

LIFE HAS LOVELINESS

for S.A.T.B. voices and piano
with optional PianoTrax*

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Rhythmically flowing (♩ = ca. 126)

SOPRANO
ALTO

TENOR
BASS

PIANO

Rhythmically flowing (♩ = ca. 126)

p

4 *p* 5

Life has love - li - ness to sell, all beau - ti - ful and

p

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splen - did things, _____ blue waves whit - ened on _____ a

12

cliff, soar - ing fire _____ that sways and sings, _____

16

17

and chil - dren's fac - es look - ing up _____

and chil - dren's fac - es

4

20

cresc.

hold - ing won - der like a cup.

look - ing up _____ hold - ing won - der

cresc.

24

25

mf

Life has _____ love - li -

like a cup. _____ Life has _____ love - li -

mf

28

decresc.

ness to sell.

decresc.

decresc.

32 *mp* 33

Life has love - li - ness__ to sell,

mp

mu - sic like__ a

mp

36

scent of pine trees in__ the rain,

curve of gold,__

40 43

And for your spir - it's

eyes that love__ you, arms that hold__

still de - light, _____ ho - ly thoughts__ that

And for your spir - it's still de - light, _____

star the night. _____

_____ ho - ly thoughts__ that star the night.

cresc.

cresc.

Life has _____ love - li - ness to

Life has _____ love - li - ness to

mf

mf

55 *decresc.* *mp*

sell. *decresc.* *mp*

Spend

decresc.

59

all you have for love - li - ness,

mp

61

buy it and nev - er count the cost. For

one white__ sing - ing hour of__ peace count

man - y a year__ of strife well lost. And

for a__ breath of ec - sta - cy, give

cresc. *mf*

And for__ a breath of ec - sta - cy,

cresc. *mf*

71

all you ___ have been _____ or could

mf

give all you ___ have been or could

75

be. _____ Life has

79

love - li - ness ___ to sell, and splen - did things, ___

all beau - ti - ful ___ and splen - did things, ___

blue waves whit - ened on a cliff,

that sways and sings, and
soar - ing fire that sways and sings,

chil - dren's fac - es look - ing up
hold - ing won - der like a cup.

95 *mf*

Life has _____ love - li - ness to

mf

Life has _____ love - li - ness to

mf

99 *decresc.*

sell. _____ Life has

decresc.

mp

mp

decresc.

103

love - li - ness _____ to sell. _____ Life has

mp

love - li - ness__ to sell.

111

rit.

decresc.

p

Life has _____ love - li - ness _____ to

Life has _____ love - li - ness _____ to

rit. *decresc.*

116

a tempo

molto rit.

sell.

a tempo *p* *molto rit.*

8^{vb}

