

THE GREATEST LOVE OF ALL

for S.S.A. voices and piano
with optional SoundTrax CD*

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Tenderly ($\text{♩} = \text{ca. } 66$)

SOPRANO I
SOPRANO II

ALTO

PIANO

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F F/E \flat Dm 7 Gm 7 Cm 7 F F/E \flat

mf

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B m G m C m 7 E \flat /F

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SOLO, any voice
mf

I be-lieve the chil-dren are our fu-ture; teach them well and let them lead the way.

*B_b**B_baug**B_b⁶**A_b/B_b**B_b⁷*

8

Show them all the beau-ty they pos-sess in-side.

Give them a

*E_b**E_baug**E_b⁶**E_baug*

10

sense

of pride,

to make it eas-i-er;

let the chil-dren's

*Dm⁷**Gm⁷**Cm⁷**F F/E_b*

12

laugh - ter re - mind us how__ we used to

Dm⁷ Gm Cm⁷ Eb/F

14 (end solo) ALL

be. Ev-'ry-bod-y's search - ing for a he - ro; peo - ple need some-one_ to look up__ to.

mf

Oo Bb

B_b B^{aug} B_b A_b/B_b B_b⁷

16

I nev-er found an - y-one who ful-filled my needs; _____ a lone - ly place

Ah _____ a lone - ly place

E_b E_b^{aug} E_b⁶ E_b^{aug}

18

to be, and so I learned to de-pend on
to be, and so I learned to de-pend on

Dm⁷ Gm⁷ Cm⁷ Eb/F

me. I de-cid - ed long - a - go - nev-er to walk in an - y-one's shad - ow.
me. I de-cid - ed long - a - go - nev-er to walk in an - y-one's shad - ow.

Eb Bb/D Cm⁷ Eb/F

If I fail, if I suc-ceed, at least I lived as I be - lieve. No
If I fail, if I suc-ceed, at least I lived as I be - lieve. No

Eb Bb/D Cm⁷ Eb/F

24

mat - ter what they take from me, they can't take a-way my dig - ni - ty.

Eb Bb/D Cm⁷ Eb/F

rit.

26

27 *a tempo*

Be-cause the great - est love of all is hap-pen-ing to

F/Eb Dm⁷ Gm⁷ Cm⁷

a tempo

29

me. I found the great - est

Dm⁷ Gm⁷ Cm⁷ F

I found the great - est

Cm/Eb Dm⁷ Gm⁷

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matter what they take from me, they can't take a-way my dignity.

matter what they take from me, they can't take a-way my dignity.

Eb Bb/D Cm⁷ Eb/F

rit.

Because the greatest love of all is happening to

Because the greatest love of all is happening to

F/Eb Dm⁷ Gm⁷ Cm⁷

F F/Eb

me. I found the greatest

me. I found the greatest

Dm⁷ Gm⁷ Cm⁷ F

Cm/Eb Dm⁷ Gm⁷

32 *f* **34**

love of all in-side of me. The great - est love of all

Cm⁷ E♭/F B♭ A♭/B♭ B♭ B♭/A♭ Gm⁷ Cm⁷

35

— is eas - y to a - chieve. Learn-ing — to

Fm⁷ B♭ B♭/A♭ Gm⁷ Cm⁷ Fm⁷ A♭/B♭ B♭/A♭

38

love your-self, it is the great - est love of all.

Gm⁷ Cm⁷ Fm⁷ A♭/B♭ E♭

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41 *mf*

I be-lieve the chil - dren are our fu - ture; teach them well and let them lead the way.

mf

I be-lieve the chil - dren are our fu - ture; teach them well and let them lead the way.

B♭ B♭aug B♭⁶ A♭/B♭

43

Show them all the beau - ty they pos-sess in-side. Give them a *3*

Show them all the beau - ty they pos-sess in-side. Give them a *3*

E♭ E♭aug E♭⁶ E♭aug

45

sense of pride to make it eas - i - er; let the chil-dren's

sense of pride to make it eas - i - er; let the chil-dren's

Dm⁷ Gm⁷ Cm⁷ F F/E♭

47

laugh - ter re - mind us how we used to
laugh - ter re - mind us how we used to
Dm⁷ Gm Cm⁷ Eb/F

49

me. I de-cid - ed long - a - go - nev-er to walk_ in an - y-one's shad - ow.
me. I de-cid - ed long - a - go - nev-er to walk_ in an - y-one's shad - ow.
Eb Bb/D Cm⁷ Eb/F

51

If I fail, if I suc-ceed,_ at least I lived_ as I be-lieve._ No
If I fail, if I suc-ceed,_ at least I lived_ as I be-lieve._ No
Eb Bb/D Cm⁷ Eb/F

53

mat - ter what they take from me, they can't take a - way my dig - ni - ty.

mat - ter what they take from me, they can't take a - way my dig - ni - ty.

E♭ B♭/D Cm⁷ E♭/F

rit.

55

56 *a tempo*

Be-cause the great - est love of all is hap-pen-ing to

Be-cause the great - est love of all is hap-pen-ing to

F/E♭ Dm⁷ Gm⁷ Cm⁷ F F/E♭

a tempo

58

me. I found the great - est

me. I found the great - est

Dm⁷ Gm⁷ Cm⁷ F Cm/E♭ Dm⁷ Gm⁷

61

63

love of all in-side of me. The great - est love of all

love of all in-side of me. The great - est love of all

Cm⁷ Eb/F B_b Ab/B_b B_b B_b/A_b Gm⁷ Cm⁷

64

— is eas - y to a - chieve. Learn-ing — to

— is eas - y to a - chieve. Learn-ing — to

Fm⁷ B_b B_b/A_b Gm⁷ Cm⁷ Fm⁷ A_b/B_b B_b/A_b

67

love your-self, — it is the great - est love of all. And if by chance that

love your-self, — it is the great - est love of all. And if by chance that

Gm⁷ Cm⁷ Fm⁷ Ab/B_b E_b F F/E_b

70 *mf*

spe - cial place, that you've been dream - ing
spe - cial place, that you've been dream - ing

Dm⁷ Gm⁷ Cm⁷ F F/E♭

of, leads you to a lone - ly place,
of, leads you to a lone - ly place,

Dm⁷ Gm⁷ Cm⁷ F F/E♭ Dm⁷ Gm⁷

rit. e decresc.

find your strength in love. *decresc.*
find your strength in love.

Cm⁷ E♭/F E♭ B♭/D Cm⁷ E♭/F B♭

rit. e decresc.

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