

Simple Gifts

Shaker hymn

arranged for dulcimer by Dusty Thorburn

D A

8va

1 2 3 4

D A D

0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1

0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

0 0 1 2 0 2 3 4 4 3 2 1 0 1 1 1 1 2 1 2 0 0

Detailed description: This system contains the first four measures of the piece. The treble clef staff is in G major (one sharp) and 4/4 time. The dulcimer part consists of three staves: D (top), A (middle), and D (bottom). Fingerings are indicated by numbers 1-4. Chords D and A are marked above the staff.

D A G D

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5 6 7 8

D A D

0 0 0 0 0 0 1 1 0 0 0 0

0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 1 0 0

0 0 1 2 0 2 3 4 4 3 2 1 0 1 1 1 2 1 2 3 2 1 0

Detailed description: This system contains measures 5 through 8. The treble clef staff continues the melody. The dulcimer part continues with the same three-staff format. Chords D, A, G, and D are marked above the staff.

A

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9 10 11 12

D A D

0 0 0 0 0 0 1 1 0 0 0 0

3 3 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

4 2 1 2 3 2 1 0 0 1 2 2 3 4 3 2 1 1 2 1 0

Detailed description: This system contains measures 9 through 12. The treble clef staff features a repeat sign at the beginning of measure 9. The dulcimer part continues with the same three-staff format. Chord A is marked above the staff.

D A G D

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13 14 15 16

D A D

0 0 0 0 1 1 0 0 0 0

0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0

0 0 1 2 2 3 4 4 3 2 1 0 1 1 1 2 1 2 3 2 1 0

Detailed description: This system contains the final four measures (13-16) of the piece. The treble clef staff concludes the melody. The dulcimer part continues with the same three-staff format. Chords D, A, G, and D are marked above the staff.