

GIFTS

for S.S.A. voices and piano
with optional PianoTrax CD*

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Sensitively, with rubato (♩ = ca. 84)

SOPRANO I
SOPRANO II

ALTO

PIANO

Sensitively, with rubato (♩ = ca. 84)

p
pedal harmonically

poco rit. *p* **5** *a tempo*

I gave my first love

sim.

poco rit.

a tempo

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laugh-ter, I gave my sec-ond tears,

p

gave my third love si-lence through-out all the

poco rit.

mp

13 *a tempo*

I gave my first love laugh-ter, I

mp

years. I gave my first love laugh-ter, I

poco rit.

a tempo mp

15

gave my sec-ond tears, I gave my third love

gave my sec-ond tears, I gave my third love

18

si - lence through - out all the years.

si - lence through - out all the years.

21

mf These are the gifts of love, so pre-cious and

mf These are the gifts of love, so pre-cious and

24

rare; full of ra - diant beau - ty, so

rare; full of ra - diant beau - ty, so

27

bright and fair. These are the

bright and fair. These are the

30

gifts of love, that will nev - er de - part;

gifts of love, that will nev - er de - part;

33

sa - cred, cher - ished mem - o - ries that

sa - cred, cher - ished mem - o - ries that

36

mp *rit.* *a tempo*

I hold _____ in my heart.

mp

I hold _____ in my heart.

mp *rit.* *a tempo*

39

40

mf con moto

mf con moto

My first love gave me

mf con moto

SOP. II only

41

mf

sing - ing, my sec - ond eyes to

mf

my sec - ond eyes — to

43

see. But oh, it was my

see. But oh, it was my

ALL

45

cresc.

third love who gave my soul to

cresc.

third love who gave my soul to

cresc.

47 *molto rit.* 48 *a tempo*
f
 me. _____ These are the
f
 me. _____ These are the

molto rit. *a tempo*
f
 3

49
 gifts of love, so pre-cious and rare;
 gifts of love, so pre-cious and rare;
pp

52
 full of ra - diant beau - ty, so bright and
 full of ra - diant beau - ty, so bright and

55 56

fair. _____ These are the gifts of love, that will

fair. _____ These are the gifts of love, that will

58

nev - er _____ de - part; _____ sa - cred, cher - ished

nev - er _____ de - part; _____ sa - cred, cher - ished

61

mem - o - ries that I hold _____

mem - o - ries that I hold _____

64 *mf* *rit.* *a tempo*

in my heart.

mf

in my heart.

mf *rit.* *a tempo*

67 *mp* *rit. e decresc.*

These are the gifts of love. These are the *decresc.*

mp

These are the gifts of love These are the

mp *rit. e decresc.*

70 *p*

gifts of love.

p

gifts of love.

p