



A Lenten Love Song

Unison with Keyboard

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NARRATION: (To be read by a child to prepare the scene)

Then Jesus went with his disciples to a place called Gethsemane, and he said to them, "My heart is very sorrowful. Sit here while I go and pray." And going a little farther into the garden, he fell to his knees and prayed, "My Father, if it is possible, take this cup away from me! Yet not what I want, but what you want." (Matthew 26: 36-39)

Like a narrative (♩ = c. 72)

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Prayerfully

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pray. "Dear God, I am so sor-row-ful, is

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there no oth-er way? Dear God, if it is pos-si-ble, let

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this cup pass a-way."

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Now Je-sus went in-to the gar-den, The gar-den of Geth-se-ma-

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ne. The ol - ive tree__ bent__ o - ver him,

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and heard him sad - ly__ pray: "Dear

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God, your Son is sor - row - ful, but knows your way is best. Let

intensity 29 30 *n.b.* 31

love take hold of me! Help me to be bold and free to do__ your will, to