

When It Rains

Solo with optional harmonies (violin obbligato on separate score)

Sally DeFord

$\text{♩} = 78$

mf

6 *mf*

When the sky is _____ veiled _____ and the

8va

8 10

wind is _____ high, _____ When the sha - dows. loom _____ and ga - ther, _____ In the



12

ris - ing_ gale_ as the branch-es_ fly, When the light fails_ al - to -

14 16

ge - ther, When the thun - der_ rolls, and the

8va

18

hea - vens_ weep, and the tor - rents_ fall, and the floods run_ deep, There's a

20 22

God a - bove, who ne - ver sleeps, Watch-ing_ o - ver me.

24 *f* 26

When it rains _____ A - bove the grey the light of day still

f

Detailed description: This system contains the first two staves of music. The top staff is a vocal line in treble clef with a key signature of one sharp (F#) and a common time signature. It begins at measure 24 with a whole rest, followed by a melodic line starting at measure 26. The bottom staff is a piano accompaniment in grand staff (treble and bass clefs) with the same key signature and time signature. It features a steady eighth-note accompaniment in the bass and chords in the treble. A dynamic marking of *f* (forte) is placed above the piano staff.

28

waits for me. Hea - ven keeps the glow - ing sun a - blaze for me. when it

Detailed description: This system contains the next two staves of music. The vocal line continues from the previous system, starting at measure 28. The piano accompaniment continues with the same rhythmic pattern. The lyrics are: "waits for me. Hea - ven keeps the glow - ing sun a - blaze for me. when it".

30 32

rains, When it rains He will fill the thirst - y ri - vers with His

Detailed description: This system contains the next two staves of music. The vocal line starts at measure 30. The piano accompaniment continues. The lyrics are: "rains, When it rains He will fill the thirst - y ri - vers with His".

34

love, And my soul with liv - ing wa - ter from a - bove, My faith will

Detailed description: This system contains the final two staves of music on the page. The vocal line starts at measure 34. The piano accompaniment continues. The lyrics are: "love, And my soul with liv - ing wa - ter from a - bove, My faith will".

36 *mf* 38

grow like the riv - ers' flow, when it rains.

40 42

When my heart is ___ grey ___ like the

8va

44 46

storm - y ___ sky, ___ When my dreams are ___ tossed and tat - tered, In the

48

win - try ___ gale ___ as they pass me ___ by ___ And I watch them ___ fly ___ and

50 scat - ter, — When I wake to — find — that my world has — changed, That this

54 life of — mine — has been re - ar - ranged, There's a God a - bove — who

56 knows my pain Watch - ing — o - ver — me. *f* When it

60 rains — A - bove the grey the light of day still waits for me.

62 64

Hea - ven keeps the glow - ing sun a - blaze for me when it rains, When it rains He will

66 68

fill the thirst - y ri - vers with His love, And my soul with liv - ing wa - ter from a -

70 72

bove, My faith will grow like the riv - ers' flow, when it rains, _____

74 76

_____ when it rains, _____ When it rains, _____

78

When it rains, When it rains, _____ When it rains, When it (When it)

80

rains _____ He will fill the thirst - y ri - vers with His _____ love, _____ And my

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84

soul with liv - ing wa - ter from a - bove, My faith will grow like the riv - ers'

rit.

rit.

86

mf

88

90

flow, when it rains.

rit.