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The seven joys of Mary

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carol arranged for mixed voices and organ

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Words: Traditional

Music: English traditional carol,
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Allegretto ♩ = 80 *mp*

SOPRANO

1. The

ORGAN

Sw. 8', 4' *mf*

Man.

5

first good joy that Ma - ry had. It was the joy of one; To see the bless - ed

10

Je - sus Christ When he was first her son: When he was first her son, good man: And

15

bless - ed may he be. Both Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost, To

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all e - ter - ni - ty.

Sw. 8', 4', 2''

SOPRANO and ALTO *mp*

25

It was the joy of two; —

2. The next good joy that Ma - ry had, It was the joy of two, of two; To

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30

S. A. see her own son, Je - sus Christ, To make the lame to go: — To make the lame to

T. B.

Org.

35

S. A. *And bless - ed may he be, — Both Fa - ther, Son,*

go, — good man: — *And bless - ed may he be, and bless - ed may he be, — Both Fa - ther, Son, and*

T. B. *go — And bless - ed may he be, — and may he be, — Both Fa - ther, Son,*

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S. A.

T. B.

Org.

Ho - ly Ghost, To all e - ter - ni - ty.

Ch. 8', 4'

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45

ALTO

TENOR and BASS

mp

mf

mp

3. The next good joy_ that Ma - ry had, It was the joy of

3. The next good joy_ that Ma - ry had, It was the joy of

50

A.

T. B.

three; ah, To make the blind to see: ah,

three; To see her own son, Je - sus Christ, To make the blind to see: To

three; ah, To make the blind to see: ah

55

And bless - ed may he be, Both Fa - ther,
make the blind to see good man: And bless - ed may he be, Both

And bless - ed may he be, Both Fa - ther,

60

A.
Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost, To all e - ter - ni - ty.

T.
Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost, To all e - ter - ni - ty.

B.

Org.
Sw. 8', 4', 2' + mixt.

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65

S.
A. *mf*
4. The next good joy that Ma - ry had, It

T.
B. *mf*

Org.

70

S. A. *was the joy of four; To see her own son, Je - sus Christ, To read the bi - ble*

T. B. *And bless - ed may he be,*

75

S. A. *o'er: To read the bi - ble o'er, good man: And bless - ed may he be, and bless - ed*

T. B. *To read the bi - ble o'er,*

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80

S. A. *Both Fa - ther, Son,*

T. B. *may he be Both Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost, To all e - ter ni -*

84

S. A. *-ty.*

T. B. *-ty.*

Org. *Ch. 8, 2'*

88

mp

S. *ah* It was the joy of

mp

A. *ah* It was the joy of

mp

T. *ah* It was the joy of

mf *mp*

B. 5. The next good joy that Ma - ry had, It was the joy of

Org.

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92

ah

mf

five; To see her own son, Je - sus Christ, To bring the dead a - live. To

mf

five; To see her own son, Je - sus Christ, To bring the dead a - live. To

ah

five; *ah* To bring the dead a - live.

five; *ah* To bring the dead a - live.

Ch. + Sw.

97

f

bring the dead a - live good man: And bless - ed may he be, Both

f

bring the dead a - live good man: And bless - ed may he be, Both

f

Both

f

Both

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Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost, To all e - ter - ni - ty.

Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost, To all e - ter - ni - ty.

Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost, To all e - ter - ni - ty.

Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost, To all e - ter - ni - ty.

Sw. Fl. 8' + Ob.

107 SOPRANO *mp*

6. The next good joy that Ma - ry had, It

112

was the joy of six; To see her own son, Je - sus Christ, Up - on the cru - ci -
(To bear)

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- fix: Up - on the cru - ci - fix, good man: - And bless - ed may he be,
(To bear)

Sw. 8', 4', 2'

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Both Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost, To all e - ter - ni ty.

+Sw. mixt. +Sw. Reeds

Performance note: in verse 6, some versions of the text have 'to bear the crucifix' instead of 'upon the crucifix'.

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Gt. *cresc.*

+32'

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molto rit. **a tempo** *f*

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al *f* It

7. The next good joy that Ma - ry had, It

f

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f

7. The next good joy that Ma - ry had, It

molto rit. **a tempo**

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was the joy of sev'n; ah To wear the crown of
 was the joy of sev'n; To see her own son, Je - sus Christ, To wear the crown of
 was the joy of sev'n; To see her own son, Je - sus Christ, To wear the crown of
 was the joy of sev'n; To see her own son, Je - sus Christ, To wear the crown of

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heav'n: To wear the crown of heav'n, good man: And bless - ed may he be,
 heav'n: To wear the crown of heav'n, good man: And bless - ed may he be,
 heav'n: To wear the crown of heav'n, good man: And bless - ed may he be,
 heav'n: To wear the crown of heav'n, good man: And bless - ed may he be,

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ah To

Both Fa-ther, Son, and Ho-ly Ghost, To

Both Fa-ther, Son, and Ho-ly Ghost, To

Both Fa-ther, Son, and Ho-ly Ghost, To

Sw. Reeds Gt.

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all e-ter-ni-ty

all e-ter-ni-ty

all e-ter-ni-ty

all e-ter-ni-ty

poco rit.

Sw. mf

-32'