

I Am So Glad

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Moderato ♩ = 48

The first system of music consists of two staves. The upper staff is in treble clef with a key signature of one flat and a 6/8 time signature. It begins with a forte (*f*) dynamic and features a melodic line with eighth notes and rests. The lower staff is in bass clef and provides a harmonic accompaniment with chords and moving lines. Fingerings are indicated with numbers 1, 2, and 5. A piano (*p*) dynamic marking appears in the third measure of the lower staff.

The second system continues the piece. The upper staff maintains the melodic line, while the lower staff provides accompaniment with chords and moving lines. A mezzo-piano (*mp*) dynamic marking is present in the first measure of the upper staff. Fingerings 2 and 5 are shown in the lower staff.

The third system of music shows the continuation of the melody and accompaniment. The upper staff has a melodic line with eighth notes. The lower staff has a bass line with chords and moving lines. Fingerings 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5 are indicated. A piano (*p*) dynamic marking is present in the fourth measure of the upper staff.

The fourth system continues the piece. The upper staff has a melodic line with eighth notes. The lower staff has a bass line with chords and moving lines. A mezzo-forte (*mf*) dynamic marking is present in the first measure of the upper staff. A piano (*p*) dynamic marking is present in the third measure of the upper staff. Fingerings 3 and 5 are shown in the lower staff.

The fifth system concludes the piece. The upper staff has a melodic line with eighth notes. The lower staff has a bass line with chords and moving lines. A mezzo-forte (*mf*) dynamic marking is present in the first measure of the upper staff. Fingerings 1, 2, 3, and 5 are indicated in the lower staff.

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1. I am so glad that our Father in Heaven
Tells of his love in the book he has given;
Wonderful things in the Bible I see;
This is the dearest, that Jesus loves me.

*I am so glad that Jesus loves me,
Jesus loves me, Jesus loves me.
I am so glad that Jesus loves me,
Jesus loves even me.*

2. Jesus loves me and I know I love him;
Love brought him down my poor soul to redeem,
Yes, it was love made him die on the tree;
O I am certain that Jesus loves me!

3. If one should ask of me, how could I tell?
Glory to Jesus, I know very well;
God's Holy Spirit with mine doth agree,
Constantly witnessing Jesus loves me.

4. O if there's only one song I can sing
When in his beauty I see the great King,
This shall my song in eternity be:
O what a wonder that Jesus loves me!

5. In this assurance I find sweetest rest,
Trusting in Jesus, I know I am blest;
Satan, dismayed, from my soul now doth flee
When I just tell him that Jesus loves me.

Philip Paul Bliss (1838 - 1876)