

dedicated to Susan Marshall and the
directors and kids of Gaston County, N.C.

WE ARE THE CHILDREN

for 3-part mixed voices and piano
with optional CD*
and staging suggestions†

Words and Music by
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Moderato (♩ = 88-96)

PARTS I and II unis. 3 *mf*

PART III *mf*

We are the chil-dren,

PIANO

Moderato (♩ = 88-96)

mf

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walk-ing hand in hand. We are the chil-dren, watch us as we stand ___ for

* Also available 2-part (7893).
SoundTrax CD available (3834).
† Staging suggestions located on page 8.

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lib - er - ty and free - dom, peace and broth - er - hood. — We are the chil - dren,

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we stand for good.

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We will be set - ting our own goals. — And then new

We are the fu - ture, set - ting our own goals. We are the fu - ture,

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sto-ries will un-fold — of e - qual rights and jus - tice, clear skies up a - bove. —

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We are the fu-ture, we stand for love. If we

22

gradual cresc.

work to - geth - er hand in hand, we'll ful - fill the dreams for which we

gradual cresc.

gradual cresc.

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DESCANT

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f
We are the lead-ers of the way.

stand. _____ We are the chil-dren, lead-ers of the way.

Piano accompaniment for measures 25-27. The right hand features chords and melodic lines, while the left hand provides a steady bass line. A dynamic marking of *f* is present.

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rejoin section

And now please join us as we say, "Be-

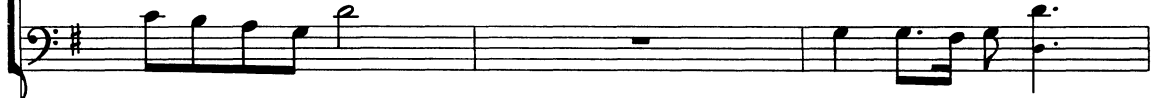
We are the fu-ture, join us as we say, "Be - lieve in hope and prom-ise,

Piano accompaniment for measures 28-30. The right hand features chords and melodic lines, while the left hand provides a steady bass line. A dynamic marking of *f* is present.

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all that's right and true. — We are the chil-dren. —



We are the chil-dren.



34 PART I

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We are the chil-dren. We'll stand for you. We are the

PART II

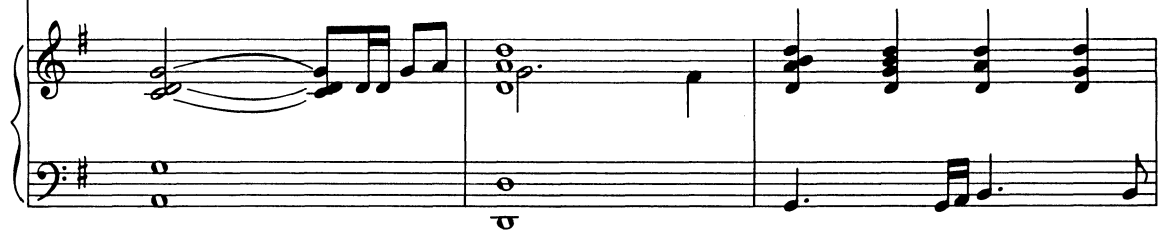


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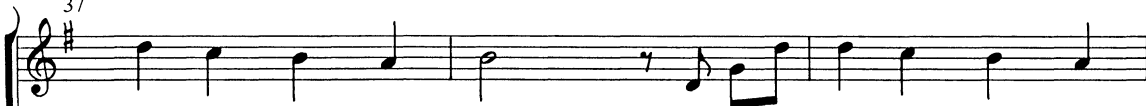
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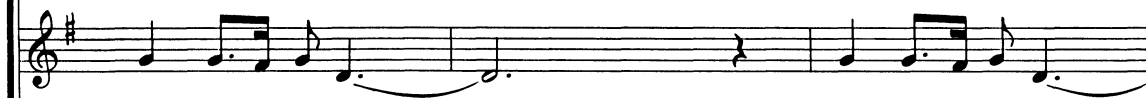
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chil - dren of the world. We are the chil - dren of the



We are the chil-dren. _____ We are the chil-dren. _____



_____ We are the chil-dren. _____



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world. We are the chil - dren of the world. _____



The chil-dren of the world. _____



We are the chil-dren _____ of the world. _____



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