

Let Virtue Garnish Thy Thoughts

SATB

Lyrics and Music by
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mp

Unison *mp*

1. Let vir - tue gar - nish thy thoughts un - ceas - ing - ly.
(2. Let) pur - i - ty be in the ver - y heart of you.

So that light and truth will al - ways be your guide.
Put faith in the pro - mise of our Lord.

Let vir - tue set your heart a - fire, and right - eous - ness: your
If vir - tue guides un - ceas - ing - ly, then faith will grow in

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The first system consists of a vocal line and a piano accompaniment. The vocal line is on a single staff with lyrics. The piano accompaniment is on two staves (treble and bass clef). The tempo is marked *mp*. The piano part features a steady eighth-note accompaniment in the bass and chords in the treble.

SA Chorus *mf*

As a man think - eth, ___ so is he. ___ What a wo - man holds in her

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The second system features SATB vocal lines and piano accompaniment. The vocal lines are for Soprano Alto (SA) and Tenor Bass (TB). The piano accompaniment is on two staves. The tempo is marked *mf*. The piano part has a more active accompaniment with moving lines in both hands.

heart, so is she. ___ If there is an - y - thing -

heart, So is she. ___ If there is an - y - thing -

The third system continues the SATB vocal lines and piano accompaniment. The piano part includes a section marked *lh* (lento) with a hairpin crescendo leading into a more active accompaniment.

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