

O Love

For SATB Choir and Piano

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Espressivo ♩ = ca. 76-80

l.h. *p* 1 2 3

rubato 4 3 5 6 7 *rit.*

SA unis. *p*
O Love, O Love, O Love, that

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will not let . me go, O Love, I

12 13 14

S.
rest my wea - ry soul in Thee; I give thee back the

A.
rest my wea ry soul in Thee; I give thee back the

15 16 17

life I owe, That in thy o - cean depths its flow may

life I owe, That in thy o - cean depths its flow may

18 19 20

rich - er, ful - ler be.

rich - er, ful - ler be.

mp

O

21 22 23 24

mp

O Joy, that

Joy, O Joy, Joy, that

mp

O Joy, O Joy, that

mp

O Joy, that

mp

25 26 27

seeks me through the pain, O Joy, I

seeks me through the pain, O Joy, I

seeks me through the pain, O Joy, I

seeks me through the pain, O Joy, I

28 29 30

can - not close my heart to thee; I trace the rain - bow

can - not close my heart to thee; I trace the rain - bow

can - not close my heart to thee; I trace the rain - bow

can - not close my heart to thee; I trace the rain - bow

31 32 33

through the rain, and feel the pro - mise is not vain That

through the rain, and feel the pro - mise is not vain That

through the rain, and feel the pro - mise is not vain

through the rain, and feel the pro - mise is not vain

l.h.

34 35 36

morn shall tear - less be that

morn shall tear - less be that

That morn shall tear - less

That morn shall tear - less

37 38 39

morn shall tear - less be.

morn shall tear - less be.

be.

be.

mp

40 41 42

mf a tempo

Love, O Love, O Love, that

mf a tempo

Love, O Love, O Love, that

mf a tempo

Love, O Love, O Love, that

unis. mf a tempo

Love, O Love, O Love, that

f a tempo

43 44 45

unis. go, *subito p*

will not let me go, O Love, I

will not let me go, O Love, I

will not let me go, O Love, I

will not let me go, O Love, I

46 47 48

rit. *unis.* *a tempo*

rest my wea - ry soul in thee; I give thee back the

rit. *a tempo*

rest my wea - ry soul in thee; I give thee back the

rit. *a tempo*

rest my wea - ry soul in thee;

rit. *a tempo* *p* *l.h.*

49 50 51

life I owe, *mp* I

life I owe, *mp* I

I give thee back the life I owe,

I give thee back the life I owe,

l.h.

52 53 54

rit.

give thee back the life I owe and in thy o - cean

rit.

give thee back the life I owe and in thy o - cean

rit.

give thee back the life I owe and in thy o - cean

rit.

give thee back the life I owe and in thy o - cean

l.h. *l.h.*

rit. *f* 3

55 56 57

♩ = 60

♩ = 78

f depths its flow *p* that

f depths its flow *mp* shall rich - er, ful - ler be.

f depths its flow

f depths its flow

♩ = 60 *8va* ♩ = 78 *p*

58 59 60 61

morn shall tear - less be.

p O Love, O

p O Love, O

62 63 64 65

[illegible][illegible]



will not let me go. *p* *rit.*

O *p* *rit.*

O Love, that *p* *rit.*

O Love, that *p* *rit.*

72 73 74

rit.

rit.

rit.

will not let me go. *rit.*

will not let me go. *rit.*

rit. *pp*

75 76 77 78 *8vb*