

# O Wonder, Love and Joy!

Loren Erickson

♩ = 72

*mp*

Choir

*mp*

Violin I

*mp*

Violin II

*mp*

Viola

*mp*

Violoncello

*mp*

Double Bass

*mp*

This musical score is for the hymn 'O Wonder, Love and Joy!' by Loren Erickson. It is written for a choir and a string quartet. The tempo is marked as ♩ = 72. The key signature has one flat (B-flat) and the time signature is 4/4. The score consists of six staves. The Choir part is at the top, with a vocal line and a bass line. The string quartet parts are below: Violin I, Violin II, Viola, Violoncello, and Double Bass. The music is in common time (4/4) and features a mix of whole, half, and quarter notes, with some eighth notes in the violin parts. The dynamic marking *mp* (mezzo-piano) is used throughout. The lyrics 'O' and 'O' are written below the first and fifth measures of the choir part, respectively.

6

Ch. won - der, be - fore night and day, that love un - locked the pri - son's gate, a Sa - vior named to

Vln I

Vln II

Vla

Vc.

D. B.

11

Ch. show the way, and seal in joy our hum - ble faith. O won - der, love and

Vln I

Vln II

Vla

Vc.

D. B.

*mf*

*mf*

*mf*

*mf*

*mf*

*mf*

16

Ch. joy! O won - der, love and joy!

Vln I

Vln II

Vla

Vc.

D. B.

*mp*

*mp*

*mp*

*mp*

*mp*

22

Ch. won - der, that in ti - ny babe, the gift of love so sure - ly laid, that heav'n and earth their

Vln I

Vln II

Vla

Vc.

D. B.

## O Wonder, Love and Joy!

*f*

27

Ch. voi - ces raise, in sweet re - frains of joy ex - claim. O won - der, love, and

Vln I

Vln II

Vla

Vc.

D. B.

*f*

*f*

*f*

*f*

*f*

*f*

32

Ch. joy! O won - der, love and joy! O

Vln I

Vln II

Vla

Vc.

D. B.

*rit.....mp*

*mp*

*mp*

*mp*

*mp*

*mp*

*mp*

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5

accel.

38  $\text{♩} = 64$

Ch. won - der, — with - in gar - den gate, the off - 'ring of love so tru - ly made, that man may live and

Vln I

Vln II

Vla

Vc.

D. B.

43  $\text{♩} = 78$

Ch. glo - ry take, the plan of joy in full - ness claimed! O won - der, love, and

Vln I

Vln II

Vla

Vc.

D. B.

*ff*

*ff*

48 **rit.**.....

Ch. joy! O won - der, love and joy!\_\_\_\_\_

Vln I

Vln II

Vla

Vc.

D. B.