

God's Mercy Is Wide!

SAB with optional Rhythm

Frederick W. Faber
1814-1863 (Hymn: 1854)

Pepper Choplin

① With soulful celebration ♩ = 130

The musical score is arranged in three systems. The first system shows the piano introduction in 4/4 time, marked *f*. The second system begins with the vocal entry at measure 4, with Soprano (SA) and Bass (B) parts. The lyrics are: "There's a wide - ness in God's mer - cy". The piano accompaniment continues with a steady eighth-note bass line and chords. The third system continues the vocal parts at measure 8, with lyrics: "like the wide - ness of the sea." The piano accompaniment features a more active melody in the right hand.

Duration: 3:15

Also available: SATB (10/3605M); Performance/Accompaniment CD (99/2164M);
Master Rhythm (gtr., el. bass, drums) (30/2254M)

*Performance Suggestion: Slow scoop on initial consonants and expand on dotted quarters.

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There's a kind - ness in His jus -

14

- tice which is more than lib - er - ty. There's a

18

wide - ness in God's mer - cy for you and me. —

With a smooth, easy feeling in 2

21

Optional Solo: *mf*

There is wel - come for the sin - ner, and more

24

grac - es for the good. There is mer - cy with the

27

Optional Solo 2:

mf

Sav - ior, there is heal - ing in His blood. For the

30

love of God is broad - er than the mea - sure of our mind.

33

— And the heart of the E - ter - nal — is so

36

4

f SA

won - der - ful — and kind. — There's a wide - ness

B

40

in God's mer - cy like the wide - ness

44

of the sea. ————— There's a

47

kind - ness in His jus - tice which is more than lib - er - ty. —

50

There's a wide - ness in God's mer -