

The Gift

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Arr. by Christine Hinton

note: Key of E^b minor

Piano introduction in E^b minor, 4/4 time. The music features a steady accompaniment of eighth-note triplets in both the right and left hands. The right hand starts with a quarter rest followed by eighth notes, while the left hand plays a continuous eighth-note triplet pattern.

First system of the song, measures 1-4. The vocal line begins with a quarter rest, then sings "What can I give to God, who has given all to". The piano accompaniment continues with eighth-note triplets. Measure numbers 3 and 6 are indicated above the vocal staff.

Second system of the song, measures 5-8. The vocal line continues with "me? I am but one in life's large plan; a drop of water, a". The piano accompaniment continues with eighth-note triplets. Measure numbers 6 and 9 are indicated above the vocal staff.

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grain of sand. I have no ti-tle, bear no crown, but in ev-'ry breath, God's name I'll sound.

pva

15

For you see I am a spe-cial - ty. I am the daugh-ter of De - i - ty, and

accel

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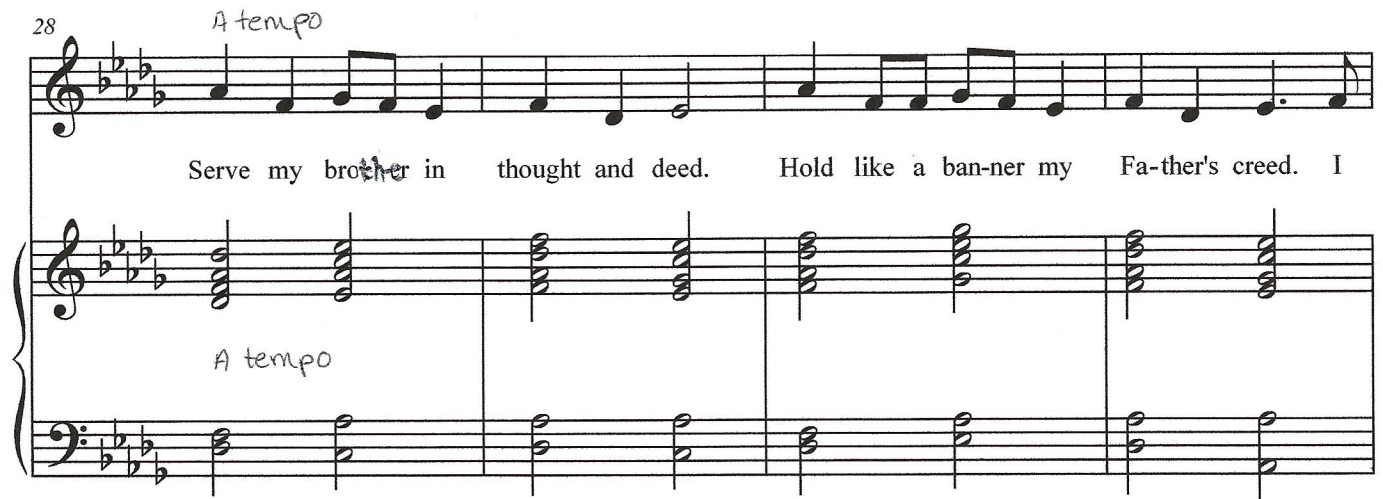
with my Fa-ther I wish to dwell so I must live and love and tell _____ the glo-ry

24 *rit*



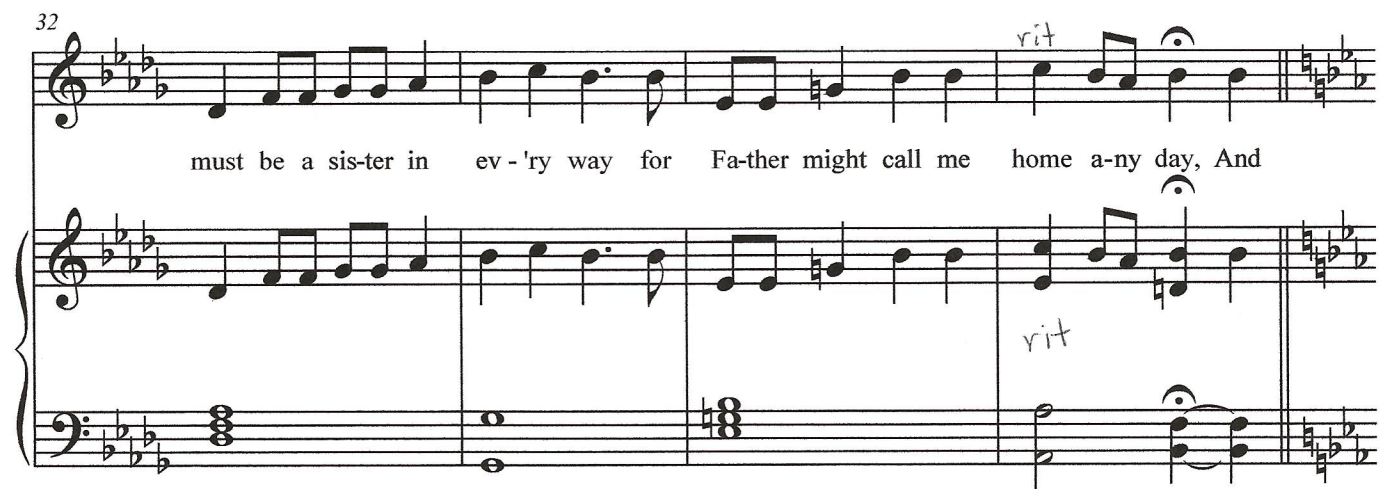
of His bless-ed name, and live _____ to nev-er bring Him shame.

28 *A tempo*



Serve my brot-her in thought and deed. Hold like a ban-ner my Fa-ther's creed. I

32 *rit*



must be a sis-ter in ev-'ry way for Fa-ther might call me home a-ny day, And

36 *A tempo*

if I yet en - dure a-while, He will judge me with a smile. He'll wel-come me to His

A tempo

41 *rit*

love and rest and say, "Dear daugh-ter, you've passed the test!" What can I give to my

rit

45

Fa - ther's call? I give Him my heart, my soul, my all.