



A Lenten Love Song

Unison with Keyboard

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(Dramatic Recite)

NARRATION: (To be read by a child to prepare the scene)

Then Jesus went with his disciples to a place called Gethsemane, and he said to them, "My heart is very sorrowful. Sit here while I go and pray." And going a little farther into the garden, he fell to his knees and prayed, "My Father, if it is possible, take this cup away from me! Yet not what I want, but what you want." (Matthew 26: 36-39)

Like a narrative (♩ = c. 72)

*Passion Story
at end of
Palm Sunday*

1 *Tell the story* 3

Vida Now Je-sus went in - to the

4 5 6

gar - den, The gar-den of Geth-se - ma - ne.

7 8 9

He went there sad and ver - y wea - ry To be a - lone_ to_

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10 11 12

Prayerfully

pray. "Dear God, I am so sor-row-ful, is

Handwritten notes: *Jesus Prayer*, *F*

13 14

there no oth-er way? Dear God, if it is pos-si-ble, let

mf

Handwritten note: *mf*

15 16 17

this cup pass a-way."

Handwritten note: *mf*

18 19 20

Now Je-sus went in-to the gar-den, The gar-den of Geth-se-ma-

6

32 33

do_ your_ will, To do_ your_ will and rest.

delay 34 (a tempo)

Lovingly (♩. = 66)

35 36 37 38 39

U - bi ca - ri - tas et a - mor, U - bi ca - ri -

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Charity kindness

40 41 42 43

tas De - us i - bi est.

God there

Slower

As in the beginning

44 45 46 47

(b) (b)

rit.

8va

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* Translation: Where charity and love are found, God is there. (Latin text based on I John 4:16)
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