

SIMPLE GIFTS

American Shaker Hymn
Arranged by Sandra Eithun

3, 4, 5 Octaves
Handbells used: 30, 37, 46

Handbell introduction notation on a grand staff. The first staff (bass clef) has a sequence of notes with a bracket labeled "optional" under the first five notes. The second staff (treble clef) has a sequence of notes with a bracket labeled "optional" under the last five notes. Below the staves, the text reads: "3 Octave choirs omit notes in (); 4 Octave choirs omit notes in []."

Relaxed ♩ = 104

Piano accompaniment for 'Simple Gifts' in 4/4 time, marked *mf*. The score is divided into nine measures, numbered 1 through 9. The notation includes treble and bass clefs, rests, and various rhythmic values. Measure 1 starts with a treble clef and a bass clef. Measure 2 has a treble clef. Measure 3 has a treble clef. Measure 4 has a treble clef. Measure 5 has a treble clef. Measure 6 has a treble clef. Measure 7 has a treble clef. Measure 8 has a treble clef. Measure 9 has a treble clef.

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Musical notation for measures 10, 11, and 12. The system consists of a grand staff with a treble clef on the upper staff and a bass clef on the lower staff. Measure 10 shows a treble staff with a whole note chord and a bass staff with a whole note chord. Measure 11 features a treble staff with a half note chord and a bass staff with a half note chord. Measure 12 has a treble staff with a whole note chord and a bass staff with a whole note chord.

Musical notation for measures 13, 14, and 15. Measure 13 is marked with 'LV' above the treble staff, showing a treble staff with a whole note chord and a bass staff with a whole note chord. Measure 14 is marked with 'R' above the treble staff, showing a treble staff with a whole note chord and a bass staff with a whole note chord. Measure 15 shows a treble staff with a whole note chord and a bass staff with a whole note chord.

Musical notation for measures 16, 17, and 18. Measure 16 shows a treble staff with a whole note chord and a bass staff with a whole note chord. Measure 17 features a treble staff with a whole note chord and a bass staff with a whole note chord. Measure 18 has a treble staff with a whole note chord and a bass staff with a whole note chord.

Musical notation for measures 19, 20, and 21. Measure 19 shows a treble staff with a whole note chord and a bass staff with a whole note chord. Measure 20 features a treble staff with a whole note chord and a bass staff with a whole note chord. Measure 21 has a treble staff with a whole note chord and a bass staff with a whole note chord.