

for the Hansens
He Leadeth Me
(SSAA, piano)

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Smoothly, with rubato ♩ = 84-88

The musical score is arranged in three systems, each with a vocal line (Soprano) and a piano accompaniment. The key signature is one sharp (F#) and the time signature is 4/4. The tempo is marked 'Smoothly, with rubato' with a quarter note equal to 84-88 beats per minute. The first system (measures 1-5) features a vocal line with a melodic line and three 'ooo' syllables. The piano accompaniment includes a right-hand part with a melodic line and a left-hand part with a bass line. The second system (measures 6-9) includes lyrics: 'He lead - eth me, O'. The vocal line has a fermata over the first measure and a 'rit.' marking. The piano accompaniment has a 'rit.' marking and a 'p' dynamic. The third system (measures 10-13) includes lyrics: 'bless - ed thought! O words with heav - en - ly com - fort fraught! What -'. The piano accompaniment has a 'p' dynamic. The score includes various musical notations such as dynamics (mp, p), articulation (accents), and performance instructions (rit., sim., A tempo).

13 *poco rit.* *mf* *A tempo*

S. *e'er I do, wher - e'er I be, Still 'tis God's hand that lead - eth*

poco rit. *A tempo*

17 *mp (opt. duet)*

S. *me. He lead - eth me, he lead - eth me, By his own hand he lead - eth me; His*

A. *me. He lead - eth me, he lead - eth me, By his own hand he lead - eth me; His*

mp

22 *poco rit.* *A tempo*

S. *faith - ful fol - lower I would be For by his hand he lead - eth me. ooo*

A. *faith - ful fol - lower I would be For by his hand he lead - eth me. ooo*

mf *(tutti) mp*

poco rit. *A tempo*

mf *mp*

27

S. *mf*

A.

ooo

mf

32

S. *rit.* *p* **A little more motion**

A. *mf* (melody)

rit. **A little more motion**

mp

Some times 'mid scenes of deep - est gloom, Some times where E-den's

37

S. 

bow - ers bloom, By wa - ters still, o'er troub - led sea, Still 'tis his hand that lead - eth

A. 



42

S. 

mf
(melody)

me. He lead - eth me, he lead - eth_ me, By his own hand he_ lead - eth me; His

A. 



mf

47

S. *rit.* *mp* *Freely* *mf*
 faith - ful fol - lower I would be, For by his hand he_ lead - eth_ me.

A.

52 *rit.* *mp* *Freely* *mf*
 Lord, I would clasp my hand in Thine, And nev - er mur mur nor re-pine; Con

A.

rit. *Freely* *p*

57 *poco accel.* *rit.* *f*

S. tent, what - ev - er lot I see, Since God lead - eth me. He

A.

poco accel. *rit.*

mp

61 **Tempo I**

S. lead - eth me, he lead - eth me, By his own hand he lead - eth me; His

A.

Tempo I

f

65 **poco rit.**

S. faith - ful fol - lower I would be, For by his hand he_ lead - eth_

A.

69 **A tempo** **mp** **molto rit.**

S. me. He_ lead - eth_ me._____

A.

A tempo **mf** **mp** **p** **molto rit.**