

# If, on a Quiet Sea

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**Text:** Augustus M. Toplady (1740-1778)

**Voices:** SATB

A cappella



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**SOPRANO**  $\text{♩} = 69$  *mp* 2 3 4  
If, on a qui - et sea, we\_\_ calm - ly sail. 1. If, \_\_

**ALTO** *mp*  
Qui - et sea, calm - ly sail. \_\_

**TENOR** *mp*  
Qui - et sea, we\_\_ calm - ly sail, we sail. \_\_

**BASS** *mp*  
Qui - et sea, calm - ly sail.

**A** 6 7 8  
\_\_ on a qui - et sea, \_\_ toward heaven we calm - ly sail, \_\_ with

1. If, on a qui - et sea, \_\_ toward heaven we calm - ly sail, with

oo With

oo With

9 10 11 12  
grate - ful hearts, O God, to Thee, \_\_ we'll own the fa-voring gale. \_\_

grate - ful hearts, O God, to Thee, \_\_ we'll own the fa - voring gale. \_\_

grate - ful hearts, O God, to Thee, to Thee, we'll own the fa-voring gale, \_\_ the\_\_

grate - ful hearts, O God, to Thee, we'll own the fa-voring gale. \_\_

**B**

13 15 16 17

2. But should the surg - es rise, and rest de-lay to come, blest

oo Blest

fa - voring gale. oo Blest

oo Blest

*mf* 18 19 20 21

be the tem - pest, kind the storm, which drives us near-er home.

*mf* be the tem - pest, kind the storm, which drives us near-er home, drives us near - er.

*mf* be the tem - pest, kind the storm, which drives us near-er home, drives us near - er.

*mf* be the tem - pest, kind the storm, which drives us near-er home,

**C**

22 24 25 26

Doubts and fears yield to Thy con - trol, con - trol.

home. Doubts and fears, Thy con - trol.

home. Doubts and fears, Thy con - trol.

near - er home. Soon shall our doubts and fears yield to Thy con - trol.

**D**

28 *mp* 29 30

Yield to Thy con - trol; Thy

*mp*

3. Soon shall our doubts and fears all yield to Thy con - trol; Thy

*mp*

3. Soon shall our doubts and fears all yield to Thy con - trol; Thy

*mf*

Thy

*mf* 31 32 33 34

ten - der mer - cies shall il - lume the mid-night of the soul.

*mf*

ten - der mer - cies shall il - lume the mid - night of the soul.

*mf*

ten - der mer - cies shall il - lume the mid-night of the soul, mid-night

ten - der mer - cies shall il - lume the mid-night of the soul.

**E**

35 36 37 39 *mf*

4. Teach us, in ev - ery state, to

*mp*

Teach us, teach us,

*mp*

of the soul. Teach us, teach us, teach us, teach us,

*mp*

Teach us, teach us,

40 41 42 43 44

make Thy will our own; and when the joys of sense de - part, to live by faith a -

make our own; joys de - part, live a -

make Thy will our own; when the joys de - part, live by faith

make Thy will our own; joys de - part, live a -

**F** *Optional descant: a few voices*

45 46 48

Teach us in ev' - ry state, to

*f* *Congregation sings unison melody from m. 47 to the end\**

lone. Teach us, in ev' - ry state, to

lone, by faith a - lone. Teach us, in ev' - ry state, to

a - lone, faith a - lone. Teach us, in ev' - ry state, to

lone, by faith a - lone. Teach us, in ev' - ry state, to

\*if congregation does not sing, several male voices double melody to the end

49 50 51 52

make Thy will our own; and when the joys of sense de - part,

make Thy will our own; and when the joys of sense de - part,

make Thy will our own; and when the joys of sense de - part,

make Thy will our own; and when the joys of sense de - part, de -

make Thy will our own; and when the joys of sense de - part,

53 54 55 56 rit.

live by faith a - lone, faith a - lone.

to live by faith a - lone.

to live by faith a - lone, live by faith a - lone.

part, to live by faith a - lone, live by faith a - lone, faith a - lone.

to live by faith a - lone, faith a - lone.