

# My Heavenly Father Loves Me

Vocal Solo

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Arranged by Marianne Axman

$\text{♩} = 80$  Slow and Thoughtful

When - ev - er I hear the song of a bird Or

The first system of the score is in 6/8 time. It features a vocal line and a piano accompaniment. The vocal line begins with a whole rest for the first six measures, followed by the lyrics 'When - ev - er I hear the song of a bird Or'. The piano accompaniment consists of a right hand with a steady eighth-note pattern and a left hand with chords and moving lines.

9  
look at the blue, blue sky, When - ev - er I feel the rain on my face Or the wind as it rush - es by, When -

The second system starts at measure 9. The vocal line continues with 'look at the blue, blue sky, When - ev - er I feel the rain on my face Or the wind as it rush - es by, When -'. The piano accompaniment continues with similar rhythmic patterns.

15  
ev - er I touch a vel - vet rose Or walk by our li - lac tree, I'm glad that I live in this beau - ti - ful world Heav'n - ly

The third system starts at measure 15. The vocal line continues with 'ev - er I touch a vel - vet rose Or walk by our li - lac tree, I'm glad that I live in this beau - ti - ful world Heav'n - ly'. The piano accompaniment continues with similar rhythmic patterns.

21  
Father cre - a - ed for me.

The fourth system starts at measure 21. The vocal line continues with 'Father cre - a - ed for me.'. The piano accompaniment continues with similar rhythmic patterns.

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He gave me my eyes that I might see The color of butterfly wings. He gave me my ears that

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I might hear The magical sound of things. He gave me my life, my

Slowing

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mind, my heart: I thank him reverently For all his creations, of

45

which I'm a part. Yes, I know Heavenly Father loves me.