

# Love, Peace and Understanding (on Christmas Day)

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Voice

Piano

*p*

5

Solo - choirboy/choirgirl?! *mp*

We need

9

love, peace and un - der - stan - ding in this world to -

Pno.

9

12

day, We need love, peace and un - der - stand - ing

Pno.

15

on Christ - mas Day.

With a slight gospel feel?

*mp*

Pno.

19

Pno.

24 *mf* Unison choir (small, gradually build?)

Musical score for measures 24-27. The vocal line (treble clef) begins with a rest, followed by a 7-measure rest, then a melodic line starting on G4. The piano accompaniment (Pno., grand staff) features a steady bass line of quarter notes and chords in the right hand. The lyrics are: "We need love, peace and un - der - stan - ding - in this world to -"

28  
day, We need love, peace and un - der - stan - ding - on Christ - mas

Musical score for measures 28-31. The vocal line continues from measure 27, ending with a 7-measure rest. The piano accompaniment continues with the same rhythmic pattern. The lyrics are: "day, We need love, peace and un - der - stan - ding - on Christ - mas"

32 *mp*  
Day. (v.1) All the chil - dren are ex - ci - ted,  
(v.2) And the a - dults are all ho - ping,

Musical score for measures 32-35. The vocal line starts with a 7-measure rest, then a melodic line starting on G4. The piano accompaniment (Pno., grand staff) features a steady bass line and chords in the right hand. The lyrics are: "Day. (v.1) All the chil - dren are ex - ci - ted, (v.2) And the a - dults are all ho - ping,"

35

Ho - ping San - ta will bring pre - sents ga - lore, But the on - ly gift they  
 35 That the lea - ders will try to find a way, Un - der - stan - ding one a -

Pno.

38 *mf*

all want is - peace - and an end to war, We need  
 38 no - ther We want peace on Christ - mas Day.

Pno.

41

love, peace and un - der - stan - ding - in this world to - day, We need

41 *mf*

Pno.

45 *f*

love, peace and un - der - stan - ding - on Christ - mas Day. We need

Pno.

49

love, peace and un - der - stan - ding - in this world to -

Pno. *f*

52

day, We need love, peace and un - ser - stan - ding -

Pno.

55

on Christ - mas Day.

Pno.

*ff*

59

Pno.

63

*fff*

Ring bells for peace!

Pno.

*fff*

67

Ring bells for peace! Can you hear Christ - mas bells

Pno.

71

ring - ing for peace? love, peace and

*ff*

Pno.

74

un - der - stan - ding - in this world to - day, We need

Pno.

77

love, peace and un - der - stan - ding - on Christ - mas

Pno.

Detailed description: This system contains measures 77, 78, and 79. The vocal line (top staff) features a melody with dotted rhythms and slurs. The piano accompaniment (bottom two staves) consists of a steady eighth-note bass line and chords in the right hand.

80

Day. We need love, peace and un - der - stan - ding -

Pno.

Detailed description: This system contains measures 80, 81, and 82. The vocal line continues the melody from the previous system. The piano accompaniment maintains the same rhythmic pattern.

83

in this world to - day, We need love, peace and

Pno.

Detailed description: This system contains measures 83, 84, and 85. The vocal line concludes the phrase. The piano accompaniment continues with the established accompaniment.

86

un - der - stan - ding - on Christ - mas Day.

Pno.

*p*

Choirboy/girl returns!

90

On Christ - mas Day.

Pno.

*p*