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Deep Peace
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for Hospice patients and caregivers

Traditional

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INTRO Gently (♩ = ca. 46)

F C/F Gm/F F C F C/F Gm/F F C

Keyboard *mp*

A **Soprano/Alto**

Deep peace _____ of the run - ning wave to you, _____

F Am

deep peace _____ of the flow - ing air to you. _____

Dm Bb F C

Tenor/Bass

Deep peace _____ of the qui - et earth to you, _____

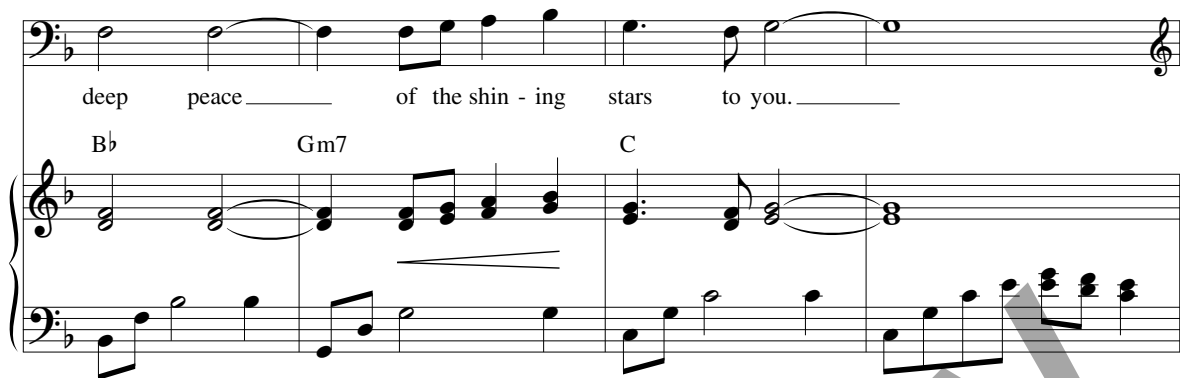
Gm Dm

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Note: A Guitar/Vocal edition is available on the web (edition 20744-Z2). It is in a lower key (D) and is intended for a more intimate and personal setting. To play the Guitar/Vocal with the Keyboard/Vocal use a capo at the 3rd fret and play the written chords on the Guitar/Vocal version. Please visit ocp.org for more information.

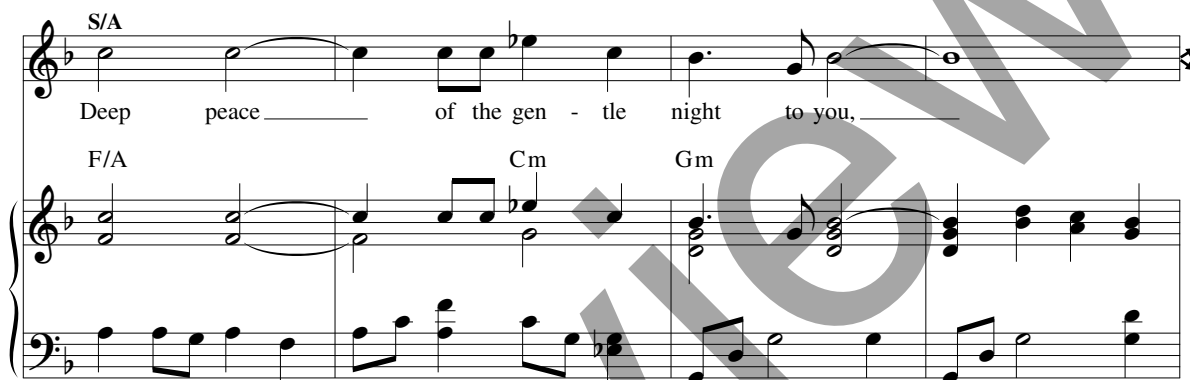
deep peace _____ of the shin - ing stars to you. _____

