

In memory of Mr. Irvin Stitz and dedicated to the Children's Choirs of
St. James Lutheran Church, Lafayette, Indiana

Be Watchful, Be Ready

Two-part Choir and 3 Octave Handbells or Keyboard

3 octaves
Handbells used: 29

1 Corinthians 16:13-14, paraphrased J. B.

John A. Behnke (ASCAP)

Allegro, ♩ = 136

Handbells or Keyboard

④ *Unison choir f*

Be watch - ful, _____ be

* Mm. 5-36, ring all notes with stems up; mallet all notes with stems down.

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(34)

faith, and be strong.

faith, and be strong.

34 35 36

R

(37) *mf*

mf

Rise, my_ soul, to watch and pray; From your sleep a - wak - en;

mf

Rise, my_ soul, to watch and pray; From your sleep a - wak - en;

37 38 39 40

mp

(41)

Be not_ by the e - vil day Un - a - ware's o'er - tak - en.

Be not_ by the e - vil day Un - a - ware's o'er - tak - en.

41 42 43 44

* STRAF MICH NICHT, *Hundert geistliche Arien*, Dresden, 1694

(45) *p*

Sa - tan's prey Oft are they Who se - cure are sleep - ing

p

Sa - tan's prey Oft are they Who se - cure are sleep - ing

45 TD R 46 TD 47 48

pp

(49) *mf*

And no watch, and no watch, and no watch are keep -

mf

And no watch, and no watch, and no watch are keep -

49 50 51 52

mp

(53)

ing. Be watch - ful,

rit. *f* *a tempo*

ing. Be

rit. *a tempo* *f*

53 TD 54 55 *R

rit. *mf*

* Mm. 55-70, ring all notes with stems up, mallet all notes with stems down.
98-3665

(101)

firm in your faith, and be strong,

firm in your faith, and be strong,

101 102 103

(104)

stand firm in your faith,

stand firm in your faith,

104 105 106

rit.

rit.

rit.

(107)

and be strong.

and be strong.

107 108 109 110

a tempo rit.

