

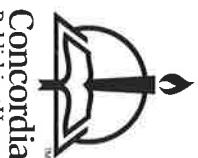
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Luke 2:29–32. *Das Bäst Gesangbuch*, 1545.*
Tr. *The Lutheran Hymnal*, 1941, alt.

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Swell: 8' Flute (Strings)
Great: 8', 4' Flute, Sw. to Gt.
Pedal: 16', 8', Sw. to Ped.

Cantor:

(2)

in
de

(3)

peo
Vol - ple,
len - kern,

(3)

Very slowly, ♩ = 52

Soprano
Alto

Tenor
Bass

Ped.

* This is the last hymnal published under Luther's supervision before his death the following year.

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Musical score for 'Now let-test Thou Thy servant'. The score consists of two staves. The top staff is in treble clef and has a tempo of $\text{♩} = 72$. It features a bassoon part with sustained notes and a vocal part with lyrics. The bottom staff is in bass clef and contains a cello part with sustained notes.

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(14)

— Now let-test Thou Thy ser-vant, Thy ser-vant de -

Lord, now let - test Thou Thy ser - vant de -

cresc. *mf* *dim.*

17

part in peace
part, de-part
part in in peace
peace
peace
ac - cord - ing

(21) to Thy word,
 cord-ing to Thy word, ac-cord-ing to Thy word, _____
 to Thy word, ac-cord-ing to Thy word, *mf* for mine

to Thy word, ac-cord-ing to Thy word, _____
 to Thy word, to Thy word, *mf* for mine
mp

(25) eyes have seen Thy sal-va-tion, have seen Thy sal-
 eyes, mine eyes have seen Thy sal-va-tion, have seen Thy sal-
 word, for mine eyes have seen Thy sal-va-tion, have seen Thy sal-
 eyes, mine eyes have seen Thy sal-va-tion,

(29) va-tion, *dim.* which Thou hast pre-pared
 va - tion, *mf*
 Thy - sal - va - tion, *cresc.* *mp*
 Thy sal - va - tion, *dim.* *mf*
 Thy sal - va - tion which Thou pre -

6

(33) — in the pres - ence of all peo - ple, of all
 pared in the pres - ence of all peo - ple, of all
 pared in the pres - ence, in the pres - ence of all peo - ple, of all
 pared in the pres - ence of all peo - ple, of all
 pared in the pres - ence of all peo - ple, of all

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|-----|---|------|
| | | (37) |
| peo | - | ple. |

A musical score for voice and piano. The vocal line starts with a dynamic of **f** (fortissimo) at measure 44. The lyrics are: "Lighten the Gen-tiles". The piano accompaniment consists of sustained notes and chords. The vocal line ends with a fermata over the last note.

Brightly, ♪ = 92-96

+2' Flute **f**

+2' Flute *f*

(48)

light - en Light _____ to light - en _____ the
the Gen - tiles, to light - en the Gen-tiles and the -
Gen-tiles and the -

a Light _____ to light - en _____ the
the Gen - tiles, to light - en the Gen-tiles and the -
Gen-tiles and the -

(52) Glo - ry of Thy peo - ple Is - ra - el,
dim.

dim.

(56) *mp* slowing
Is - ra - el.
Tempo II, J = 72

Sw. *mp* slowing
- Gr. to Ped.

(62)

Gt.

slowing & dim.

mp

(68) Cantor:

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Ho - ly Ghost;
Ehr' sei dem Vater und dem Sohn und dem Heili - ge Geist;

(69)

as it was in the world with - out end. A - men.
wie es war zu E - wig - keit. A - men.

is now, and ever shall be,
jetzt und immerdar und von Ewigkeit

world with - out end. A - men.

zu E - wig - keit. A - men.

Tempo I, $\text{J} = 52$

(70)

Sw.

as at first

mp

cresc.

mf

slowing & dim.

mp

cresc.

mf

cresc.

(78) Tempo II, $\text{J} = 72$ Glo - ry be to the Fa - ther and glo - ry be to the

mp Glo - ry,

glo - ry,

glo - ry,

(82) Son and to the Ho - ly Ghost, dim. the Ho - ly

to the Son and to the Ho - ly Ghost, the Ho - ly

dim.

mf

(85) Ghost; as it was in the be -

Ghost;

mf

as it was

Gt.

mf

Gt.

(89) gin - ning, is now, is now, ev - er,

in the be - gin - ning, is now, the be - gin - ning, is now, and ev - er,
as it was in the be - gin - ning, is now, and

As it was in the be - gin - ning, is now, and -

building

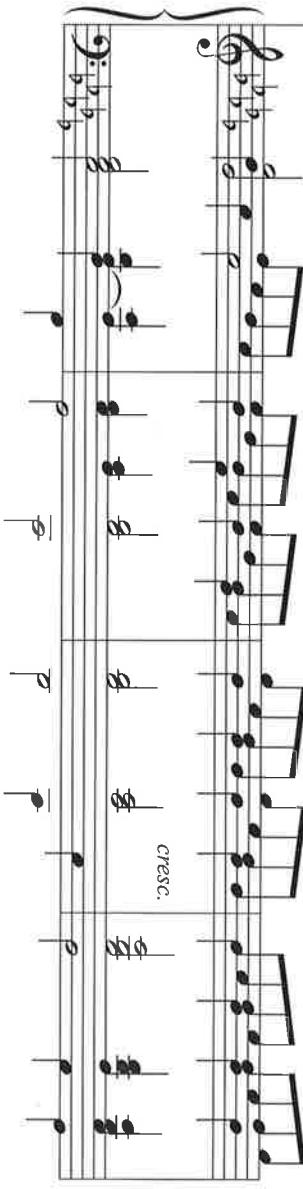
f

add

(93) ev - er shall be, world with - out end, - with - out



ev - er shall be, world with - out end, - with - out



end.

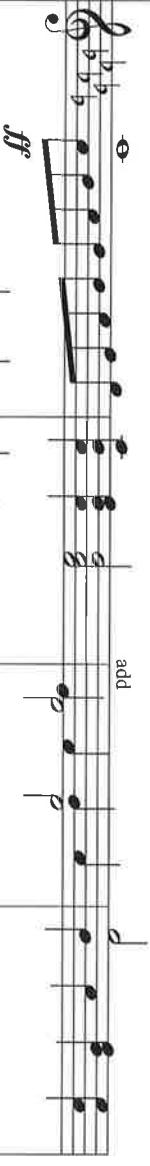
*ff to the end*

A -

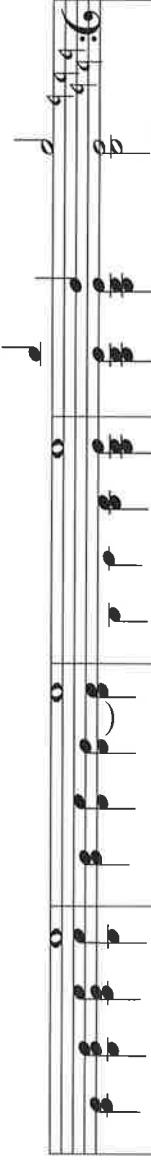
end.

end.

A -



add



(105)

men, a - men, *slowing greatly* a - men.

men, a - men, a - men.

slowing greatly

full organ