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Life and Joy - by John Lee
arr. Larry Nickel



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Allegrezza ♩ = 124

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Piano introduction in 4/4 time, key of B-flat major. The piece starts with a fortissimo (ff) dynamic, followed by a forte (f) dynamic. The music features a mix of chords and moving lines in both hands. A dynamic marking of *8^{vb}* is indicated at the end of the introduction.

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A All Women

Vocal line starting at measure 5. The lyrics are: "There is no life un-less it comes from the Lord." The melody is in a soprano range, starting on a half note and moving in eighth notes.

Piano accompaniment for the first vocal line, starting at measure 5. The dynamic is mezzo-forte (mf). The accompaniment provides harmonic support with chords and moving lines.

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Vocal line starting at measure 9. The lyrics are: "There is no joy un-less it is the joy of the Lord. The". The melody continues with eighth notes.

Piano accompaniment for the second vocal line, starting at measure 9. The accompaniment continues with harmonic support for the vocal line.

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life I have and the joy are real because they come from the presence of the Lord.

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C All Men

17

There is no life unless comes from the Lord.

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21

There is no joy unless it is the joy



D

Sopranos and Altos

f

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24

Life and joy are from the Lord, yes,
of the Lord.

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ev'-ry-thing good is from Him; gifts of love to show us our Fa-



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E

Altos

Tenors

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-ther is the Lord Our life is from the Lord y' know He

Our life is from the Lord y' know He



sa - tis - fies. Our life is from the Lord y' know He

sa - tis - fies. Our life is from the Lord y' know He

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Tutti

sa - tis - fies. The life I have and the joy I feel are real

sa - tis - fies. The life I have and the joy I feel are real

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be-cause they come from the pre-sence of the Lord.

be-cause they come from the pre-sence of the Lord.

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F

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Sopranos 1 & 2

Altos

Tenors

Basses

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f
Life and joy are from the Lord, yes,

Our life is from the Lord y' know He

Our life is from the Lord y' know He

There is no life unless it

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50

ev'-ry-thing good is from Him; gifts of love to show

sa - tis - fies. Our life is from the Lord

sa - tis - fies. Our life is from the Lord

comes from the Lord. There is no joy



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us — you Fa — ther — the Lord. — The

y' know — He sa - tis - fies. — The

y' know — He sa - tis - fies. — The

un - less it is the joy — of — the Lord. — The

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life I have — and the joy — I feel — are real — be-cause they come from the

life I have — and the joy — I feel — are real — be-cause they come from the

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59 *p* *mp*

pre-sence of the Lord... Ah...

pre-sence of the Lord... Ah...

tacet

63 *p* *mf* *mp* *mf*

Oo... The

Oo... The

69 **I** *mf mp p* 3 times - gradually getting softer

life I have and the joy I feel are real because they come from the

life I have and the joy I feel are real because they come from the

72 *rit. 3rd time*

1.2. 3.

pre-sence of the Lord The (Lord.)

pre-sence of the Lord The (Lord.)

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