How Can I Keep From Singing

Quaker Hymn
Arranged by Paul Gibson

INTRO: \( \text{d} = c. 96 \)

Trumpets in C

*(Organ)*

Trombones

VERSE 1: (SATB, Organ, & Assembly)

(Melody)

1. My life flows on in ness, above earth’s lament-

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*Organ plays brass if brass not available. Parts for brass quartet are available from the publisher, edition 7022.

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1. ta - tion. I hear the real though

1. far-off hymn that hailed a new crea - tion.

REFRAIN: (SATB, Organ, & Assembly)

No storm can shake my defense, while to that Rock I'm

(cling-ing.)

cling - ing. Since Love is Lord of heaven and earth,

(cling - ing.)
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VERSE 2: (Women, Organ, & Trumpets)

Trumpees I & II

Soprano Descant

Alto (Melody)

2. Through all the tumult and the strife, I

2. hear the music ringing, it sounds and echoes

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2. in my soul; how can I keep from sing-ing?

REFRAIN: (Choir and Assembly in unison; Cymbals, etc.)

Tpts. I & II

S/A

No storm can shake my in-most calm, while to that Rock I'm

T/B
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clinging. Since love is Lord of heaven and earth,

how can I keep from singing?
VERSE 3: (Men, Organ, & Trombones)
Trombones I & II

3. What though the tempest 'round me roar, I

3. Hear the truth it liveth: What though the darkness
3. 'round me close, so's in the light it giv-eth.

REFRAIN:

No storm can smar - in - most calm, while
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Love is Lord of every earth, how can I
VERSE 4: (SATB a capella)

4. When tyrants tremble, sick with fear, and

4. hear their death knells ringing; When friends rejoice both
4. far and near, how can I keep from singing?

REFRAIN: (All, with Organ)

S. (Assembly)

(Organ) No storm can shake my in-most calm, while to that Rock I'm

T. clinging. Since Love is Lord of heaven and earth,

B. (singing?)

how can I keep (singing?)

(singing?)

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VERSE 5: (All, Organ, & Trumpets)

5. The peace of Christ makes fresh my heart, a

Melody(A,T,B.)

5. Fountain ever springing. All things are mine since

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5. I am his; how can I keep from singing?

FINAL REFRAIN: Tutti

(Tpts. I, II)

(Trombones I, II)

(Soprano Descant)

No storm can shake my inmost calm, while to that Rock I'm_

(Melody, A., T., B.)

(Baritone, B.B.)

(Organ)
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clinging. Since of heaven and earth,
(clinging.)

how can I keep from singing, from singing?

how can I keep from singing?
Assembly Edition

HOW CAN I KEEP FROM SINGING

Quaker Hymn

VERSES:

* 1. My life flow on in a never song; I
2. Though all the tumult and the strife, I
3. What though the tempest 'round me roar, I
4. When tyrants tremble, seek with fear, And
5. The peace of Christ takes firm my heart, A

1. bove earth's lamentation, I hear the real though
2. hear that music ringing; It sounds and echoes
3. hear the truth it liveth, What though the dark-ness
4. hear their death knell, When friends rejoice both
5. fount-fain ever spring-ing, All things are mine since

REFRAIN:

1. far-off hymn that has a new creation,
2. in my soul; I keep from sing-ing?
3. 'round me close, Songs in the night it giv-eth,
4. far and near, How can I keep from sing-ing?
5. I am his; How can I keep from sing-ing?

No storm can shake my in-ter-calm, While to that Rock I'm

cling-ing. Since Love was of heaven and earth,

How can I keep from sing-ing?

*Verse 1 & 5: All; 2: Women; 3: Mixed; 4: Choir