

# KEEP ME NEAR THE CROSS

for S.A.T.B. voices and keyboard

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Worshipful (♩ = ca. 80)

KEYBOARD

*mf*

The keyboard introduction consists of two staves in G major and 3/4 time. The right hand features a melodic line with eighth and quarter notes, while the left hand provides a simple harmonic accompaniment with chords and single notes.

5 UNISON VOICES

*mf*

Je - sus, keep me near the cross, where Your pre - cious blood flowed

The first system shows the unison voices and keyboard accompaniment for the first line of lyrics. The voices enter on a half note 'Je' and continue with the melody. The keyboard accompaniment supports the vocal line with chords and moving lines.

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down. There You ful - ly paid the cost;

The second system continues the unison voices and keyboard accompaniment. The vocal line has a brief rest before entering on 'There'. The keyboard accompaniment continues with a steady accompaniment.

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There for - giv - ing love a-bounds. Near the cross, O let me

The third system shows the unison voices and keyboard accompaniment for the final line of lyrics. The vocal line has a rest before entering on 'There'. The keyboard accompaniment concludes the piece.

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hide 'til the storms of life pass o'er.

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Guide me to that ho - ly place, safe with You for - ev - er -

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more.

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S. *mf*

A. Je - sus, keep me near the cross, where You made me pure with-

T. *mf*

B. cross, Je - sus, keep me