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Glory Be to God on High (Gloria)

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For Solo/Leader and SATB Choir/Opt. Congregation, accompanied

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Joyfully ♩ = 100

The musical score is written in 4/4 time with a key signature of three sharps (F#, C#, G#). It consists of three systems of music.

System 1: Piano introduction. The right hand starts with a whole rest, then plays a series of chords. The left hand plays a rhythmic pattern of eighth notes. Dynamics range from *pp* to *mf*. A section labeled 'A' begins at measure 3.

System 2: Choir entry at measure 5. The vocal line is marked *ff*. The lyrics are: "Glo - ry - be to - God on - high! high!". The piano accompaniment continues with chords and a bass line. Dynamics are *ff*. Chords are labeled: A, G/A, D/A, A, F, Em7, A, D/F#, G. First and second endings are indicated.

System 3: Solo entry at measure 13. The vocal line is marked *f*. The lyrics are: "Glo - ry be to God on high, peace on earth, good - will - toward men." The piano accompaniment continues. Dynamics are *f*. Chords are labeled: A, G/A, D/A, A, D/F#, G. A triplet of eighth notes is marked with a '3' over the notes.

*Multiple measure numbers needed for compatibility with the orchestration, which is through-composed.

Choir/Opt. Congregation

17 *f*

Glo - ry be to God on high, peace on earth, good - will___ toward

A G/A D/A

20 *(Solo)*

We praise Thee, we bless Thee, we men. We praise Thee, we bless Thee,

A A/C# D A/C#

23

wor-ship Thee, we glo-ri - fy Thee, we give thanks to Thee, for Thy great we wor-ship Thee, we glo-ri - fy Thee, we give thanks to Thee,

Bm7 A/C# D

26

glo - ry, O Lord God, Heav - en - ly King, God the Fa - ther Al -

Choir only

for Thy great glo - ry, Oo

A
C#

G

D

29

might - y.

f

Glo - ry - be to God on high!

f

A

G/A

D/A

A

F

Em7

33 *Solo*

Glo - ry be to God on high, peace on earth, good - will _ toward men.

A G/A D/A A D/F# G

37 *Solo*

Choir/Opt. Congregation

Glo - ry be to God on high, peace on earth, good - will _ toward men.

A G/A D/A A A/C#

We

41

praise Thee, we bless Thee, we wor-ship Thee, we glo-ri -

We praise Thee, we bless Thee, we wor-ship Thee,

D A/C# Bm7

44

fy Thee, we give thanks to Thee for Thy great glo - ry, O__

we glo-ri - fy Thee, we give thanks to Thee for Thy great glo-ry,

$\overset{A}{C\#}$ D $\overset{A}{C\#}$

47

Lord__ God, Heav - en - ly King, God the Fa - ther Al - might - y.

Choir only

Oo

G D A

50 *mf*

O Lord, the on-ly be-

decresc.

decresc.

decresc. *mf*

54

got-ten Son, Je - sus Christ; O Lord God, Lamb of

mp *mf*

Oo

mf

D/A A D E A G/A

58

God, Son of the Fa-ther. That takes a-way the sins of the

mp *f*

Oo Ah

mf *f*

D A D E F#m

62

world, have mer-cy, — have mer-cy, — have mer-cy.. Lord, have mer-cy up -

Ah Oo

E F#m E D

65

on us.

Glo - ry be to God on high!

A G A D A A F Em7

Solo

69

Glo - ry be to God on high, peace on earth, good - will toward men.

A G A D A A D F# G

Choir/Opt. Congregation

73

Glo - ry be to God on high, peace on earth, good - will toward

A G A D A

76

We praise Thee, we bless Thee, we wor-ship Thee, we glo-ri-
men. We praise Thee, we bless Thee, we wor-ship Thee,

A A/C# D A/C# Bm7

80

fy Thee, we give thanks to Thee, for Thy great glo-ry, O—
we glo-ri-fy Thee, we give thanks to Thee, for Thy great glo-ry,

A/C# D A/C#

83

Lord— God, Heav-en - ly King, God the Fa-ther Al- might - y.

Choir only

Oo

G D A

93

Thou, Thou sitteth at the right hand of God the Father; re-ceive our prayer.

Re-ceive our prayer,

A G/A D/A A E/G#

96

For Thou on-ly are ho-ly,

Oo

F#m E D E

99

Thou on-ly — art Lord; — Thou on-ly — art Christ

f

Thou art Lord, Thou art

f

F#m A C# D A C# Bm7

102

— with the Ho - ly Ghost — ut - most high and ex -

f

Christ, Ho - ly Ghost.

E F#m E D

106

alt - ed.

f

Glo - ry - be to God on high!

f p.

A G/A D/A A F Em7

Solo

110 *f*

Glo - ry be to God on high, peace on earth, good-will toward men.

A G/A D/A A D/F# G

114

Choir/Opt. Congregation

f

We

Glo - ry be to God on high, peace on earth, good-will toward men.

A G/A D/A A A/C#

118

praise Thee, we bless Thee, we wor-ship Thee, we glo-ri-fy Thee, we give

We praise Thee, we bless Thee, we wor-ship Thee, we glo-ri-fy Thee,

D A/C# Bm7 A/C#

122

thanks to Thee for Thy great glo - ry, O Lord God, Heav - en - ly

Choir only

we give thanks to Thee, for Thy great glo-ry, Oo

D A/C# G

125

King, God the Fa-ther Al-might - y.

f

Glo - ry - be to God on high!

f

D A $\frac{G}{A}$ $\frac{D}{A}$ A F Em7

130

Glo - ry - be to God on high!

ff

ff

A $\frac{G}{A}$ $\frac{D}{A}$ A