

Give Me a Grateful Heart, Lord

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Voices: SATB

A cappella



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mf $\text{♩} = 80$

SOPRANO
ALTO

1. Give me a grate-ful heart, Lord, for each small fa - vor grant-ed. As

TENOR
BASS

5 6 7 8

years un-fold, may I be-hold life, still, through eyes en - chant-ed. Let me find
I be - hold

A 10 11 12 *optional no breath*

beau - ty in all things, not be too blind to see the good-ness
Let me find beau-ty in all things, not be too blind to see

13 14 15 16

in my fel - low - man, that he would find in me.

B *mp*

18 19 20

2. Grant that my ears re - main at - tuned to hear the small - est sigh. _____ And

21 22 23 24

may I lend a gen - tle touch to those less sure than I. _____ Let me re -
gen - tle touch

C

26 27 28

mem - ber les - sons learned, _____ to prof - it from _____ the _____ past, and may I
Let me re - mem - ber les - sons learned, _____ to prof - it from the _____ past, -

29 30 31 32

build a bridge of dreams. that shall _____ for - ev - er _____ last.

D *mf*

34 35 36 *optional no breath*

3. Let me re-joyce in sim - ple things; I need no wealth to buy _____ the_

37 38 39 40

scent of pine up - on the wind, a bur-nished cop - per sky, _____ scar-let
up - on the wind,

E

42 43 44

ros - es on the fence, _____ sun-rise through _____ the trees— O grant that
scar - let ros - es on the fence sun-rise through the trees—

45 46 47 48

I may not out - grow _____ af - fin - i - ty for _____ these.

F

4. Give me a grate-ful heart, — Lord; let me be sat - is - fied — when

50 51 52 *optional no breath*

53 54 55 56

days are less than sun - ny and plans lie at low tide... Life is a
sun - ny —

G

sweet, — sweet ad - ven- ture that will_ lead who_ knows_ where? So give_ —
Life is a sweet ad - ven- ture that will_ lead who knows where?

58 59 60

61 62 63 64

me a grate - ful heart — that I — may — al - ways — care.

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