

Heaven Will Be Sweeter

SATB

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Brightly, shuffle-feel

Piano introduction in B-flat major, 4/4 time, shuffle feel. The right hand features a rhythmic pattern of eighth notes and chords, while the left hand provides a steady bass line with chords.

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Vocal entry for the first line of the chorus. The melody is in the soprano part, with accompaniment in the piano. The lyrics are: "Heav-en will be much sweet - er, sweet - er to me."

Piano accompaniment for the first line of the chorus, continuing the rhythmic pattern established in the introduction.

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Vocal entry for the second line of the chorus. The melody is in the soprano part, with accompaniment in the piano. The lyrics are: "I can't wait___ to step in - side those gates. What a hap - py ju - bi - lee!___"

Piano accompaniment for the second line of the chorus, concluding the piece with a final chord.

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I'll trade Earth's pain and heart-ache for a crown of vic - to -

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ry; Heav - en's gon - na be much sweet - er to me. (To

1, 2.

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me.)

1. Down here on Earth I've had just a-bout all the trou-ble I can
 2. Up there is wait-ing a crown for me that I'll lay at Je - sus

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