

Simple Gifts

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Moderato

Piano

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The second system of the piano arrangement for 'Simple Gifts'. It consists of two staves, treble and bass, in 4/4 time. The melody in the treble staff continues with eighth and sixteenth notes, while the bass staff provides a simple harmonic accompaniment with quarter and eighth notes. A slur covers the entire system.

The third system of the piano arrangement. It begins with a circled '5' and a '1' above the first measure of the treble staff. The treble staff features a series of chords and moving lines, while the bass staff continues with a steady accompaniment. The dynamic changes from *f* (forte) to *mf* (mezzo-forte) in the final measure. A slur covers the entire system.

The fourth and final system of the piano arrangement. The treble staff concludes the melody with a series of eighth notes. The bass staff continues with a simple accompaniment. The tempo marking *rit.* (ritardando) appears in the final measure. A slur covers the entire system.

