He Will Come

An inspiring cantata celebrating the life and Second Coming of Jesus Christ.

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But these are written, that ye might believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God; and that believing ye might have life through his name. John 20:31

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Overture

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Reverently, about \( \text{tempo}=69 \)

Solo instrument - flute or violin (Optional)

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And John's father Zacharias was filled with the Holy Ghost, and prophesied, saying,... And thou, child, shalt be called the prophet of the Highest: for thou shalt go before the face of the Lord to prepare his ways; (Luke 1:67,76)

He Will Come
Tenor Solo

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John cried out across the crowd. He will come.

John, Solo: He will come. He will come.

John cried out. "He will come. He will come!"
Excitedly, Faster $j = 84$

He Will Come - 9

Bear - ing truth and light to change our souls, to con - quer death and set us

Ooh

free.

He will come. He will

free_________

He will come. He will

molto rit.

L.H. [2/4] a tempo
come!

John looked down and saw Christ look

come!

Aah

come!

39

John: "And I saw Christ look up. His heart did burn and he proclaimed, "Behold, the

(Aah)

рит.

ff

42

rit.
Lamb of God. He has come. He has come.

Lamb of God. He has come. He has come.

He has come!"
Postlude-He Will Come

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And lo a voice from heaven saying, "This is my beloved Son, in whom I am well pleased." (Matthew 3:17)

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(Spoken without music) Narrator: "From that time Jesus began to preach, and to say, Repent: for the kingdom of heaven is at hand. And Jesus walking by the sea of Galilee, saw...Peter and Andrew...And James and John... And they immediately left their nets and the ship, and followed him. And Jesus went about all Galilee, teaching... and preaching... and healing all manner of sickness.. and disease among the people. ...(and) his fame went throughout all Syria..." (Matt. 4:17-24)
(Spoken with music) Narrator: When Jesus came into the coast of Caesarea Philippi, he asked his disciples, saying, Whom do men say that I the Son of man am?

And they said, Some say that thou art John the Baptist; some Elias; and others Jeremias, or one of the prophets.

He saith unto them, But whom say ye that I am? And Simon Peter answered

and said, Thou art the Christ, the Son of the Living God. (Matt. 16:13-16)
As He walked near Galilee,
Jesus called His disciples by name and asked them to tell Him what prophet they claim.

"Whom say ye that I am?"

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We are His disciples and carry His name.

Whom Say Ye That I Am - 16

Flute:

S.A unison
T.B unison
How would we answer if He asked us the same? "Whom say ye that I am?"
That I am?" "Whom say ye that I am?"

"Whom say ye that I am... that I am?"

"Whom say ye that I am... that I am?"

"Whom say ye that I am... that I am?"

"Whom say ye that I am... that I am?"

"Whom say ye that I am... that I am?"

"Whom say ye that I am... that I am?"

"Whom say ye that I am... that I am?"

"Whom say ye that I am... that I am?"

"Whom say ye that I am... that I am?"
Whom Say Ye That I Am
(Spoken without music) Narrator: From that time forth began Jesus to shew unto his disciples, how that he must go unto Jerusalem, and suffer many things of the elders and chief priests and scribes, and be killed, and be raised again the third day....And when they drew nigh unto Jerusalem, then sent Jesus two disciples, Saying...Go into the village, and ye shall find an ass tied... ...And they brought the ass, and the colt, and put on them their clothes, and they set Jesus thereon. (Matt. 16:21; 21:1-2.7)
(Spoken with music) Narrator: And a very great multitude spread their garments in the way; others cut down branches from the trees, and strawed them in the way. And the multitudes that went before, and that followed, cried saying, Hosanna to the Son of David: Blessed is he that cometh in the name of the Lord; Hosanna in the highest. And when he was come into Jerusalem, all the city was moved, saying, Who is this?
...And the multitude said, This is Jesus the prophet of Nazareth of Galilee. And Jesus went into the temple of God, and cast out all them that sold and bought in the temple... (Matt. 21:8-12, 14)

(Pause till measure 25, beat 2)
And the blind and the lame came to him in the temple; and he healed them.
Reverently, about him
gather and press Him to heal their eyes and

give life to their

They
cried out, "Dear Jesus, please let me touch your hem. My life will be changed forever."
heart cried within Him, for easy the task they asked, but

healing their hearts, the greater gift.

