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# **Peace for Evermore**

**for Tenor and Piano**

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**Duration: 5 mins 10 secs**

# Peace for Evermore

**Text, from Hidden Words, Part 1, numbers 8 & 33.**

**O SON OF SPIRIT!**

There is no peace for thee save by renouncing thyself and turning unto Me;  
for it behoveth thee to glory in My name, not in thine own;  
to put thy trust in Me and not in thyself, since I desire to be loved alone  
and above all that is.

**O SON OF SPIRIT!**

With the joyful tidings of light I hail thee: rejoice! To the court of holiness I  
summon thee; abide therein that thou mayest live in peace for evermore.

***Bahá'u'lláh***

# Peace for Evermore

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Tranquillo et Sostenuto, ♩ = 80

5

Tenor Solo

Piano

*p* *i.v.* *i.v.* *sim.*

*Ped. sempre* \*

1. Hidden Words No. 8

Ten. Solo

*mf*

8

There is no peace for thee save by re nounc - ing thy-self and

Pno.

*mf*

10

*Ped.* \* *Ped. sempre*

Ten. Solo

8

tur - ning un-to me; for it be-

Pno.

*f* *mf*

15

*P*

20

Ten. Solo *f*  
 ho - veth thee to glo - ry in My name,

Pno. *p* *8va* *p*

\* Ped.

25

Ten. Solo *p* *pp*  
 not in thine own; to put thy trust in Me

Pno. *mf* *pp* *8va*

\* Ped. \*

30

Ten. Solo  
 and not in thy - self, since I de - sire to be loved a-lone

Pno. *Ped.*

\* \*

35

Ten. Solo *p* *f* *poco rit.* **Meno mosso, ♩ = 72**  
 and a-bove all that is.

Pno. *p* *mf* *f*

\* Ped. \*

**A tempo**

2. Hidden Words No. 33

Ten. Solo *più f*  
 With the joy \_\_\_\_\_ ful ti - dings of light \_\_\_\_\_ I \_\_\_\_\_ hail \_\_\_\_\_

Pno. *più f* *p* *più f* *mp* *più f*  
*8va* *8va*  
 Ped. \* Ped. \* Ped.

40

Ten. Solo *ff*  
 thee: re-joice! \_\_\_\_\_ re-joice! \_\_\_\_\_

Pno. *mf* *ff*  
*8va*  
 Ped. \*

**poco rit. . Meno mosso,** ♩ = 72

45

Ten. Solo *mf*  
 \_\_\_\_\_ To the court \_\_\_\_\_ of ho - li -

Pno. *Allargando* I.v.

**A Tempo,** ♩ = 72

50

Ten. Solo  
 8  
 ness | — sum-mon thee; a - bide — there- in that thou may - est

Pno.  
*mf*

\* Ped.

55

Ten. Solo  
 8  
 live in peace, peace — for e - ver-more, — for

Pno.  
*p* *pp* *p*

\* Ped.

60

Ten. Solo  
 8  
 e - - ver - more. —

Pno.  
*pp*

\* Ped.

Meno mosso, ♩ = 60

Ten. Solo  
 8

Pno.  
*p* *ppp*

\* Ped.

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