

Rejoice in Thy Youth


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E minor


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Tr.  5 10

1. Young man, indulge thy passion, And lavish out thy youth In eve-ry sin-ful fa-shion, And don't regard the truth; Nor fear God's threatening ensigns, But
2. When God shall send his angels To reap his har-vest down, The tares he'll bind in bundles, And flames shall clasp them round; The pit will close upon them, Shut

T. 


3. Or are you at a-gree-ment, In league with death and hell, And by thy great a-chieve-ments Are sure that all is well? If you, like God, can thun-der, And
4. But yet your glass is run-ning, And vengeance yet doth wait. But soon the day is co-ming, When it will be too late; The ju-bi-lee is soun-ding, Then

B. 

5. Wis-dom has spread her ta-ble, A dy-ing Sa-vior's love, The feast is not a fa-ble, By coming we may prove It leads to li-ving foun-tains Of
6. Then come receive instruction, Ye children, and be wise, Before the threatening storm comes And sweeps away your lives, Lest you have this la-men-ting, When

Tr.  15

1. what you list, that do; _____ But know that this is seed time, There comes a harvest too.
2. up in keen des-pair, _____ And not a ray of sun-beam Shall ever reach them there!

T. 

3. hast the keys of hell, _____ I'll own we need not won-der If all at last is well.
4. don't be found, at last, _____ God's Ho-ly Spi-rit wounding, And you in darkness cast.

B. 

5. o-ver-flo-wing grace. _____ To Zion's fragrant mountains, Where God unveils his face.
6. in a damn-ed state, _____ I have delayed re-pen-ting, And now it is too late.

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1. Measure 17., *Bass*: note changed from D to E.