

# Blest are the sons of peace

Anon.

"Lonsdale", by Arcangelo Corelli, adapted anon.,  
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[♩=160]

Soprano [Air] Blest are the sons of peace! They sing a joy - ful song; Their

Alto Blest are the sons of peace! They sing a joy - ful song; Their

Tenor 8 Blest are the sons of peace! They sing a joy - ful song; Their

Bass Blest are the sons of peace! They sing a joy - ful song; Their

Keyboard

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S voi - ces raise to sing his praise The Sa - viour pro - mised long;

A voi - ces raise to sing his praise The Sa - viour pro - mised long;

T 8 voi - ces raise to sing his praise The Sa - viour pro - mised long;

B voi - ces raise to sing his praise The Sa - viour pro - mised long;

Kbd.

2. Our glad Hosanna-praise  
With sacred honour pay:  
And loud Hosannas shall proclaim  
The triumphs of this day.  
Go, spread the news abroad:  
"The great Messiah's born."  
And, angels, sing a Saviour's birth,  
And every voice a song.

3. "Rejoice, mankind, on earth"  
We'll sing with one accord:  
With ten-stringed instruments we'll sing:  
"All people praise the Lord.  
Praise him upon the throne,  
Where zeal and friendship meet,  
The King of kings, the Lord of lords:  
Sing Hallelujah sweet."

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8

S Hark, hark! the voice from heaven, "In Beth - lem you may see, A

A Hark, hark! the voice from heaven, "In Beth - lem you may see, A

T Hark, hark! the voice from heaven, "In Beth - lem you may see, A

B Hark, hark! the voice from heaven, "In Beth - lem you may

Kbd.

13

S child wrapped up in swad - dling bands, With peace and u - ni - ty."

A child wrapped up in swad - dling bands, With peace and u - ni - ty."

T child wrapped up in swad - dling bands, With peace and u - ni - ty."

B see, in swad - dling bands, With peace and u - ni - ty.

Kbd.

"Blest are the sons of peace" is the first line of Isaac Watts' paraphrase of Ps. 133, but the remainder bears no relation to Watts' text.

Circled numbers correspond with lines of text; underlined text is to be repeated by bass in bars 13-14.