

Cast Your Burden on the Lord

SATB Choir with piano accompaniment

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Gently, about ♩ = 100

The piano introduction is written in 6/8 time. It begins with a mezzo-piano (*mp*) dynamic. The right hand features a melodic line with eighth and sixteenth notes, while the left hand provides a harmonic accompaniment with chords and single notes. The piece concludes with a *rit.* (ritardando) marking.

Verse 1: Tenor/Bass
Verse 2: Soprano/Alto

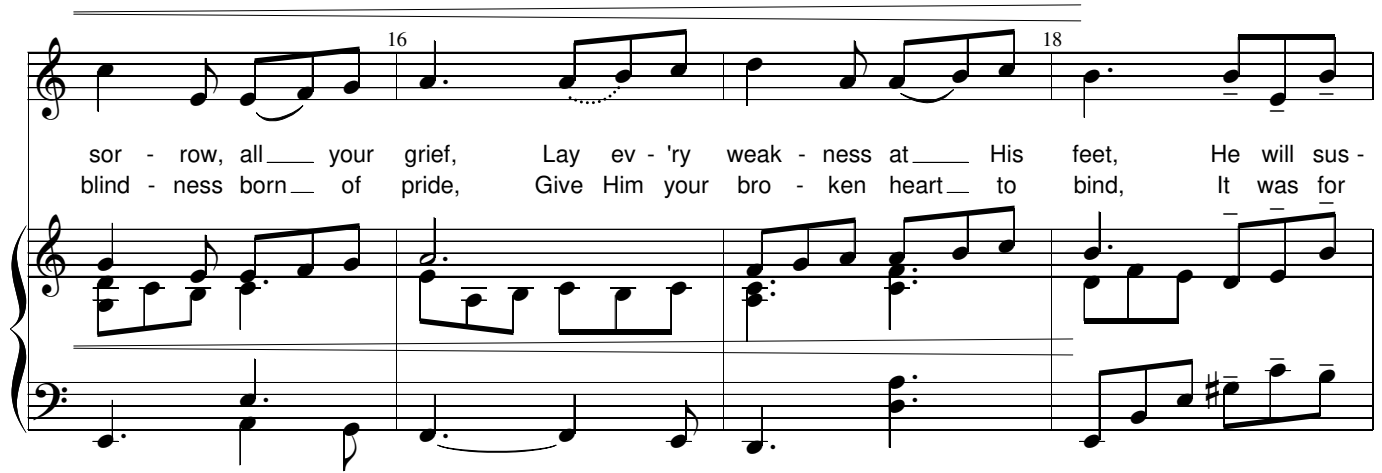
The first system of the vocal entry is marked *mp*. It includes a vocal line and a piano accompaniment. The piano part begins with a *a tempo* marking. The lyrics are: "Cast your bur - den on the Lord, and He will make it light, / Cast your bur - den on the Lord, and He will heal your soul,". Measure numbers 8 and 10 are indicated above the vocal line.

The second system of the vocal entry includes a vocal line and a piano accompaniment. The lyrics are: "Come un - to Him, ye hea - vy la - den, find your rest in Christ, Bring Him your / Place on His al - tar all your sin, and He will bear its toll, Bring Him your". Measure numbers 12 and 14 are indicated above the vocal line.



16 18

sor - row, all ___ your grief, Lay ev - 'ry weak - ness at ___ His feet, He will sus -
blind - ness born ___ of pride, Give Him your bro - ken heart ___ to bind, It was for



20 22 1.

tain you, give ___ you peace, ___ and lead you in - to life.
this He bled ___ and died, ___ that He might make ___ you

rit.

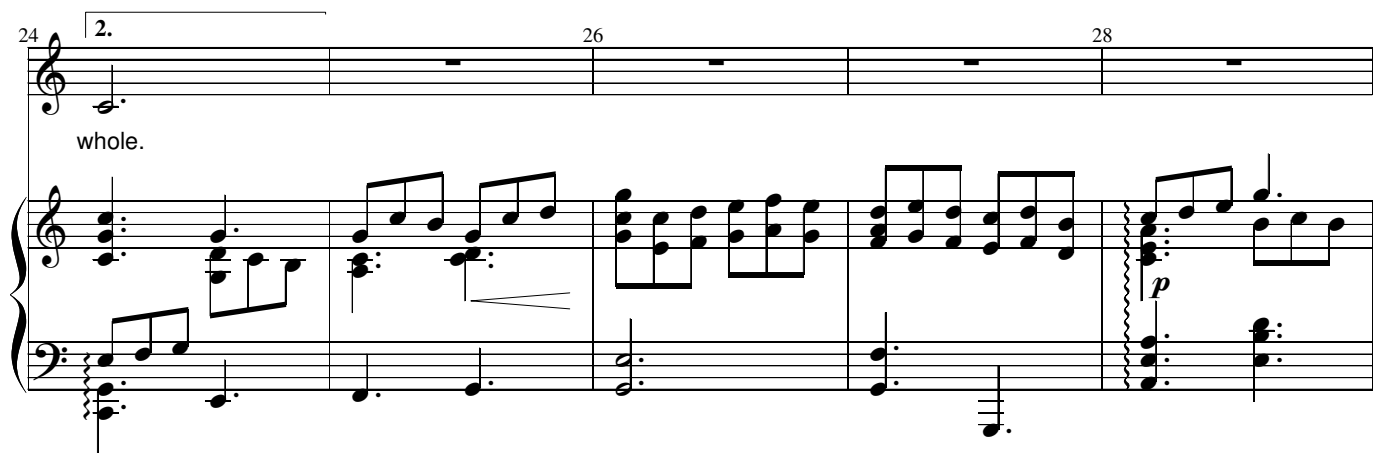


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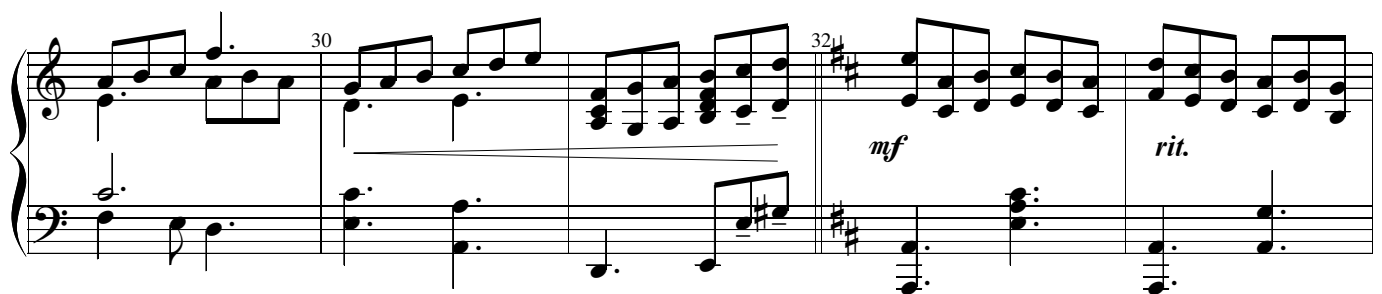
whole.

p



30 32

mf *rit.*



34 *mf* 36

Cast your bur - den on the Lord, and He will car - ry you home,

a tempo

38 40

He will at - tend you and de - fend through per - ils yet un - known, Put your un -

42 44

wav - ring trust in Him, Christ, your con - stant heav'n - ly friend, has gra - ven you

46 *rit.* 48 *a tempo*

in the palms of His hands, (His hands,) and ne'er for - sakes His own.

rit. *a tempo*

50 52 *mp*

And ne'er for -

mp

54 56 *p*

sakes His own.

rit. *p*