

HE WILL HOLD ME FAST

(G / A / B^b Major)

Intro from 'Finlandia' by Jean Sibelius (1865-1957)

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PARTS INCLUDED:

Vocal/Rhythm
Vocal, Piano, Solo Violin
Choir (SATB), Piano, Solo Violin
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Piano
Solo Violin
Chords & Lyrics
Nashville Numbered Charts

***This product forms part of a full
orchestration, also available from
Getty Music, which includes:***

2 Flutes
2 Oboes
2 Clarinets in B^b
2 Bassoons

2 Horns in F
2 Trumpets in B^b
3 Trombones (III Opt. Tuba)

Timpani
Percussion (1 player)

Strings (incl. Keyboard String Reduction)



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Intro 1**Freely**

Violin: Solo / Piano: simple chords

N.C. C⁶ G/B Am G Am/C C/E D/F# G C⁶ G/B

(optional cut to Intro 2 at b.24)

6 Am G/B C⁶ C/E D/F# G G G/F# Em Bm

10

12 Am G/B C⁶ G/D C Am⁶ B G G/F#

18 Em Bm Am G/B C⁶ G/D Dsus D

Intro 2**Full of Hope (♩ = 66)**

Vln OUT / Piano SOLO

24 Gma7 G/B Cadd9 Gma7 G/B Cadd9

28 **V.1** [Piano: cont. simple] G G/B C C D G G/B C

1. When I fear my faith will fail, Christ will hold me fast; When the tempt-er would pre - vail,

34 C D G Em D/F# G C C B Em

36

He will hold me fast.

I could nev-er keep my hold

Through life's fear - ful path;

Voice
Solo Violin
Piano

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Solo Violin *mf dolce*

mp

(optional cut to Intro 2 at b.24)

9 G G/F# 10 Em Bm Am G/B C⁶ G/D C Am⁶ B



17 G G/F# 18 Em Bm Am G/B C⁶ G/D Dsus D



Intro 2

Full of Hope ($\text{♩} = 66$)

24 Gma7 G/B Gma7 G/B Cadd9



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G B Am G/B

G B Am G/B

(optional cut to Intro 2 at b.24)

10

C⁶ C/E D/F# G G G/F# Em Bm Am

G B Am G/B

2

[Intro 2]**Full of Hope (♩ = 66)**

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24

Gma7 G/B Cadd9 Gma7 G/B Cadd9

28 V.1 *Optional Solo*

1. When I fear my faith will fail, Christ will hold me fast;

G G/B C C D G

32

When the tempt - er would pre - vail, He will hold me fast.

G G/B C C D G

36

I could nev - er keep my hold Through life's fear - ful path;

Em D/F# G C C B Em

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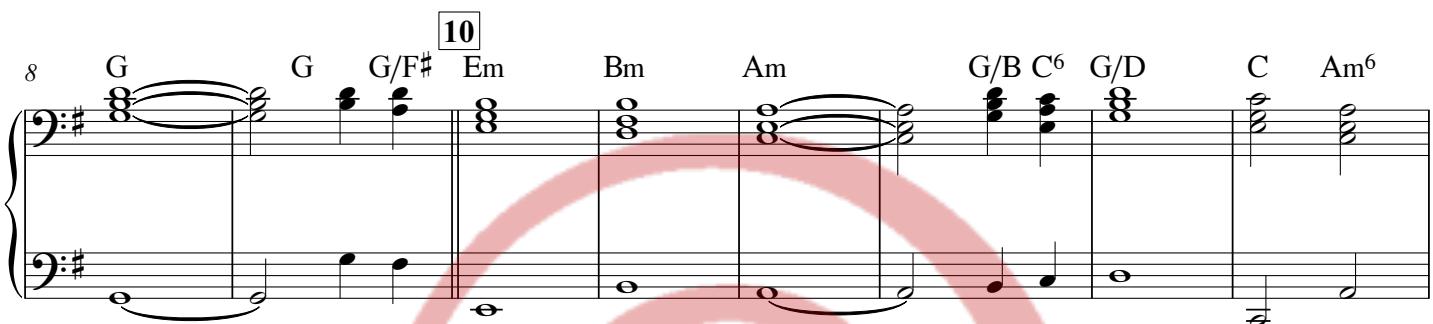
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(optional cut to Intro 2 at b.24)



