

JOY TO THE WORLD

Words and Music by
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Moderate Gospel Rock

The musical score is written for guitar and piano. The guitar part is in the key of D major (two sharps) and 4/4 time. The piano accompaniment is in the same key and time. The score is divided into four systems, each with a guitar staff and a piano staff. The guitar staff includes chord diagrams for various chords, and the piano staff includes a dynamic marking of *mf* (mezzo-forte). The lyrics are written below the guitar staff, and the piano accompaniment is written below the piano staff.


System 1: Chords: D, C, G, Bb, F, C, Db, D. Lyrics: Je - re - mi - ah was a bull - frog, Was a good friend of

System 2: Chords: C, Db, D, N.C. Lyrics: If I were the king of the world, Tell you what I'd do. know I love la - dies, Love to have my fun.

System 3: Chords: C, Db, D, D7/C, G7/B, Bb. Lyrics: mine. Nev - er un - der - stood a sin - gle word he said, — But I Throw a - way the cars and the bars and the wars, And I'm a high night fly - er and a rain - bow ri - der, A


System 4: Chords: D, Em7/A, D, G7, Em7/A. Lyrics: helped him a - drink - in' his wine. — Yes he al - ways had some might - y fine make sweet love to you. — Yes I'd make sweet love to straight shoot - in' son - of - a - gun. — Yes a straight shoot - in' son of a

D




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
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
A




D




D7/C




All ——— the boys and girls — now. Joy to the fish - es in the




G7/B




Bb




D



A7




D




To Coda 1


C




Db



D



deep blue sea, — Joy to — you and me. —



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A D D7

G7 Bb D C Db D

You

CODA

E A

Joy _____ to _____ the world.

E A E

All _____ the boys and girls. _____ Joy _____ to _____

A E A

— the world, Joy — to you and me.

D A D A

Joy to the world. All — the boys and

D D7/C G7/B Bb

girls. Joy to the fish - es in the deep blue sea, —

D A D

Joy to you and me. — Joy to you and me.

Optional Ending

Repeat and Fade