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Christmas Gift
SSAAA, piano and
two violins

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Heritage in Song 2012
Christmas Gift

The story of Victoria and Abel's Grandmother

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PIANO

♩ = 74

mp *f* *p*

Violin I

mf *mp* *p*

Violin II

PNO.

p *p* *p*

Vln. I

p *mp*

Vln. II

10

A *mp* **B**

S. 1

The ev-'ning brings un-set-tled calm_ From the safe-ty here be- low_ a Christ-mas gift for her I

S. 2

The ev-'ning brings un-set-tled calm_ From the safe-ty here be- low_ a Christ-mas gift for her I

A1.

The ev-'ning brings un-set-tled calm_ From the safe-ty here be- low_ a Christ-mas gift for her I

A2.

The ev-'ning brings un-set-tled calm_ From the safe-ty here be- low_ a Christ-mas gift for her I

PNO.

mf *ppp*

Leo.

A **B**

Vln. I

mp *p*

Vln. II

mp *p*

16 *mf*

S. 1 sew, strips of rib-bon, shred-ed coats, sewn to - ge-ther with love and hope.

S. 2 sew, strips of rib-bon, shred-ed coats, sewn to - ge-ther with love and hope.

A.1 *mf* sew, scraps of blan kets— hopes and dreams, sewn to - ge-ther with love and hope.

A.2 *mf* sew, scraps of blan kets— hopes and dreams, sewn to - ge-ther with love and hope.

PNO. *f ff*

Vln. I *mf f*

Vln. II *mf f*

21 **C** *f*

S. 1 sewn to - ge-ther with love and hope. Beads for eyes and but-tons for ears, A gift to take a-way her fears.

S. 2 sewn to - ge-ther with love and hope. Beads for eyes and but-tons for ears, A gift to take a-way her fears.

A.1 *f* sewn to - ge-ther with love and hope. Beads for eyes and but-tons for ears, gift to take a-way her fears.

A.2 *f* sewn to - ge-ther with love and hope. Beads for eyes and but-tons for ears, gift to take a-way her fears.

PNO. *ff*

Vln. I *f*

Vln. II *f*

D

S. 1 *mf*
strips of rib-bon, shred - ed coats, sewn to - ge-ther with love and hope.

S. 2 *mf*
strips of rib-bon, shred - ed coats, sewn to - ge-ther with love and hope.

A.1 *mf*
scraps of blan kets — hopes and dreams, sewn to - ge-ther with love and hope.

A.2 *mf*
scraps of blan kets — hopes and dreams, sewn to - ge-ther with love and hope.

PNO. *f* < *f*
3 *3*

Vln. I *p* **D**

Vln. II *p*

E

S. 1 *p* *ff* *ff*
sewnto - ge-ther with love and hope. In this hell_ we will en-dure Christ-mas makes our spi - rits soar, Christ-mas is the time for joy,

S. 2 *p* *ff* *ff*
sewnto - ge-ther with love and hope. In this hell_ we will en-dure Christ-mas makes our spi - rits soar, Christ-mas is the time for joy,

A.1 *p* *ff* *ff*
sewnto - ge-ther with love and hope. In this hell_ we will en-dure Christ-mas makes our spi - rits soar, Christ-mas is the time for joy,

A.2 *p* *ff* *ff*
sewnto - ge-ther with love and hope. In this hell_ we will en-dure Christ-mas makes our spi - rits soar, Christ-mas is the time for joy,

A.3 *p* *f*
sewnto - ge-ther with love and hope. Ah Ah Ah Ah.

PNO. *p* *f* *f*
3 *3*

Vln. I *p* **E**

Vln. II *p*

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S. 1
Christ-mas is the time for joy, In this hell_ we will sur-vive and ce-le brate_ to be a-live Christ-mas is our time for joy.

S. 2
Christ-mas is the time for joy, In this hell_ we will sur-vive and ce-le brate_ to be a-live Christ-mas is our time for joy.

A1.
Christ-mas is the time for joy, In this hell_ we will sur-vive and ce-le brate_ to be a-live Christ-mas is our time for joy.

A2.
Christ-mas is the time for joy, In this hell_ we will sur-vive and ce-le brate_ to be a-live Christ-mas is our time for joy.

A3.
Ah Ah Ah Ah

PNO.
Ped. Ped.

Vln. I
mf

Vln. II
mf

40

S. 1
Christ-mas is our time for joy. Ah A gift to sooth a - way the fears

S. 2
Christ-mas is our time for joy. Beads for eyes and but-tons for ears, A gift to sooth a - way the fears

A1.
Christ-mas is our time for joy. Beads for eyes and but-tons for ears, gift to sooth a - way the fears

A2.
Christ-mas is our time for joy. Beads for eyes and but-tons for ears, gift to sooth a - way the fears

A3.
Ah gift to sooth a - way the fears

PNO.
mf ff mf

Vln. I
f mf

Vln. II
f mf p

G
44 *mp* *rit.*

S. 1
Beads for eyes and but - tons for ears, A grim re - mind - er of those

S. 2
Beads for eyes and but - tons for ears, A grim re - mind - er of those

A1.
Beads for eyes and but - tons for ears, grim re - mind - er of those

A2.
Beads for eyes and but - tons for ears, grim re - mind - er of those

A3.
Beads for eyes and but - tons for ears, grim re - mind - er of those *mp*

PNO.
pp *mf*

G

Vln. I
pp *mf* *rit.*

Vln. II
pp

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S. 1
years.

S. 2
years.

A1.
years.

A2.
years.

A3.
years.

PNO.
mf *mp* *p* *pp*

H A tempo ♩ = 74

Vln. I
mf *mp* *pp*

Vln. II
mf *mp* *pp*