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## Poco adagio

*espresso.*

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Tenor Solo

8 Once he came in\_\_ bless - ing, All our ills

Soprano

*p* Once he came in\_\_ bless - ing,

Alto

*p* Once he came in\_\_ bless - ing,

Tenor

*p* Once he came in\_\_ bless - ing,

Bass

*p* Once He came in\_\_ bless - ing,

**Poco adagio**

Organ



8

re - dress - ing. Came in like - ness low - ly,

All our ills re - dress - ing. Came in

All our ills re - dress - ing. Came in

All our ills re - dress - ing. Came in

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All our ills re - dress - ing. Came in

17

dim.

Son of God most ho - ly,  
like - ness low - ly, Son of God most ho -  
like - ness low - ly, Son of God most ho -  
like - ness low - ly, Son of God most  
like - ness low - ly, Son of God most ho -

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*f*

Bore the Cross to save us, Hope and free - dom.  
ly, Bore the Cross to save us.  
ly, Bore the Cross to save us.  
ho - ly, Bore the Cross to save us.  
ly, Bore the Cross to save us.

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8 gave us.

*f*

Hope and free - dom gave us.

*mp cresc.* *f*

Hope and free - dom gave us, and free - dom gave us, gave us.

*mp cresc.* *f*

Hope and free - dom gave us, and free-dom gave us, gave us.

*f*

Hope and free-dom, and free-dom gave us, gave us.

*d.*

The musical score consists of five systems of music. The top system has a treble clef and an 8th note time signature. It contains lyrics 'gave us.' and a dynamic instruction 'dim.'. The second system has a treble clef and starts with a rest. It contains lyrics 'Hope and free - dom' followed by 'gave us.' and a dynamic instruction 'p'. The third system has a treble clef and starts with a rest. It contains lyrics 'Hope and free - dom gave us, and free - dom' followed by 'gave us, gave us.' and a dynamic instruction 'dim.'. The fourth system has a treble clef and starts with a rest. It contains lyrics 'Hope and free - dom gave us, and free-dom' followed by 'gave us, gave us.' and a dynamic instruction 'p'. The fifth system has a bass clef and starts with a rest. It contains lyrics 'Hope and free-dom, and free-dom gave us, gave us.' and a dynamic instruction 'p'. The piano part is in the bass clef staff at the bottom, providing harmonic support throughout the piece.

## 44 Andante con moto

*mp* > Still he comes with - in us, his voice would win us From the

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*mp* Still he comes with - in us, his voice would win us From the

*mp* Still he comes with - in us, Still his voice would win us From the

*mp* Still he comes with - in us, Still his voice would win us From the

*mp* Still he comes with - in us, Still his voice would win us From the

Still he comes with-in us, Still his voice would win us From the

## Andante con moto

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sins that hurt us, Would to truth con - vert us From our fool - ish

sins that hurt us, Would to truth con - vert us From our fool -

sins that hurt us, Would to truth con - vert us From our

sins that hurt us, Would to truth con - vert us

sins that hurt us, Would to truth con - vert us

sins that hurt us, Would to truth con - vert us

sins that hurt us, Would to truth con - vert us

sins that hurt us, Would to truth con - vert us

soprano alto tenor bass piano

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er - rors, from our fool - ish er-rors, Ere he comes in ter-rors,

ish, fool - ish er-rors, Ere he comes in ter-rors,

fool - ish fool - ish er-rors, Ere he comes in ter-rors,

*mf*

From our fool - ish, fool - ish er-rors, Ere he comes in ter-rors,

*p* *cresc.* *mf* *mp*

Ere he comes in ter-rors, ere he

*p* *cresc.* *mf* *mp*

Ere he comes in ter-rors, ere he

*p* *cresc.* *mf* *mp*

Ere he comes in ter-rors, ere he

*p* *cresc.* *mf* *mp*

Ere he comes in ter-rors, ere he

62      *mp cresc.*      *f*      *ff*

Ere he comes in ter-rors,      ere he comes, he comes in ter-rors,

*mp cresc.*      *f*      *ff*

Ere he comes in ter-rors,      ere he comes in ter-rors,

*mp cresc.*      *f*      *ff*

Ere he comes in ter-rors,      ere he comes, he comes in ter-rors,

*cresc.*      *f*      *ff*

comes in ter-rors, ere he comes,      he comes in ter-rors,

*cresc.*      *f*      *ff*

comes in ter-rors, ere he comes,      he comes in ter-rors,

*cresc.*      *f*      *ff*

comes in ter-rors, ere he comes,      he comes in ter-rors,

*cresc.*

comes in ter-rors, ere he comes,      he comes in ter-rors,

Piano accompaniment:



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Nor dost love him cold - ly, But will trust him bold - - ly,

Nor dost love him cold - ly, But will trust him bold - - ly,

Nor\_\_\_\_\_\_ dost love him cold - ly, But will trust\_\_\_\_\_\_ him bold - - ly, bold - - ly,

Nor\_\_\_\_\_\_ dost love him cold - ly, But will trust\_\_\_\_\_\_ him bold - - ly, bold - - ly,

own\_ him But will trust\_\_\_\_\_\_ him bold - - ly,

own\_ him But will trust\_\_\_\_\_\_ him bold - - ly,

8 own him But will trust\_\_\_\_\_\_ him bold - - ly, bold - - ly,

own him But will trust\_\_\_\_\_\_ him bold - - ly,

rall.

**Allegro moderato**

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*mf*

He will now\_ re - ceive\_\_\_\_\_ thee  
He\_ will now\_ re - ceive thee  
He\_ will now\_ re - ceive, will now\_ re - ceive\_\_\_\_\_  
He\_ will now\_ re - ceive, will now\_ re - ceive thee,

**Allegro moderato**


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now\_ re - ceive\_ thee, He\_ will now\_ re - ceive thee, Heal\_ thee,  
will now\_ re - ceive thee, Heal\_ thee,  
now\_ re - ceive, will\_ now\_ re - ceive thee, Heal\_ thee,  
He\_ will now\_ re - ceive thee, Heal\_ thee,

heal thee and for - give thee, heal thee, heal thee and for - give thee, and

heal thee and for - give thee, heal thee, for - give thee, and

heal thee and for - give thee, heal thee and for - give thee, and

thee and for - give thee, heal thee and for - give thee,

heal thee and for - give thee, heal thee, for - give thee,

heal thee and for - give thee, heal thee and for - give thee,

heal thee and for - give thee, heal thee and for - give,



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rall.

*pp* *f* *p*

for - give, — for - give thee, — for - give thee.

*pp* *f* *p*

for - give, — for - give thee, — for - give thee.

*pp* *f* *p*

for - give, — for - give thee, — for - give thee.

*pp* *f* *p*

thee, for - give, — for - give thee, for - give thee.

*più p* *pp* *f* *p*

for - give thee, — heal thee, and for - give thee.

*più p* *pp* *f* *p*

for - give thee, — heal thee, and for - give thee.

*più p* *mf* < *f* *p*

for - give thee, — for - give thee.

*più p* *pp* *f* *p*

for - give thee, — for - give thee.

*rall.*