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Middle School/Junior High All-Region Combined Concert Choir

In the Name of Music

For SAB* and Piano

Duration: ca. 3:00

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Expressively ($\text{♩} = \text{ca. } 56$)

Piano

5 Soprano
mp a tempo
unis.

Alto
In the name of mu - sic, ^{NB} ~~I~~ ^{KI} shall sing.

Bass

^{No} *mp* *cresc.* ✓
In the name of mu - sic, ~~I~~ ^{KI} shall sing, I shall

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DO NOT
PHOTOCOPY



stagger breathe

Can we? Try it!

13 mf

of breath - tak - ing won - der Sand

sing

beau - ti - ful things; In the name of

mu - sic, I shall sing.

poco rit. *a tempo* *stagger breathe*

poco rit. *a tempo*

emphasize harmonies



poco rit. **23** *mf a tempo*

poco rit. *mf a tempo*

In the name of

cresc. *poco rit.* *mf a tempo*

21

sing. _____

mu - sic, I shall sing, _____

I shall sing. Ng

mf

24

cresc.

In the name of mu - sic, I shall sing, _____ I shall

cresc.

Sing Sing

cresc.

27

31 *f*

sing _____ of _____ breath - tak - ing won - ders and _____

30

mp

beau - ti - ful things; In _____ the name of

mp

poco rit. *a tempo*

mu - sic, I _____ shall sing. I will sing of _____

poco rit. *a tempo*

Who does this speak to? How old is this speaker?
Why do these things stir his/her heart?

39 *mf*

moon - glow and sun - rise, and stars in the

mf

Handwritten notes: "NB" above the vocal line.

39 *mf*

night, I will sing of laugh - ter of chil - dren, and

Handwritten notes: A star symbol and arrows pointing to notes in the vocal line.

42

child - hood de - lights. I will sing of heart - warm - ing

47 *cresc.*

Handwritten notes: "melodies" written vertically on the right side.

45 *cresc.*

mel - o - dies that in - *spira* - ra song; *Mg*

f *dim*

dim

48

f *dim*

mp *cresc. poco a poco* *stagger*

Soul *mp* - stir - ring har - mo - nies that re *mf* sound *cresc. poco a poco* a

51

mp *cresc. poco a poco*

mf *phrase* - . . .

life - time long. *mf* *Mg*

54

mf



59 *f a tempo*

harmonies

rit.

rit.

In the name of
f a tempo

cresc. e rit.

f a tempo

57

sing.

mu - sic, I shall sing, I shall sing.

60

Different

In the name of mu - sic, I shall sing, I shall

Different

63

sing of breath - tak - ing won - ders and

66

beau - ti - ful things; In the name of

mf stagger

Diff

Different

69

mu - sic I shall sing.

bright to the end

(K)

72

Coda

melodramatic in rehearsal - how big can you go?

75

meno mosso

stagger

mp

rit.

In the name of mu - sic, I shall

meno mosso

mp

rit.

75

a tempo cresc.

sing, *a tempo cresc.*

I shall sing,

a tempo cresc.

78

rit.

div. f

how many parts at end?

rit.

shall sing!

rit.

f

81