B \flat Gm7 C



S/A
Deep peace _____ of the gen - tle night to you, _____

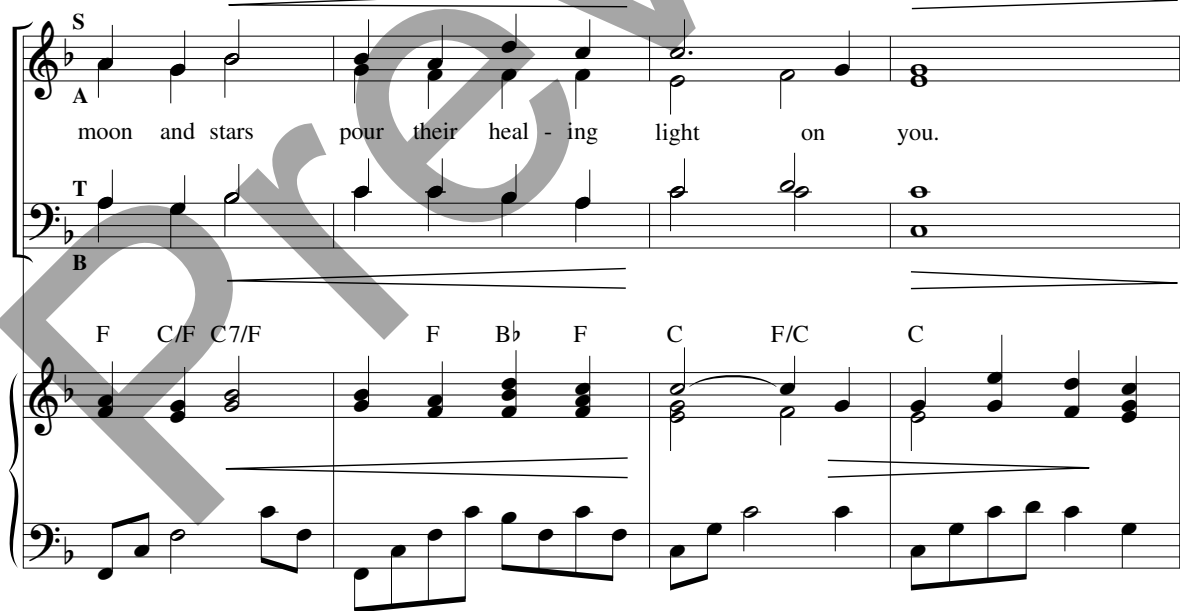
F/A Cm Gm



S
A
moon and stars pour their heal - ing light on you.

T
B

F C/F C7/F F B \flat F C F/C C



B Deep peace _____ of the run - ning wave to you, _____

Deep peace, deep peace,
Deep peace _____ of the run - ning wave to you, _____

Deep peace, deep peace,
F Am

deep peace _____

deep peace of the flow - ing air to you. _____

deep peace, peace to you. _____

Dm Bb F C

Deep peace _____

p

Deep peace of the qui - et earth to you, _____

p

Gm Dm

This system contains the first two staves of music. The top staff is a vocal line in G major with lyrics: "Deep peace _____". The bottom staff is a piano accompaniment in G major with lyrics: "Deep peace of the qui - et earth to you, _____". The piano part includes a treble clef staff with chords and a bass clef staff with a melodic line. Chords Gm and Dm are indicated above the piano part.

deep peace _____

deep peace of the shin - ing stars to you. _____

Bb Gm7 C

This system contains the second two staves of music. The top staff is a vocal line in G major with lyrics: "deep peace _____". The bottom staff is a piano accompaniment in G major with lyrics: "deep peace of the shin - ing stars to you. _____". The piano part includes a treble clef staff with chords and a bass clef staff with a melodic line. Chords Bb, Gm7, and C are indicated above the piano part.

mp

Deep peace of the gen - tle night to you,

mp
F/A Cm Gm

rubato *a tempo*

moon and stars pour their heal - ing light on you.

rubato *a tempo*

F C/F C7/F F Bb F C Csus4 C

rubato

Deep peace to you, (deep) peace to you.

rubato

F Bb C F Dm C

The image shows a musical score for the piece "Deep Peace". It consists of four staves. The top two staves are for a SATB choir, with the lyrics "Deep peace to you." written below the vocal lines. The bottom two staves are for piano accompaniment. The score includes a key signature of one flat (B-flat major or D minor) and a common time signature. The lyrics are: "Deep peace to you." The piano part features a simple, flowing melody in the right hand and a more active bass line in the left hand. Chord symbols F, Bb, Gm7, and F are indicated above the piano part. The word "rit." (ritardando) is placed above the first and third measures of the piano part. A large, semi-transparent watermark reading "Preview" is overlaid diagonally across the score.

Composer Notes

This piece was first sung at an inter-faith memorial service during which families, friends, and caregivers honored the lives of loved ones who had been in hospice care. “Deep Peace” is a comforting and uplifting text that transcends religious identity and honors all spiritual traditions. Celtic prayers and blessings often address the presence of the divine in nature, and this six-fold blessing is no exception. The melody is intentionally simple. Originally set for guitar and voice, I later arranged it in a higher key for SATB choir with piano accompaniment. “Deep Peace” is appropriate for use at funerals, weddings, ordinations, and religious professions. It also serves as a lovely blessing to conclude a choral concert.

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Assembly Edition

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