"...according to the word."

(ooh) Aah

63 **ff**

God sent His Son to be a light to ev-'ry man.— To bring us back to God through

*rit.* **Alto Solo** *p*

His ce-les-tial plan. Oh, Star, an-noun-cing to the earth, our Sa-rior's ro-yal birth.

*rit.* **Tenor Solo** *p*

# THIS IS MY BELOVED

SATB, Baritone Solo, Cello

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"...In Solemn power and majesty, He announced the Prince of Peace." (music begins)

*mf* 5

By the Ri— ver Jor— dan's flow, Je - sus came to John.

*mf*

**Solo** 21

"This is my Be -

Lov - ing - ly the Fa - ther spake of His Son.

lov - ed. This is my be - lov - ed, in whom I am well pleased.

Hear ye Him!" 37 *f*

*f* Dark - ness thick sur - roun - ded them. The Ne - phites

*legato mf*

were a - fraid. Of His Son ap - pear - ing, gent - ly He said,

*legato mf*

**Solo** 53

"This is my Be - lov - ed. This is my be - lov - ed,

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— in — whom I am — well pleased. — Hear — ye Him!" —

SS *lightly* <sup>69</sup>  
 The morn was beau - ti - ful, crisp, and clear. — Jo - seph knelt to pray. — He

A *lightly*

*f* <sup>85</sup> Solo  
 "This is  
 SA  
 saw two heav'n - ly be - ings, heard the Fa — ther say, — *f* Aah, —  
 TB

my Be - lov - ed. — "This is my Be - lov - ed, — in — whom I am — well

(Aah), — Aah, — *mf* Ooh,

*mf* *p*  
 pleased. — Hear — ye Him! — Hear — ye Him!" —

(Ooh), —

# OH, COME ALL YE FAITHFUL

SATB Vocal Score

Music and Text:  
Att. to John F. Wade

Arr. by  
Linda Chapman  
and Bonnie Heidenreich

"the same today and tomorrow and forever (music begins)...your Savior and benefactor through eons of time. Oh, come, all ye faithful! (choir begins)"

SA *f* 9

TB *f*

Oh, come all ye faith-ful, joy-ful and tri - um - phant! Oh, come ye, oh,

come— ye to Beth— le - hem. Come and be - hold Him, born the king of an— gels. Oh,

*mp*

*mp*

21 *mf* *f* 25

come let us a - dore Him. Oh, come let us a - dore Him. Oh, come let us a -

*mf* *f*

**Congregation**

Yea, Lord, we greet thee, born this hap- py

dore Him, — Christ, — the Lord. Yea, — Lord, we greet— thee, — born this hap- py

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morn - ing. Je - sus, to thee — be all glo — ry giv'n. Son of the

morn — ing. Je - sus to thee — be all glo — ry giv'n. Son — of the

42

Fa - ther, Now in flesh ap - pear — ing. Oh, come, let us a - dore him. Oh,

Fa — ther now — ap - pear. Oh, come. —

come, let us a - dore him. Oh, come let us a - dore him, — Christ, — the Lord.

Oh, come. — Oh, come let us a - dore — Him, — Christ, — the Lord!

*cresc.* *ff*

*cresc.* *ff*

*cresc.* *ff*