



THE
ANGEL
HOST
ABOVE
REJOICES



Theodore Beck

The Angel Host Above Rejoices

SATB, Congregation (opt.), and Organ

Robert Baden

Theodore Beck

Organ *mf*

Ped. ad lib. throughout

5 Unison Voices

1. The an - gel

10 host a - bove re - joic - es, The trum - pet bold - ly sounds,

15 The heav'n - ly choir lifts_ high its voic - es; Their

18

joy — all sor-row — drowns.

22

Refrain

Since God's own Son has won the war, and con-quer-ed death for - ev - er -

26

more, The grave is on - ly heav - en's door.

29

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

mf
32 2. The heav - ens

S
A

mf
T
B

2. The heav'ns cel - e - brate with shout - ing, The

2. The heav - ens cel - e - brate with shout - ing, The

36 The gates of gold re - sound,

gates of gold re - sound, The end has

gates of gold re - sound, The end has

39 come for pain and doubt - ing; True peace at last is

come for pain and doubt - ing; True peace at last is

42 *Refrain*
found. Since God's own Son has won the war, And con-
quered And con-
quered

found. Since God has won the war, And con-
quered

45 death for - ev - er - more, The grave is on - ly heav - en's
death for - ev - er - more, The grave is on - ly heav - en's

death, The grave is on - ly heav - en's

48

Al - le - lu - ia,

door. Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia!

door. Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

Ped. ad lib.

51

Sopranos *mp*

3. Al - though our loved one pass - es

56

from us Up - lift - ed, up - lift - ed

Man.

61

from our sight,

65

De-spair and grief do not be-

70

come us; For

75

soon, — for soon we'll re - u - nite.

80 *Refrain*
mf

Since God's own Son has won the war,

84

And con-quired death for - ev - er - more, The grave is on - ly

88

heav - en's door. Al - le - lu -

92

ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

95

ST (Descant) *f* (Descant)

Re-joyce, for life un - end - ing; Our loved

AB (Cong.) *f* (Melody)

Re - joyce, for life and_ joy un - end-ing; Our loved one

100

one lives to sing. Earth's si- lent voice is blend - ing in

lives _____ to sing. Earth's si-lent voice in_ heav'n is blend-ing in

104

an - them to the King. Since God's Son won the

an - them to the_ King. Since God's own Son has won the

Detailed description: The image shows a page of a musical score for a hymn. It is divided into three systems, each with three staves. The first system (measures 95-99) features a Soprano Tenor (ST) part with a descant and an Alto Bass (AB) part with a melody, both marked with a forte (f) dynamic. The piano accompaniment is also marked with f. The second system (measures 100-103) continues the vocal parts and piano accompaniment. The third system (measures 104-107) concludes the page with the final vocal lines and piano accompaniment. The key signature is one flat (B-flat), and the time signature is 3/4. The lyrics are printed below the vocal staves.

107

war, and con - quered death for - ev - er - more, The

war, and con - quered death for - ev - er - more, The

110

grave is on - ly heav - en's door. Al - le -

grave is on - ly heav - en's door. Al -

112

lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

For Benjamin Pfeiffer

The Angel Host Above Rejoices

Robert Baden

Theodore Beck

Stanza 1 (Choir)

The angel host above rejoices,
The trumpet boldly sounds,
The heav'nly choir lifts high its voices;
Their joy all sorrow drowns.

Stanza 2 (Choir)

The heavens celebrate with shouting,
The gates of gold resound,
The end has come for pain and doubting;
True peace at last is found.

Refrain

Since God's own Son has won the war,
And conquered death forevermore,
The grave is only heaven's door.
Alleluia, alleluia!

Refrain

Stanza 3 (Choir)

Although our loved one passes from us
Uplifted from our sight,
Despair and grief do not become us;
For soon we'll reunite.

Refrain


Stanza 4. Congregation and Choir



Re - joice, for life and joy un - end - ing; Our



loved one lives _____ to sing. Earth's si - lent



voice in heav'n is blend - ing in an - thems to the



Refrain
King. Since God's own Son has won the war, And con - quered



death for - ev - er - more, The grave is on - ly heav - en's



door. Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

Text and tune copyright © 1991 Morning Star Music Publishers,
St. Louis, MO. All rights reserved. Used by permission.