

Benediction III

(Keep Watch, Dear Lord)

Traditional Text

Musical Setting by Ronald Owen (ASCAP)

Andantino ♩ = 80-84 *mp*

Voice

Keep watch_ dear Lord with those_ who work, or

Piano

mp *mf* *mp*

watch_ or weep_ this night And give_ your an - gels

mf

charge o - ver those who sleep and tend_ the sick, dear Lord

mp

2 3 4 5 6

7 8 9 10 11 12

13 14 15 16 17

poco a poco cresc.

dim. *p*

Christ. Give rest to the wear - ry bless the dy - ing

dim. *p*

18 19 20 21 22 23

mp *mf*

soothe the suf - fring pi - ty the af - flic - ted shield the

mp *mf*

24 25 26 27 28

f *rit.* *mp*

Joy - ous! All for your love's sake! A -

f *mp*

29 30 31 32 33 34