

Dedicated in loving memory of Colin Grant Ward (September 30, 2004 - May 8, 2007), to his parents, 3  
Nathan and Cindy Ward, and grandparents, Jerry and Brenda Cheek and Rick and Janie Ward,  
First Baptist Church of North Wilkesboro, North Carolina

# Yes, My Jesus Loves Me

Words by  
**Anna B. Warner** (1820-1915)

SATB

Music by  
**Mary McDonald**

Tenderly ♩ = ca. 82

The musical score is written for SATB voices and piano accompaniment. It begins with a piano introduction in 4/4 time, marked *p*. The piano part features a simple, rhythmic accompaniment in the right hand and a more active line in the left hand. The vocal parts enter at measure 3. The lyrics are: "Je - sus loves me! This I know, for the Bi - ble tells me". The score is divided into systems, with measures 3, 6, and 9 marked at the beginning of each system. The piano accompaniment continues throughout, providing a steady harmonic and rhythmic foundation for the vocal lines.

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12 *mp*

so. Lit-tle ones to Him be-long; they are

15 *mf* *mp*

weak, but He is strong. Yes, my

18

Je - sus loves me!

21 TB *mp*

Je - sus loves me! He who

24

died hea - ven's gates \_\_\_\_\_ to

27 SA

He will wash a -  
o - pen wide! \_\_\_\_\_ Wash

30

way my sin, let His lit - tle child come in. \_\_\_\_\_

33 *mp*

Yes, my Je - sus loves me!

*mp*

36 *mf*

Je - sus loves me!

*mf*

*mf*

38

Loves me still, tho' I'm ver - y weak and ill;

41 *cresc. poco a poco*

From His shin - ing throne on high, comes to watch me

*cresc. poco a poco*

44 *f*

where I lie.

*f*

*f*

46 *poco rit.* **Freely** *p*

\*Yes, Je - sus loves me!

*p*

*poco rit.* **Freely** *p* (optional: Keyboard doubles vocals)

\*CHINA, melody by William B. Bradbury (1816-1868)