

1. A Gaelic Blessing

Words adapted from
an old Gaelic rune

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Flowing and tranquil (♩ = 84)

SOPRANO
ALTO

TENOR
BASS

ORGAN*

Deep peace — of the run-ning

Deep

Ch.

Sw.

5 wave to you, — Deep peace — of the flow-ing

peace to you, — Deep

*The right hand of the organ part may alternatively be played on guitar.

9 air to you, _____ Deep peace _____ of the qui-et

peace _____ to you, _____ Deep _____ peace of the

13 earth to you, _____ Deep *mp* peace _____ of the shi-ning

earth to you, _____ Deep _____ peace _____ of the

earth to you, _____ Deep _____ peace of the

mp

17 stars _____ to you, _____ Deep *p* peace _____ of the gen-tle

stars to you, _____ Deep _____ peace of

p

21 night to you, Moon and stars pour their heal-ing

night to you, Moon and stars pour

mp

25 light on you, Deep peace of

light on you, Deep peace of

p

29 Christ, of Christ the

Christ, of Christ the

cresc. *mf* *cresc.*

Christ, of Christ the

cresc. *mf* *cresc.*

33 light _____ of the world to you, _____

f *dim.*

light _____ of the world to you, _____

f *dim.*

light of the world to you,

37 Deep peace _____ of Christ to you.

mp *dim.* *rall.* *pp*

Christ to you.

Deep peace _____ of Christ to you.

mp *dim.* *pp*

Deep peace _____ of Christ to you.

mp *p* *dim.* *pp*

d. c. dal segno