

SIMPLE GIFTS

For Solo Voice, C Instrument and Keyboard

TRADITIONAL SHAKER TUNE
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C Instrument

Piano

Musical notation for the first system, measures 1-3. The C Instrument part is in treble clef with a key signature of one flat and a common time signature. The Piano part consists of two staves, treble and bass clef, with a key signature of one flat and a common time signature. The piano accompaniment features a steady bass line and chords in the right hand.

Musical notation for the second system, measures 4-7. The C Instrument part continues with a melodic line. The Piano part provides harmonic support with chords and a consistent bass line.

Musical notation for the third system, measures 8-11. The C Instrument part concludes with a final melodic phrase. The Piano part ends with sustained chords in the right hand and a steady bass line.

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Voice

'Tis a gift to be sim-ple, 'tis a gift just to be so a - live here now see-ing

C Inst

Pno

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all there is to see. And hear - ing the mu - sic of this glo - ri - ous earth, as_ each new mo - ment_

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springs to birth. 'Tis a gift to be grate-ful for the gifts we re-ceive, for the

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faith we have and all that we be-lieve, for the pure un-der-stand-ing of His ra - di - ant light that il -