

# O Be Joyful in the Lord

Op. 19 No. 2 (1898)

SATB with divisi

Psalm 66: 1; 77: 13-14, 18; 97: 6; 47: 8

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**Moderato e molto maestoso**  $\text{♩} = \text{c.} 58$

The musical score consists of four staves: SOPRANO, ALTO, TENOR, and BASS. The key signature is three sharps. Measure 1: All voices rest. Measure 2: All voices rest. Measure 3: Tenor begins with a dynamic ff, followed by bass. Measures 4-5: All voices enter with the lyrics "O be joy ful, joy ful in the Lord, all ye lands;". The bass continues its rhythmic pattern of eighth and sixteenth notes.

Measure 5: Soprano enters with ff. Measures 6-7: Alto and Bass enter with ff. Measures 8-9: Tenor enters with ff. The lyrics continue: "Joy ful, be joy ful in the Lord, all ye lands;". The bass maintains its rhythmic pattern throughout.

9

S. Sing ye prais - es un -

A.

T. Sing ye prais - es un - to His name, prais - es

B.

13 *mf*

S. to His name; make His praise glo - ri - ous,

A. *mf*

T. *mf*

B. *mf*

17

S. make His praise glo - ri - ous. *f* Thy way, O God, is Ho - ly:

A.

T. *f* make His praise glo - ri - ous. Thy way, O God, is Ho - ly:

B.

24

S. Who is so great a God as our God? Thou art the God that

A.

T. Who is so great a God as our God? Thou art the God that

B.

rit.

**Piu mosso**  $\text{♩} = \text{c.} 96$

29

S. do - est won - ders. Thy Light - nings gave light un - to the

A.

T. do - est won - ders.

B.

35

S. world and the hea - vens have de - clared His right-eous-ness,

A.

T.

B.

40

S. *mf*  
he - vens have de - clared His right - eous - ness, and all  
A. *mf*  
T. *mf*  
he - vens have de - clared His right - eous - ness, and all  
B. *pp sostenuto*  
he - vens de - clared His right - eous - ness, and all

44

S. *pp sostenuto*  
peo - ples have seen His glo - ry, all peo - ple have  
A. *pp sostenuto*  
peo - ples have seen His glo - ry, all peo - ple have  
T. *pp sostenuto*  
peo - ples have seen His glo - ry, all peo - ple have  
B. *pp sostenuto*  
peo - ples have seen His glo - ry, all peo - ple have

48

S. *ff*  
seen His glo - ry, have seen His  
A. *ff*  
seen His glo - ry, have seen His  
T. *ff*  
seen His glo - ry, have seen, have seen, His  
B. *ff*  
seen His glo - ry, have seen, have seen, His

52 *rit.* *ff* *Tempo primo*

S. glo - ry. God reigns ov - er the na - tions.  
A. glo - ry. God reigns ov - er the na - tions.  
T. glo - ry. God reigns ov - er the na - tions.  
B. glo - ry.

58 *mf*

S. Who is so great a God as our God? Thou art the  
A. Who is so great a God as our God? Thou art the  
T. Who is so great a God as our God? Thou art the  
B. Who is so great a God as our God? Thou art the

62 *rit.* *p*

S. God that work - est won - - ders.  
A. God that work - est won - - ders.  
T. God that work - est won - - ders.  
B. God that work - est won - - ders.