

Jesus The Very Thought Of Thee

Words by Bernard of Clairvaux, ca. 1091-1153

Music by John B. Dykes
arranged by Thomas M. Waldron

♩ = 66

Soprano

Bass

Piano

mf

6

S

B

mp Je - sus the ve - ry thought of Thee,

Pno.

LH

LH

mp

12

S

B

With sweet - ness fills my breast: *mf* But sweet - er far Thy

Pno.

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18

S
face to see, *mp* And in thy pre - ence rest.

B

Pno. *mf*

23

S

B *mp*
Nor voice can

Pno. *mp*

27

S

B
sing, nor heart can frame, Nor can the mem - 'ry

Pno.

32

S

B

mf

find _____ A sweet - er sound than thy blest name, _____

Pno.

37

S

B

mp

O Sav - ior of man - kind, _____

Pno.

42

S

B

mf

O hope of ev - 'ry con - trite heart, _____

Pno.

mp

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mf

47

S O joy of all the meek, To those who fall, how

B

Pno.

mp

52

S kind Thou art! O Sav - ior of man - kind.

B

Pno.

mf

57

S

B Je - sus, our

Pno.

62

S
on - ly joy be Thou, As Thou our prize wilt be; Je - sus be Thou our

B

Pno.

70

S
glo - ry now, NB And thru e - ter - ni - ty. *p* And thru e -

B

Pno. *mp* *p*

77

S
ter - ni - ty.

B

Pno. *ritardando*