He Came to Give - 26
He came to teach love.
He came to give love to those who receive.

a little slower

S,A

He Came to Give - 27

T.B
He Came to Give - 28

37  
came to love even me.

41  

45  
knelt by the gnarled tree, His hands clasped in agony, His

Tempo I

Tempo I

Tempo I

Tempo I
49

heart filled with love for you and for me.

53

He cried out, "Dear Father, please take this cup from me. Not

a little faster

cresc. — — — — — —

He Came to Give - 29
Thy will be done."

His skin shone crimson. His soul racked with all our sin.
He brought hope and set us free! He set us free! For He came to teach love. He came to give love. And He gives love to
He came. Have we received?

Tempo I

molto rit.

p

pp
(Spoken without music) Narrator: ...Take eat; this bread is in remembrance of my body which I give a ransom for you. Drink... For this is in remembrance of my blood which is shed for as many as shall believe on my name for the remission of their sins. (JST Matt. 26:26; Matt. 26:27; JST Matt. 26:28)

Prelude-I Carried His Cross

Music by Raelene Card

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They all say unto him, Let him be crucified. And the governor said, Why, what evil hath he done? But they cried out the more, saying,

Let him be crucified. When Pilate saw that he could prevail nothing... he took water, and washed his hands before the multitude saying,

I am innocent of the blood of this just person; see ye to it. Then answered all the people, and said, His blood be on us, and on our children.
Then the soldiers of the governor took Jesus... And they stripped him, and put on him a scarlet robe. And when they had platted a crown of thorns,

they put it upon his head and a reed in his right hand; and they bowed the knee before him, and mocked him, saying, Hail, King of the Jews.

And they spit upon him, and took the reed, and smote him, on the head. And after that they had mocked him,

they took the robe off from him, and put his own raiment on him, and led him away to crucify him. (Matt. 26:45-50; 27:11,22-31) to “I Carried His Cross”
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Raelene Card
(Spoken with music) Narrator: And as they came out, they found a man of Cyrene, Simon by name: him they compelled to bear his cross. (Matt.27:32)

I Carried His Cross

Vocal Solo

1 Thoughtfully \( \frac{3}{4} \)=138

Piano

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Roger Hoffman

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I lift up the cross. They carried me. mp We wind our way to the hill Calvary.

My strength is weak. Christ falls down on His knees.

IcarriedHisCross - 37
lean to His side, then he looks, He looks up at me. Mere-ly a

glance and a bow of His head, His eyes full of love. Then I

knew He was who He said. I carried His cross.

And gave me the strength for my own Cal-vay.
I carried His cross.

He, He carried me.

And gave me strength for my own Calvary.

I carried His cross.

(Spoken without music) Narrator: And when they were come unto a place called Golgotha,... They gave him vinegar to drink mingled with gall; and when he had tasted thereof, he would not drink. And they crucified him... (Matt. 27:33-35)
When my son came into the world
When Thy son came to me

My Son
Soprano solo

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Though He was a baby, I saw Thy Majesty.

And when I held him close, love came from Thy son unto me.
When my son became a child,
I felt Thy loving hand help me teach and guide.
At times I'd wonder...
when He'd be Thy chosen Lamb.

Then He'd say "Mother, I will become who I AM."
When my son became a man, I held Him close for one last time. Now I understand...
I see His pain. He will die. Yet He will live.

My son, my son, He is Thy son. He's the Savior.

(Spoken without music) Narrator: Then saith he to the disciple, Behold thy mother! And from that hour that disciple took her unto his own home. (John 19:27)
Reverently $\frac{\text{v}}{\text{v}} = 76$

Music by Cecily Card Smith

(Spoken with music) Narrator: After this, Jesus knowing that all things were now accomplished, that the scripture might be fulfilled, saith, I thirst.

