

# A Heaven on Earth

SATB Choir

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The musical score is written in 4/4 time with a key signature of three sharps (F#, C#, G#). The tempo is marked as quarter note = 68, and the mood is 'gently'. The score is divided into three systems. The first system (measures 1-4) features a vocal line with rests and a piano accompaniment. The second system (measures 5-7) contains the lyrics: 'kneel hearts in prayer with hum-ble hearts, to in-vite His spi-rit be-'. The third system (measures 8-10) contains the lyrics: 'in, fore, Ten/Bass: When we live each day share by the light of faith, and Ten/Bass: When we free-ly share one an-oth-er's joy, and'. The piano accompaniment includes triplets and various chordal textures.

*mp* = 68 gently

*mp*

Sop/Alto: When we  
(Sop/Alto: When our)

1 2 3 4

5 6

7 8 9 10

kneel hearts in prayer with hum-ble hearts, to in-vite His spi-rit be-  
hearts are turned to loved ones here, and to those who've gone be-

in, fore, Ten/Bass: When we live each day share by the light of faith, and  
Ten/Bass: When we free-ly share one an-oth-er's joy, and

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put our trust in Him, *mf* SATB: When our souls de- light in our  
 mourn with those who mourn, *mf* SATB: When we of- fer Him in our

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truth and right hands and things serve of Him e- ter- nal our worth, strength, *mp* SATB: Then the  
 wil- ling hands and serve Him with all our strength, *mp*

16 *ten.*

18

Sav- ior will come and a- bide in our home, and make it a hea- ven on earth.

20

22 **1.** 24 **2.**

2.Sop/Alto: When our

26 28

*mf* When we of- fer up our grate- ful praise for each per- fect gift of

*mf*

30 32

God, When we find our safe- ty in His com- mands, and make His word our

34 36

law, When we set a-side our world-ly cares to seek af-ter hea-ven

38 40

(hea-ven first) Then the Sav-ior will come and a-bide in our home, and make it a hea-ven on

*mp*

42 44

earth, And make it a hea-ven on earth.

*rit.* *p*