

With love to Ben and Esther Sanders

A LIGHT WILL SHINE ON US THIS DAY

Psalm 97

Two-Part Choir, Cantor, Assembly, Guitar, Keyboard
(optional Flute)

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I SAW THREE SHIPS
Traditional English carol
Arr. by David L. Sanders

♩ = 74

REFRAIN

Cantor/Choir/Assembly

A light will shine on us this day: the Lord is born, the

F Gm/F Fmaj7 Gm7 Am7 G7/B

mf

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Lord is born, A light will shine on us this day: the Lord is born for

C9 C7sus F Gm/F Am7 C A7/C# Dm Gm C7(b9)

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1. 2., 3. *To Verses*

us. A us.

This system contains the first two measures of music. The vocal line starts with a half note 'us.' followed by a quarter rest, then a quarter note 'A', and another quarter rest. The piano accompaniment consists of a half note chord in the left hand and a half note chord in the right hand. The first ending is marked with a double bar line and repeat dots. The second ending is marked with a double bar line and a 'To Verses' instruction.

1. 2., 3. *To Verses*

F Dm Gm C F Dm Gm C

This system contains the next four measures of music. The piano accompaniment features a melody in the right hand and a bass line in the left hand. The chords are F, Dm, Gm, and C. The first ending is marked with a double bar line and repeat dots. The second ending is marked with a double bar line and a 'To Verses' instruction.

12 *Final* *Assembly rit.*

us. The Lord is born for us.

rit.

This system contains the next four measures of music. The vocal line starts with a half note 'us.' followed by a quarter rest, then a quarter note 'The', a quarter note 'Lord', a quarter note 'is', a quarter note 'born', a quarter note 'for', and a half note 'us.'. The piano accompaniment features a bass line in the left hand and a melody in the right hand. The first ending is marked with a double bar line and repeat dots. The second ending is marked with a double bar line and a 'rit.' instruction.

Final

F Dm Gm C7 Dm Gm C7(b9) F

rit.

This system contains the final four measures of music. The piano accompaniment features a melody in the right hand and a bass line in the left hand. The chords are F, Dm, Gm, C7, Dm, Gm, C7(b9), and F. The first ending is marked with a double bar line and repeat dots. The second ending is marked with a double bar line and a 'rit.' instruction.

VERSES

16 *Cantor*

1. The LORD is king; let the earth re - joice; let the many isles be glad.
 2. Light dawns for the just; and gladness, for the upright of heart.

C Gm/C Fmaj7 D7/E#

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1. The heavens pro - claim his justice, and all peoples see his
 2. Be glad in the LORD, you just, and give thanks to his ho - ly

Gm/F C(add2)/E F/Eb

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1. glo - ry. _____ A
 2. name _____

To Refrain
Cantor/Choir/Assembly

C7sus Gm7 C *To Refrain*