When Jesus therefore had received the vinegar, he said, It is finished; and he bowed his head, and gave up the ghost. (John 19:28,30)

(Spoken without music) Narrator: Then took they the body of Jesus, and wound it in linen clothes with the spices,... Now in the place where he was crucified there was a garden; ... a new sephulcre... There laid they Jesus... (John 19:40-42)
(Spoken with music) Narrator: The first day of the week cometh Mary Magdalene early, when it was yet dark, unto the sepulchre, and seeth the stone taken away from the sepulchre.

But Mary stood without at the sepulchre weeping; and as she wept, she stooped down, and looked unto the sepulchre, And seeth two angels in white sitting, the one at the head, and other at the feet,
where the body of Jesus had lain, And they say unto her, Woman, why weepest thou? She saith unto them, because they have taken away my Lord, and I know not where they have laid him.

And when she had thus said, she turned herself back, and saw Jesus standing, and knew not that it was Jesus. Jesus saith unto her, Woman, why weepest thou?

instr. tacet till m. 33

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instr. tacet till m. 33

Mary Magdalene - 48
whom seekest thou? She supposing him to be the gardener, saith unto him, Sir, if thou have borne him hence, tell me where thou hast laid him, and I will take him away. (John 20:1,11-15)
I saw His face. I heard His cry. The nails tore hands and feet, a sword pierced His side. A crown of thorns, thrust on His brow, and then I saw Him crucified.
I long to feel His touch and hear His words of love to calm my...
fears. And, though my heart did break within, I know He died that I might live!

Aah His spirit

(Grand Pause)
soars beyond the clouds, and though He talked of life again I know not how. I'll watch for him beyond the grave, and then receive my King's embrace.

Aah

Mary Magdalene - 53
(Spoken without music) Narrator: ...Mary---(long pause)--- Mary. She turned herself, and saith unto him, ---(long pause)--- Rabboni; ...Jesus saith unto her, Touch me not; for I am not yet ascended to my Father: but go to my brethren, and say unto them, I ascend unto my Father, and your Father, and to my God, and your God. (John 20:16-17)

Prelude-Risen #1

(Spoken with music) Narrator: Mary Magdalene came and told the disciples that she had seen the Lord, and that he had spoken these things unto her.

Then... came Jesus and stood in the midst, and saith unto them, Peace be unto you.

And after eight days again his disciples were within, and Thomas with them: then came Jesus...

and stood in the midst, and said, Peace be unto you. Then saith he to Thomas,

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Reach hither thy finger, and behold my hands and reach hither thy hand, and thrust it into my side:

and be not faithless, but believing. And Thomas answered and said unto him, My Lord and my God. Jesus saith unto him: Thomas because thou hast seen me, thou hast believed:

blessed are they that have not seen, and yet have believed. (John 20:18-19, 26-29)
and speaking of the things pertaining to the kingdom of God: ...And when he had spoken these things,

while they beheld, he was taken up; a cloud received him out of their sight. And while they looked

steadfastly toward heaven as he went up, behold two men stood by them in white apparel;

Which also said, Ye men of Galilee, why stand ye gazing up into heaven? This same Jesus

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which is taken up from you into heaven, shall so come in like manner as ye have

seen him go into heaven.* HE WILL COME! HE WILL COME!

* (Acts 1:3,9-11)
Risen From the Tomb/He Will Come

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Joyfully = 88

Piano

S

A

T

B

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tomb! Al-le-lu-ia! He is ri-sen! On ben-ded knee, we pray for Him. He will come!

Faith-ful-ly, we long for Him. He will
Come! Ooh Christ, the chosen One for whom we live, for whom we'd die. We long to see.

He will come! On bended see.
Risen/He Will Come - 61

knee, we pray for Him. King of kings! Lord of

Risen from the tomb! He will come! He will

lords! Faithfully, we long for Him! He will

come! Risen from the tomb! He will
come! 
He will come!

Christ, the Chosen One
for whom we live, for whom we'd die we long to

One for whom we live, for whom we'd die we long to
is King of kings! Lord of lords!

see. King of kings! Lord of lords!

We'll look up and hear the trumpets
sound. "The King returns!"

Our hearts will burn and we’ll proclaim, "He has Risen/He Will Come - 64"