

The Voice of Jesus

SATB, flute

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The Voice of Jesus

I heard the voice of Jesus say
'Come unto me and rest;
Lay down, thou weary one, lay down
Thy head upon my breast'.
I came to Jesus as I was,
Weary, and worn, and sad.
I found in him a resting place,
And he has made me glad.

I heard the voice of Jesus say,
'Behold, I freely give
The living water; thirsty one,
Stoop down, and drink, and live'.
I came to Jesus and I drank
Of that life-giving stream;
My thirst was quenched, my soul revived,
And now I live in him.

I heard the voice of Jesus say,
'I am this dark world's light;
Look unto me, thy morn shall rise,
And all thy day be bright'.
I looked to Jesus, and I found
In Him my star, my sun.
And in that light of life I'll walk
Till travelling days are done.

Horatius Bonar (1808 – 1889)

THE VOICE OF JESUS

SATB chorus & flute obbligato

Horatius Bonar

Sheena Phillips

$\text{♩} = 48$ *legato e cantabile*

Flute *mp*

S *p*

A *p*

T *p*

B *p*

I heard the voice of

I heard the voice of

I heard the voice of

I heard the voice of

6

Fl.

S

A

T

B

Je - sus say, 'Come un - to me and rest.

Je - sus say, 'Come un - to me and rest.

Je - sus say, 'Come un - to me and rest.

Je - sus say, 'Come un - to me and rest.

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Fl.

S

A

T

B

Lay down, thou wea - ry one, lay down thy

14

Fl.

S

A

T

B

head up - on my breast'.

18

Fl.

S

A

T

B

mp

mp

mp

mp

I came to Je-sus as I was: wea-ry, worn and

I came to Je-sus as I was: wea-ry, worn and

I came to Je-sus as I was: wea-ry, worn and

I came as I was: wea-ry, worn and

23

Fl.

S

A

T

B

cresc.

cresc.

cresc.

cresc.

sad. I found in him a rest - ing place, and he has made me

sad. I found in him a rest - ing place, and he has made me

sad. I found in him a rest - ing place, and he has made me

sad. I found in him a rest - ing place, and he has made me

28

Fl.

mf

S

mf

A

mf

T

mf

B

glad. I found in him a rest - ing place, and

32

Fl.

S

A

T

B

he has made me glad.

36

Fl.

S

A

T

B

p

mp

p

p

p

p

I heard the voice of Je - sus say,

I heard the voice of Je - sus say,

I heard the voice of Je - sus say,

I heard the voice of Je - sus say,

I heard the voice of Je - sus say,

41

Fl.

S

A

T

B

cresc.

cresc.

cresc.

cresc.

cresc.

'Be - hold, I free - ly give the liv - ing wa - ter;

'Be - hold, I free - ly give the liv - ing wa - ter;

'Be - hold, I free - ly give the liv - ing wa - ter;

'Be - hold, I free - ly give the liv - ing wa - ter;

'Be - hold, I free - ly give the liv - ing wa - ter;

45

Fl.

S

A

T

B

mp

mp

mp

mp

thirst-y one stoop down, and drink and live'.

thirst-y one stoop down, and drink and live'.

thirst-y one stoop down, and drink and live'.

thirst-y one stoop down, and drink and live'.

49

Fl.

S

A

T

B

mp

mp

mp

mp

cresc.

cresc.

cresc.

cresc.

I came to Je-sus and I drank of

I came to Je-sus and I drank of

I came to Je-sus and I drank of

I came to Je-sus and I drank of

I came and I drank of

54

Fl.

S

A

T

B

that life - giv - ing stream. My thirst was quenched, my soul re -

that life - giv - ing stream. My thirst was quenched, my soul re -

that life - giv - ing stream. My thirst was quenched, my soul re -

that life - giv - ing stream. My thirst was quenched, my soul re -

mf

mf

mf

mf

58

Fl.

S

A

T

B

vived, and now I live in Him. My thirst was quenched, my

vived, and now I live in Him. My thirst was quenched, my

vived, and now I live in Him. My thirst was quenched, my

vived, and now I live in Him. My thirst was quenched, my

mf

f

f

f

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62

Fl.

S

A

T

B

mp

soul re - - vived, and now I live in Him.

mp

soul re - - vived, and now I live in Him.

mp

soul re - - vived, and now I live in Him.

mp

soul re - - vived, and now I live in Him.

66

Fl.

70

Fl.

S

A

T

B

mf

f

I heard the voice of Je - sus say, 'I

mf

f

I heard the voice of Je - sus say, 'I

mf

f

I heard the voice of Je - sus say, 'I

mf

f

I heard the voice of Je - sus say, 'I

74

Fl.

S

A

T

B

am this dark world's light. Look *mf*

am this dark world's light. Look *mf*

am this dark world's light. Look *mf*

am this dark world's light. Look

78

Fl.

S

A

T

B

un - to me, thy morn shall rise, and all thy day be bright'.

un - to me, thy morn shall rise, and all thy day be bright'.

un - to me, thy morn shall rise, and all thy day be bright'.

un - to me, thy morn shall rise, and all thy day be bright'.

82

Fl.

S

A

T

B

mp

mp

mp

mp

I looked to Je - sus

I looked to Je - sus

I looked to Je - sus

I looked

86

Fl.

S

A

T

B

cresc. molto

f

mf

cresc. molto

f

mf

cresc. molto

f

mf

cresc. molto

f

mf

and I found in Him my star, my sun. And

and I found in Him my star, my sun. And

and I found in Him my star, my sun. And

and I found in Him my star, my sun. And

90

Fl.

S

A

T

B

in that light of life I'll walk till trav'ling days are

94

Fl.

S

A

T

B

done. And in that light of life I'll

f

97

Fl.

S

A

T

B

mp

walk till trav - 'ling days are done.

mp

walk till trav - 'ling days are done.

mp

walk till trav - 'ling days are done.

mp

walk till trav - 'ling days are done.

101

Fl.

S

A

T

B

mp

meno mosso

poco rit.