

Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee

Words by Henry van Dyke (1852-1933)

Music by Ludwig van Beethoven (1770-1827)

INTRO

D A D/F# G

VERSE

5 D A D/F# A D D/A A

Joy - ful, joy - ful, we a - dore thee, God of glo - ry, Lord of love;
 All thy works with joy sur-round thee, earth and heav'n re - flect thy rays,
 Thou art giv - ing and for - giv - ing, ev - er bless - ing ev - er blest,
 Mor - tals join the hap - py cho - rus which the morn - ing stars be - gan;

9 D G D/A A7 D/A A7 D

hearts un - fold like flowers be - fore thee, open - ing to the sun a - bove.
 stars and an - gels sing a - round thee, cen - ter of un - bro - ken praise.
 Well-spring of the joy of liv - ing, o - cean depth of hap - py rest!
 Fa - ther love is reign - ing o'er us, Broth - er love binds man to man.

13 A D/A A D/A A F# Bm E A

Melt the clouds of sin and sad - ness, drive the dark of doubt a - way;
 Field and for - est, vale and moun - tain, flow - ery mead - ow, flash - ing sea,
 Thou our Fa - ther, Christ our Broth - er, all who live in love are thine;
 Ev - er sing - ing, march we on - ward, vic - tors in the midst of strife,

17 D G D A7 D/A A7

giv - er of im - mor - tal glad - ness, fill us with the light of
 chant - ing bird and flow - ing foun - tain, call us to re - joice in
 teach us how to love each o - ther, lift us to the joy di -
 joy - ful mu - sic leads us sun - ward in the tri - umph song of

1.2.3.

21 D A D/F# G

day.
thee.
vine.

Back to Verse (bar 5)

4.

25 D A D/F# G D

life.