

# If Ye Seek Me

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SSAA Arrangement

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With feeling ♩ = 56

The musical score is for a SSAA (Soprano, Soprano, Alto, Alto) arrangement of the hymn 'If Ye Seek Me'. It is in the key of D major (indicated by two sharps) and 4/4 time. The tempo is marked 'With feeling' with a quarter note equal to 56 beats. The score begins with a piano introduction in the piano part, marked *mp*. The vocal parts enter at measure 5. The Soprano (SS) and Alto (AA) parts have lyrics: 'If ye seek me, ye shall find me. Come'. The piano part provides accompaniment. At measure 8, the tempo changes to 'slightly slower' and then 'a tempo'. The lyrics continue: 'search with all your heart; my peace I shall impart. If ye seek me, ye shall'. The score includes dynamic markings such as *mp* and *mf*, and performance instructions like 'div.' (divisi) and 'expressive'. The piano part features a triplet in the final measure.

5 SS *mp* If ye seek me, ye shall find me. Come *div.*

AA *mp*

8 *slightly slower* *a tempo* *expressive*

search with all your heart; my peace I shall impart. If ye seek me, ye shall

*slightly slower* *a tempo* *mf* 3

11

*rall.* *a tempo* <sup>3</sup>

find me. Call un - to me in prayer, for I, thy God, shall hear and I shall

*div.*

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<sup>3</sup>

14

*mf* an - swer. And if thou tru - ly will be - lieve, then ask, and re -

*mf*

<sup>3</sup>

17

ceive. *mp* If ye seek me, ye shall find me. In

*mp*

<sup>3</sup>

20

*slightly slower*

joy or in des-pair, I hear each earn-est prayer and sure - ly ans - wer. Ye hun-gry

*slightly slower*

*f*

3

3

3

Detailed description: This block contains the musical notation for measures 20 through 22. It features three staves: a vocal line (treble clef), a piano accompaniment line (treble clef), and a bass line (bass clef). The key signature has one flat (B-flat). The tempo/mood is marked 'slightly slower'. The lyrics are 'joy or in des-pair, I hear each earn-est prayer and sure - ly ans - wer. Ye hun-gry'. The piano part includes a forte dynamic 'f' and triplet markings in measures 21 and 22.

23

souls who would re-ceive, just ask and be-lieve. Hope\_\_\_

3

3

3

3

Detailed description: This block contains the musical notation for measures 23 through 25. It features three staves: a vocal line (treble clef), a piano accompaniment line (treble clef), and a bass line (bass clef). The key signature has one flat (B-flat). The lyrics are 'souls who would re-ceive, just ask and be-lieve. Hope\_\_\_'. The piano part includes triplet markings in measures 24 and 25.

26

*slightly faster*

need-'nt dis - a - ppear, thy Lord is ev - er near. Look to my Son and search with all your

*slightly faster*

3

3

3

3

Detailed description: This block contains the musical notation for measures 26 through 28. It features three staves: a vocal line (treble clef), a piano accompaniment line (treble clef), and a bass line (bass clef). The key signature has one flat (B-flat). The tempo/mood is marked 'slightly faster'. The lyrics are 'need-'nt dis - a - ppear, thy Lord is ev - er near. Look to my Son and search with all your'. The piano part includes triplet markings in measures 27 and 28.

29 5

soul. In me all pain shall cease, ev-ry heart shall fill with peace if ye will

*slowing*

3 3 3 3

32

seek and be-lieve. If ye will seek If ye will

*mf* *gently & slower* *mp* *decresc*

3 3 3 3

*mp* If ye be-lieve.

*gently & slower*

*mp*

36 *rall.* *p* *\*\* optional*

seek then ye shall find me.

*mf*