

# Lift Up Your Heads, Ye Mighty Gates

SA(T), Keyboard, Instrument, Optional Percussion

Georg Weissel, 1590–1635  
Tr. Catherine Winkworth, 1827–78, alt.

MACHT HOCH DIE TÜR  
*Geist-reiches Gesang-Buch*, Halle, 1704,  
Ed. Johann A. Freylinghausen, alt.  
Setting by Jonathan Kohrs

**Dancelike,  $\text{♩} = 60$**

The musical score is arranged for three parts: Flute, Keyboard, and Tambourine/Triangle. The key signature is two flats (B-flat and E-flat), and the time signature is 6/4. The tempo is marked 'Dancelike' with a quarter note equal to 60 beats per minute. The score is divided into two systems. The first system shows the beginning of the piece, with the Flute part starting on a whole note G4. The Keyboard part begins with a forte (*f*) dynamic and a 'crisply' articulation. The Tambourine/Triangle part provides a rhythmic accompaniment. The second system starts with a circled '3' above the Flute staff, indicating a third measure. The Keyboard part continues with a mezzo-forte (*mf*) dynamic. The Tambourine/Triangle part continues with its rhythmic pattern.

This setting may be sung in unison, two-part, or with all three parts. The tenor line is particularly suited to boys' changing voices. The keyboard part may be played on piano or organ. The instrumental part should always be used. Flute is provided in this score, however, several additional transpositions of this part along with the percussion parts are available by download from [www.cph.org](http://www.cph.org). *Melvin Machemer, editor*

Flute part may be found beginning on page 15.

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24

*mp*

A

*mp*

28

*mp*

*smoothly*

righteous Help - er comes — to thee; His char - iot is hu -

31

mil - i - ty, His king - ly crown — is ho - li - ness, His

50

peace - ful hearts — and homes To whom — this

peace - ful hearts — and hap - py homes To whom this King — in

peace - ful hearts and hap - py homes To whom this King in

53

King — comes! The cloud - less sun of joy is He Who

tri - umph comes! The cloud - less sun of joy — is He Who

tri - umph comes! The cloud - less sun of joy is He Who

74 *mf*

life be - gin. To God a - lone be praise \_\_\_\_\_ For word and deed \_\_\_\_\_ and

*mf* *f* *crisply*

78 *mf*

Fl. *mf*

grace!

81 *ff*

*ff* *ff*

Descant

*ff*

Melody

Re -

Re -

*ff*

97

fame \_\_\_\_\_ We of - fer to Thy name.

f

fame \_\_\_\_\_ We of - fer to Thy name.

100

103

*very slight rit.*