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Incorporating *Bunessan* (Traditional Gaelic Melody) and
Merrial (Sabine Baring-Gould and Joseph Barnby)

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SATB Voices *a cappella*



Ranges:



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for SATB Voices *a cappella*

Quoting *Bunessan*, Traditional Gaelic Melody, and
Merrial, by Sabine Baring-Gould and Joseph Barnby

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With intensity ♩ = 126

Soprano

Alto

Tenor

Bass

Keyboard
(for rehearsal only)

mf

Lis - ten to the rhy - thm, the rhy - thm, the rhy - thm. Won't you

With intensity ♩ = 126

mf

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mf

Lis - ten.

mf

Lis - ten. Lis - ten. Lis - ten to the rhy - thm, the

mf

Lis - ten. Lis - ten. Lis - ten to the rhy - thm, the

lis - ten to the rhy - thm, the rhy - thm of life. Lis - ten to the rhy - thm, the

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Lis - ten. rhy - thm of life. Lis - ten to the rhy - thm, the rhy - thm of life. rhy - thm, the rhy - thm. Won't you lis - ten to the rhy - thm, the rhy - thm of life.

9

Feet hit the floor, stead - y, stead - y, head for the door, read - y, read - y; Feet hit the floor, stead - y, stead - y, head for the door, read - y, read - y; Feet hit the floor, stead - y, stead - y, head for the door, read - y, read - y, Feet hit the floor, stead - y, stead - y, head for the door, read - y, read - y,

13

greet the day_ that's in store. Feel the rhy-thm of life;_ of life..

greet the day_ that's in store. Feel the rhy-thm of life;_ feel the rhy-thm of life..

s greet the day_ that's in store. Feel the rhy-thm of life;_ feel the rhy-thm of life..

greet the day_ that's in store. Feel the rhy-thm of life;_ of life..

16

mp Lis - ten. *mf* Sun-light is shin - ing,

mp Lis - ten. *mf* Sun-light is shin - ing,

s *mp* Lis - ten. *mf* Sun-light is shin - ing,

mp Lis - ten. *mf* Sun-light is shin - ing,

20

song birds first sing - ing, plant - ing a seed of

song birds are sing - ing. plant - ing a seed of

sf song birds are sing - ing, plant - ing a seed of

song birds are sing - ing, plant - ing a seed of

24

mp hope in your heart. Lis - ten. *mf* O - pen your heart to

mp hope in your heart. Lis - ten. *mf* O - pen your heart to

sf hope in your heart. Lis - ten. *mf* O - pen your heart to

hope in your heart. Lis - ten. O - pen your heart to

28

wel-come the day; bid it wel-come, wel-come. Feel the

wel-come the day; wel-come, wel-come, wel-come.

wel-come the day; wel-come, wel-come, wel-come.

wel-come the day; wel-come, wel-come, wel-come.

31

rhy - thm.

Lis-ten to the rhy - thm, the rhy thm, the rhy - thm of life.

Lis-ten to the rhy - thm, the rhy thm, the rhy - thm of life.

Lis - ten to the rhy - thm. Lis-ten to the rhy - thm, the

34

mp Lis - ten...

mf Feel the rhy-thm of life. Lis - ten... Lis - ten...

mf ^{*sf*} Feel the rhy-thm of life. Lis - ten... Lis - ten...

rhy-thm, the rhy-thm. Won't you lis-ten to the rhy-thm, the rhy-thm of life... Won't you

37

Lis - ten...

mp Lis-ten to the rhy-thm, the rhy-thm of life... Lis-ten to the rhy-thm, the

mp ^{*sf*} Lis-ten to the rhy-thm, the rhy-thm of life... Lis-ten to the rhy-thm, the

mp lis-ten to the rhy-thm, the rhy thm, the rhy-thm. Won't you lis-ten to the rhy-thm, the

40

div.
Ah,

rhy-thm of life... Day af - ter day, peo-ple make their way; hearts are

rhy-thm of life... Day af - ter day, peo-ple make their way; hearts are

rhy-thm of life... Day af - ter day, peo-ple make their way; hearts are

43

beat - ing strong, song af - ter song. Life goes on; mo-ments

beat - ing strong, sing-ing song af - ter song. Life goes on, mo-ments

beat - ing strong, sing-ing song af - ter song. Life goes on, mo-ments

beat - ing strong, sing-ing song af - ter song. Life goes on, mo-ments

46

mf unis. *poco rall.*

oh, mem - o - ries_ and dreams.

mf *poco rall.*

come and go;_ we build mem - o - ries_ and dreams.

mf *poco rall.*

come and go;_ we build mem - o - ries_ and dreams.

mf *poco rall.*

come and go;_ we build mem - o - ries_ and dreams. We build mem-o-ries and

poco rall.

49 *a tempo* *p*

Now the day is o - ver; night is draw - ing_

a tempo *p*

Now the day is_ o - ver; night is draw - ing_

a tempo *p*

Now the day is_ o - ver; night is draw - ing

a tempo *p*

now the day is o - ver and the night is draw - ing

a tempo *p*

55

div. mp unis. *poco rall.*

nigh; Shad - ows of the eve - ning

mp *poco rall.*

nigh; Shad - ows of the eve - ning

mp *poco rall.*

nigh; Shad - ows of the eve - ning

mp *poco rall.*

nigh, draw ing nigh; Shad - ows of the eve - ning

poco rall.

61

p *a tempo mf*

steal a - cross the sky. In the morn-ing we will

p *a tempo mf*

steal a - cross the sky. In the morn-ing we will

p *a tempo mf*

steal a - cross the sky. In the morn-ing we will

p *a tempo mf*

steal a - cross the sky. In the morn-ing we will

p *a tempo*

64

get up, we will get up, get up, Yes, we'll

get up; lis - ten to the rhy - thm; *f* Feel the rhy - thm!

f get up; lis - ten to the rhy - thm; *f* Feel the rhy - thm!

get up; lis - ten to the rhy - thm; *f* Feel the rhy - thm!

66

get up, and we'll do it all a - gain! *div. ff*

Get up, we will get up, we'll get up and we'll do it all a - gain! *ff*

f Get up, we will get up, we'll get up and we'll do it all a - gain! *div. ff*

Get up, — yes, we'll get up, do it all a - gain! *ff*


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