

One Faith

for SATB Chorus unaccompanied

commissioned by Union Avenue Christian Church (Disciples of Christ), St. Louis, Missouri
premiered by the Union Avenue Chancel Choir in commemorating the 100th anniversary and
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Texts are taken from the hymns

In Christ There is No East and West, lyrics by John Oxenham (1852-1941) and
All Things Bright and Beautiful, lyrics by Cecil Frances Alexander (1818-1895)
Adapted by the Composer

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At a moderate tempo ♩ = 120

Freely, slowly

Soprano *p* One _____ *unis.* *mf* **A**

1. In faith there is no East or West, in
One (2.) prayer shall true hearts ev - 'ry - where their

Alto *p* _____ *mf*

One _____ 1. In faith there is no East or West, in
(2.) prayer shall true hearts ev - 'ry - where their

Tenor *p* _____ *unis.* *mf*

One _____ 1. In faith there is no East or West, in
(2.) prayer shall true hearts ev - 'ry - where their

Bass *p* _____ *unis.* *mf*

One _____ 1. In faith there is no East or West, in
(2.) prayer shall true hearts ev - 'ry - where their

At a moderate tempo ♩ = 120

Freely, slowly

Piano (for rehearsal only)

5

S
A

faith no__ South or__ North;__ But one great fel - low - ship of love through-
high - est__ u - nion_ find;__ For wor - ship is the gol - den cord which

T
B

faith no__ South or__ North;__ But one great fel - low - ship of love through-
high - est__ u - nion_ find;__ For wor - ship is the gol - den cord which

9

S
A

out the whole wide earth, through - out the whole wide earth.
binds all hu - man - kind, which binds all hu - man - kind.

T
B

out the whole wide earth, through - out the whole wide earth.
binds all hu - man - kind, which binds all hu - man - kind.

13

1. *(mf)*, *ritard.* *a tempo* *p, mf* 2.

