

# Mother's Evening Prayer

Music by Kevin Cox, based on  
"Benediction" by Edward J. Hopkins

Poem by Mary Baker Eddy

Low Voice

Adagio, expressively

Voice

Adagio

*mf*

Adagio

*mp*

5

V.

5

Pno.

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O, Gentle Presence

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9

V. *mp*

O gen - tle pre - sence, peace and joy and pow'r, O Life di-  
O make me glad for e - v'ry scal-ding tear, For hope de-

Pno. *mp*

V. *p*

vine that \_\_\_\_\_ owns each wai-ting hour. Thou, Love that guards the  
ferred, in \_\_\_\_\_ gra - ti - tude dis - dain! Wait, and love more for

Pno. *p*

V.

nest ling's fal-t'ring flight, Keep Thou my child on up-wardwing to-  
e - v'ry hate, and fear No ill, since God is good, and loss is

Pno.