

Hymn of Grateful Praise

(For the Beauty of the Earth)
SSAATBB with violin obbligato

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Melody: English Folksong ("Scarborough Fair"); Conrad Kocher
Arrangement: Sally DeFord

Solo, a cappella
rubato

4 6 8

mf For the beau - ty of ___ the earth, For the beau - ty of ___ the skies,

10 12 14

For the love which from _ our birth ___ o - ver and a - round ___ us lies, ___

in time, about ♩ = 108

16 18 20

Lord of all to thee ___ we raise this our hymn _ of praise, This our hymn of

Soprano/Alto

p

Oo ___ Oo ___ This our hymn of

Tenor/Bass

p

Oo ___ Oo ___ This our hymn of

22 5 28

grate - ful praise.

5 *mf*

grate - ful praise, ___ For the beau - ty of ___ each hour,

5

grate - ful praise, ___



Of the day and of the night, Hill and vale, tree and flow - er,
 (div.) *p* *p* 30 32 34
 Of the day and of of the night, Hill and vale and tree_ and
 Unis. *mf* Hill and vale and tree_ and flow'r,

Sun, moon, stars_ of *mf* *mf*
 sun and_ moon, stars_ of light, Lord of all_ to thee_ we raise_ (Our_
 Sun and moon and stars_ of (div) *mf*
 36 38

hymn) this our hymn_ of praise, This our hymn of grate - ful praise.
 40 42 44 *f* 2
 44 *f* 2

48 54 58 *mp* *mf*
 For the joy of hu - man
 For the joy of hu - man love,
 5 4 5 4 3

mf Bro - ther, sis - ter, par - ent, child, *f*
 love, Bro - ther, sis - ter, par - ent, child, Friends on earth, and
 Bro - ther, sis - ter, par - ent, par - ent, child,
 (child.)

friends a - bove, For all gen - tle thoughts and mild, Lord of all, to

thee we raise (Our hymn) this our hymn of praise, (this our hymn) This our hymn of
 (this our hymn) *rit.*
 (This)

a tempo grate - ful praise. (Grate - ful praise_) *rit. p* Grate - ful praise.
 (Grate - ful praise,) *a tempo rit. p*