Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring

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Johann Schop, 1842
Har. by J.S. Bach, 1716

Jesu, joy of man's desiring, Holy wisdom, Love most bright.
Word of God, our flesh they fashioned,
Drawn by Thee our souls aspiring, Soar to uncreated light.

With the fire of life impassioned, Striving still to truth unknown,
Soaring, dying round Thy throne.

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Chorale from Cantata No. 147 "Hers und Mund und Leben"

Arr. by Reginald Gerig

Moderato

JOHANN SEBASTIAN BACH, 1685-1750

Originally scored for tromba, first and second violins, viola, soprano, alto, tenor, bass, and basso continuo.

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