

For Bob Moore

SONG OF THE BAPTIST

Tune: HEMENWAY
Words and Music by
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$\text{♩} = 80-84$

Keyboard
or Harp

mf legato

5 Verse 1

Cello

mf

B *mf*

1. At the banks a-long the Jor - dan, Cry-ing out: "Pre-pare the way";

9

S, A unis.

mf

Wash-ing sin-ners in the wa-ters, Call-ing all to God's new day;

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f

Who is this in beg-gar's cloth-ing, Feast-ing on the des-ert's fare?

f

f

17

mf

Is cre-a-tion's plan un - fold-ing In the proph-et's haunt-ing stare?

mf

mf

21

p

p

p

Verse 2

24

Oboe

mp *mf*

mf

2. Could this be the bless'd Mes - si - ah? Could this be the cho-sen One?

mf

mf

28

mf

mf *div.*

No, this is the fi-nal her - ald Pre-par-ing all to meet God's Son.