S One faith, — one fel - low - ship of love. 2. In

A One faith, — one fel - low - ship of love. 2. In

T One faith, — one fel - low - ship of love. 2. In All, —

B One faith, — one fel - low - ship of love. 2. In All, —

17

B *p* *f*

S All — things bright and beau - ti - ful, all crea - tures great and

A All, — all things bright and beau - ti - ful, all crea - tures great and

T — all things bright and beau - ti - ful, all crea - tures great and

B — all things bright and beau - ti - ful, all crea - tures great and

B

4
21

S A
small, all things — which are wise and won-der-ful, — the

T B
small, all things — which are wise and won-der-ful, — won-der-ful, —

26

S A
Lord has made them all! — One faith, —

T B
Lord has — made, the Lord has made them all! — One faith, —

31

S A
— one fel-low-ship of love, one prayer, — one gol-den

T B
— one fel-low-ship of love, one prayer, — one gol-den

35 *a tempo* **C**

S cord. *p*, *mf* 3. Join hands all follow - ers of the faith, what -

A cord. *p*, *mf* 3. Join hands all follow - ers of the faith, what -

T cord. *p*, *mf* 3. Join hands all follow - ers of the faith, what -

B cord. *p*, *mf* 3. Join hands all follow - ers of the faith, what -

38 *a tempo* **C**

S e'er your race may be; who walks with - in the

A e'er your race may be; who walks with - in the

T e'er your race may be; who walks with - in the

B e'er your race may be; who walks with - in the

41

S
A

Heav'n - ly light is sure - ly kin to me, is

T
B

Heav'n - ly light is sure - ly kin to me, is

44

S
A

sure - ly kin to me. **D** *(mf)* One faith, one fel - low -

T
B

sure - ly kin to me. **D** *(mf)* One faith, one fel - low -

48

S
A

ship of love, one prayer, one gol - den cord, *p*

T
B

ship of love, one prayer, one gol - den cord, *p*

52 *(p)* *ritard.* *f*

S one light, — one light, — one light, — one light. In

A *(p)* *f*
one light, — one light, — one light, — one. In

T *(p)* *f*
one light. — In

B *(p)* *f*
one light, — one light. In

56 **E** Slightly slower, triumphantly

S love now meet both East and West, — in love meet South and

A love — both East and West, — both

T love — both East and West, — both

B love now meet both East and West, — in love meet South and

E Slightly slower, triumphantly

60

S North; _____ All kind - ly souls are bound as one _____

A South and North, and South and North; All kind - ly souls _____ are

T South and North, and South and North; All kind - ly souls _____ are

B North; _____ All kind - ly souls are bound as one _____

Detailed description: This block contains the musical score for measures 60 through 63. It features four vocal staves (Soprano, Alto, Tenor, Bass) and a piano accompaniment. The key signature is one sharp (F#) and the time signature is 4/4. The lyrics are: Soprano: "North; _____ All kind - ly souls are bound as one _____"; Alto: "South and North, and South and North; All kind - ly souls _____ are"; Tenor: "South and North, and South and North; All kind - ly souls _____ are"; Bass: "North; _____ All kind - ly souls are bound as one _____". The piano accompaniment consists of chords and moving lines in both hands.

64

S _____ through - out the whole wide earth, _____ through -

A bound as one _____ through - out the whole wide earth, _____

T bound as one _____ through - out the whole wide earth, _____

B _____ through - out the whole wide earth, _____ through -

Detailed description: This block contains the musical score for measures 64 through 67. It features four vocal staves (Soprano, Alto, Tenor, Bass) and a piano accompaniment. The key signature is one sharp (F#) and the time signature is 4/4. The lyrics are: Soprano: "_____ through - out the whole wide earth, _____ through -"; Alto: "bound as one _____ through - out the whole wide earth, _____"; Tenor: "bound as one _____ through - out the whole wide earth, _____"; Bass: "_____ through - out the whole wide earth, _____ through -". The piano accompaniment continues with chords and moving lines in both hands.

68

S out the whole wide earth. All kind - ly souls are

A through - out the whole wide earth. All kind - ly souls are

T through - out the whole wide earth. All kind - ly souls are

B out the whole wide earth. All kind - ly souls are

72

ritard.

Slowly

unis.

S bound as one through - out the whole wide earth.

A bound as one through - out the whole wide earth.

T bound as one through - out the whole wide earth.

B bound as one through - out the whole wide earth.

ritard. **Slowly**

76 **F** Tempo primo (♩ = 120)

p *f*
 S All things bright and beau - ti - ful, all
p *f*
 A All, all things bright and beau - ti - ful, all
p *f*
 T All, all things bright and beau - ti - ful, all
p *f*
 B All, all things bright and beau - ti - ful, all

F Tempo primo (♩ = 120)

p
 S crea - tures great and small, all things that are wise and
p
 A crea - tures great and small, all things that are wise and
p
 T crea - tures great and small, all things that are wise and
p
 B crea - tures great and small, all things that are wise and

84 *f*

S
won - der - ful, _____ the Lord has made them

A
won - der - ful, _____ the Lord has made them

T
8
won - der - ful, _____ won - der - ful, _____ Lord has _____ made, the

B
won - der - ful, _____ won - der - ful, _____ Lord has _____ made, the

88 **G** *(f)*

S
all! _____ One faith, _____ one fel - low - ship of love,

A
all! _____ One faith, _____ one fel - low - ship of love,

T
8
Lord has made them all! _____ One faith, _____ one fel - low - ship of love,

B
Lord has made them all! _____ One faith, _____ one fel - low - ship of love,

G

S *p*, *mp*,
 one prayer, — one gol - den cord, one light, —

A *p*, *mp*,
 one prayer, — one gol - den cord, our on - ly light,

T *p*, *mp*,
 one prayer, — one gol - den cord, our on - ly light,

B *p*, *mp*,
 one prayer, — one gol - den cord, our on - ly light,

S *p*, *mf*, *p*, *f*,
 one prayer, — one love. — Our

A *p*, *mf*, *p*, *f*,
 our on - ly prayer, our on - ly love. Our

T *p*, *mf*, *p*, *f*,
 our on - ly prayer, our on - ly love. Our

B *p*, *mf*, *p*, *f*,
 our on - ly prayer, our on - ly love. Our

102

S
souls are bound as one. Our souls are bound as

A
souls are bound as one. Our souls are bound as

T
souls are bound as one. Our souls are bound as

B
souls are bound as one. Our souls are bound as

105

ritard. to end

S
one, _____ one.

A
one. _____

T
one, _____ one, _____ one, _____ one. _____

B
one, _____ one, _____ one, _____ one. _____

ritard. to end