

O Gladsome Light

Greek tr. Bridges

for the choir of St Mary's Priory Church, Abergavenny
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Moderato

The musical score consists of eight staves. The top four staves represent the vocal parts: Soprano, Alto, Tenor, and Bass, each in G clef. The bottom four staves represent the organ and its pedals: Organ (two staves) and Pedals (two staves). The music is in common time, with a key signature of one flat. The vocal parts enter sequentially, starting with Soprano, followed by Alto, Tenor, and Bass. The organ part begins with a forte dynamic (ff) at measure 1. The vocal parts sing "O glad-some light, O grace" followed by "of God the". The organ part continues with a forte dynamic (ff) at measure 7. The vocal parts sing "Fa-ther's face, Th'e-ter-nal splen - dour wear - ing; ce - les-tial, ho - ly, blest, Our Sa-viour". The organ part concludes with a dynamic (mf) at measure 15.

SOPRANO

ALTO

TENOR

BASS

Organ

Pedals

7

Father's face, Th'e-ter-nal splen - dour wear - ing; ce - les-tial, ho - ly, blest, Our Sa-viour

Father's face, Th'e-ter-nal splen - dour wear - ing; ce - les-tial, ho - ly, blest,

ther's face, Th'e-ter-nal splen - dour wear - ing; ce - les-tial, ho - ly, blest,

Father's face, Th'e-ter-nal splen - dour wear - ing; ce - les-tial, ho - ly, blest,

mf

mp

mf

15

Je - sus Christ, Je - sus Christ, Joy- ful, joy - ful in thine ap - pear - ing.

Je - sus Christ, Joy- ful, joy - ful in thine ap - pear - ing.

Our Sa-viour Je - sus Christ, Joy- ful, joy - ful in thine ap - pear - ing.

Our Sa-viour Je - sus Christ, Joy- ful, joy - ful in thine ap - pear - ing.

22

p

Now, ere the day fa - deth quite,

mp —————— —————— **mp**

We see the eve - ning light,

p

Now, ere the day fa - deth quite,

mp —————— —————— **mp**

We see the eve - ning light,

p

Now, ere the day fa - deth quite,

mp —————— —————— **mp**

We see the eve - ning light,

p

Now, ere the day fa - deth quite,

mp —————— —————— **mp**

We see the eve - ning light,

pp

solo.

p

mp

p

27

Our won - ted hymn, our
Our won - ted hymn, our
Our won - ted hymn, our
Our won - ted

32

hymn out - pour - ing; Fa - ther of might, Fa - ther of
hymn out - pour - ing; Fa - ther of might, Fa - ther of
hymn out - pour - ing; Fa - ther of might, of___
hymn out - pour - ing; Fa - ther of might, of___

37

might un - known,
Thee, his in - car - nate
might un - known,
Thee, his in - car - nate
might un - known;
Thee, his in - car - nate
might un - known;
Thee, his in - car - nate

solo.

f

f

42

Son,
and Ho - ly Spi - rit a - dor - ing.
Son,
and Ho - ly Spi - rit a - dor - ing.
Son,
and Ho - ly Spi - rit, Spi - rit a - dor - ing.
Son, and Ho - ly Spi - - - rit, Ho - ly Spi - rit a - dor - ing.

47

54

60

To thee of right be - longs all praise of ho - ly songs, O Son of God, Life - giv -

To thee of right be - longs all praise of ho - ly songs, O Son of God, Life - giv -

To thee of right be - longs all praise of ho - ly songs, O Son of God, Life - giv -

67

er; Thee there-fore, O most High, The world doth glo - ri - fy, glo - ri - fy,
- er; Thee there-fore, O most High, glo - ri - fy,
- er; Thee there-fore, O most High, The world doth glo - ri - fy,
- er; Thee there-fore, O most High, The world doth glo - ri - fy,

73

and shall ex - alt, shall ex - alt for
and shall ex - alt, shall ex - alt for
and shall ex - alt, shall ex - alt for
and shall ex - alt, shall ex - alt for

76

ff

molto rall.

ev - - - er. A - men. A - men, A - men.

ff

ev - - - er. A - men. A - men. A - men.

ff

8 ev - - - er. A - men. A - men. A - men.

ff

molto rall.

ev - - - er. A - men. A - men. A - men.

solo.

