

Gaelic Blessing

Traditional Gaelic prayer
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Con affetto (♩. = 76)

Piano *mp dolce*

Sopranos *mf cantabile*

S
A
T
B

The deep peace of the roll - ing wave be with you.

mf

Ped. ad lib.

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8 Altos

The deep peace of the quiet earth be with you.

mp

12

The deep peace of the silent night be with you.

unis. mp

cresc.

16 *unis. mf* *div.* *f*

The deep peace of the sing - ing stars be with_____

mf

20 Opt. Children's Choir *mf* *unis. mf* *mf*

The deep peace_ of the roll - ing wave be with you_____

you_____ The deep peace_ of the roll - ing wave be with you_____

The deep peace_ of the roll - ing wave be with you_____

24

Soprano I and opt. Children's Choir

Musical staff for Soprano I and opt. Children's Choir, measures 24-27. The staff contains a melodic line in G major with lyrics: "The deep peace_ of the qui - et earth be with you." The notes are: G4 (quarter), A4 (quarter), B4 (quarter), C5 (quarter), B4-A4 (beamed eighth notes), G4 (quarter), F4 (quarter), E4 (quarter), D4 (quarter), C4 (half).

The deep peace_ of the qui - et earth be with you.

Soprano II and Altos

div.

Musical staff for Soprano II and Altos, measures 24-27. The staff contains a melodic line in G major with lyrics: "The deep peace_ of the qui - et earth be with you." The notes are: G4 (quarter), A4 (quarter), B4 (quarter), C5 (quarter), B4-A4 (beamed eighth notes), G4 (quarter), F4 (quarter), E4 (quarter), D4 (quarter), C4 (half).

The deep peace_ of the qui - et earth be with you.

Bass line for Soprano II and Altos, measures 24-27. The notes are: G3 (quarter), F3 (quarter), E3 (quarter), D3 (quarter), C3 (half).

Piano accompaniment for measures 24-27. The right hand plays a melodic line in G major, and the left hand plays a bass line. A *dim.* marking is present at the end of the piece.

28

Musical staff for Soprano I and opt. Children's Choir, measures 28-31. The staff contains a melodic line in G major with lyrics: "The deep peace_ of the si - lent night be with you." The notes are: G4 (quarter), A4 (quarter), B4 (quarter), C5 (quarter), B4-A4 (beamed eighth notes), G4 (quarter), F4 (quarter), E4 (quarter), D4 (quarter), C4 (half).

The deep peace_ of the si - lent night be with you.

mp

Musical staff for Soprano II and Altos, measures 28-31. The staff contains a melodic line in G major with lyrics: "The deep peace_ of the si - lent night be with you." The notes are: G4 (quarter), A4 (quarter), B4 (quarter), C5 (quarter), B4-A4 (beamed eighth notes), G4 (quarter), F4 (quarter), E4 (quarter), D4 (quarter), C4 (half).

Bass line for Soprano II and Altos, measures 28-31. The notes are: G3 (quarter), F3 (quarter), E3 (quarter), D3 (quarter), C3 (half).

Piano accompaniment for measures 28-31. The right hand plays a melodic line in G major, and the left hand plays a bass line. A *mp* marking is present at the start, and a *cresc.* marking is present at the end.

32

SA *unis.*
mf

div. *f*

The deep peace of the sing - ing stars be with _____

mf *f*

_____ The deep peace of the sing - ing stars be with _____

mf *f*

36

mp legato

* And may the deep _____ peace _____ the

unis.
sub. mp legato

you. * And may the deep _____ peace _____ the

you.

8va

p

* Soprano/Alto sing m. 38-58 in absence of a children's choir.