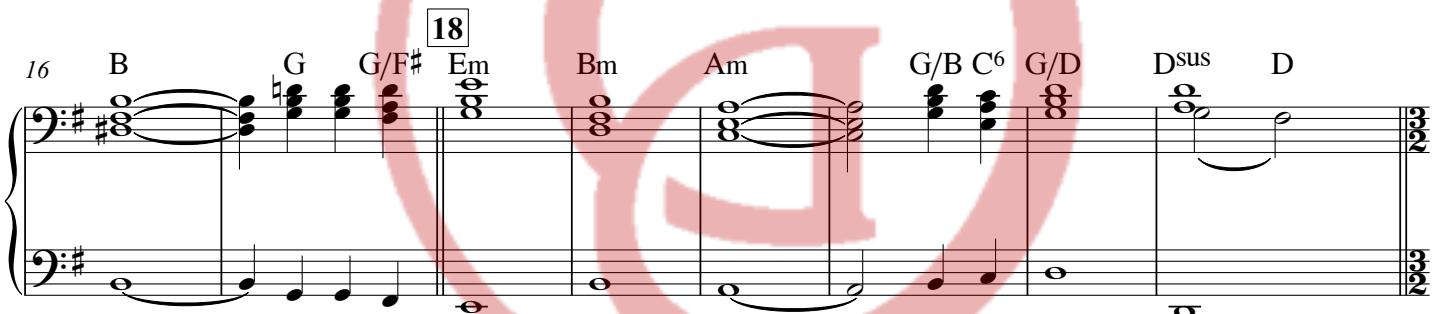
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10



16 B G G/F# Em Bm Am G/B C⁶ G/D Dsus D

18

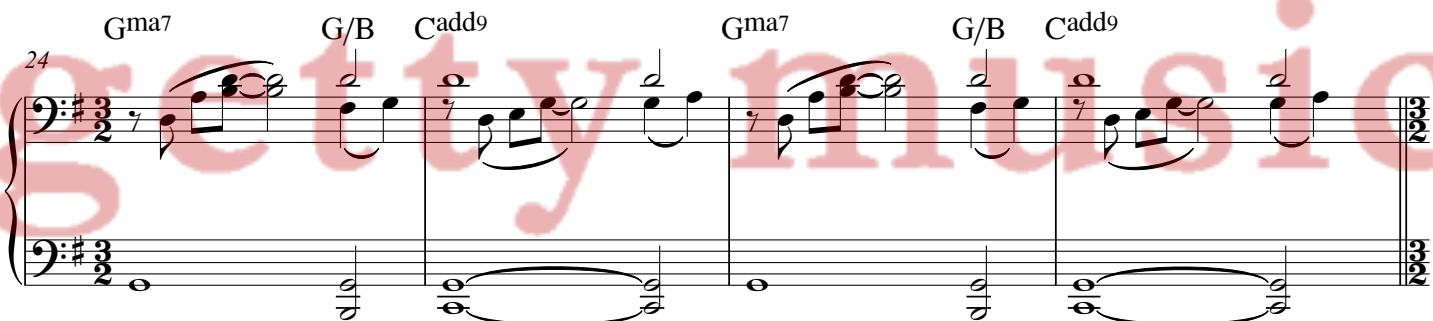


Intro 2

Full of Hope (♩ = 66)

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8 10 8 6

Intro 2

Full of Hope ($\text{d} = 66$)

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1. When I fear my faith will fail, Christ will hold me fast;

36

When the tempt - er would pre - vail, He will hold me fast.

41

I could nev - er keep my hold Through life's fear - ful path; For my love is oft - en

45 **Ch.1**

cold;

He must hold me

fast.

He will hold me fast, He will hold me fast;

(Oh* _____)

mp (* Oh, ooh, etc. taken with solo vocal throughout)

He Will Hold Me Fast (*When I Fear My Faith Will Fail*)

(Key of G)

L.1

49

For my Sa-vior loves me so,
oh) He will hold me fast.
(opt. solo only)

3

V.2

mf Altos (with solo):

56

2. Those He saves are His de - light, Christ will hold me fast;

60 + Sopranos:

Pre - cious in his ho - ly sight, He will hold me fast.

64

unis.

He'll not let my soul be lost; His Prom - is - es shall last;

Tenors:

mf

+ Basses: ah

68 div.

Bought by Him at such a cost, He will hold me fast.

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Solo Violin

mf dolce

7 **10**

14 **18**

f

21 **Intro 2**
Full of Hope ($\text{d} = 66$) **V.1**

2

29 **3** **36** **3**

41 **Ch.1** **4** **4**

Voice: For my Sa - vior loves me so, He will hold me

52 **L.1** **3** **V.2**

fast.

57

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intro: Gmaj7 G/B C2 :|| |

G G/B C
When I fear my faith will fail
C D G
Christ will hold me fast
G G/B C
When the tempter would prevail
C D G
He will hold me fast
Em D/F# G C
I could never keep my hold
C B Em
Through life's fearful path
Em D/F# G C
For my love is often cold
C D G
He must hold me fast

Chorus:

C D Em
He will hold me fast
Em D/F# G
He will hold me fast
G Am7 G/B C
For my Savior loves me so
C D Gmaj7 G/B C2
He will hold me fast
Gmaj7 G/B C2

Those He saves are His delight
Christ will hold me fast
Precious in His holy sight
He will hold me fast
He'll not let my soul be lost
His promises shall last
Bought by Him at such a cost
He will hold me fast

CHORUS

For my life He bled and died
Christ will hold me fast
Justice has been satisfied
He will hold me fast
Raised with Him to endless life
He will hold me fast
Till our faith is turned to sight
When he comes at last

CHORUS



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Freely

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Album Intro: Piano & Violin
Be Still My Soul/Finlandia melody

Pno&Vln Only

I	$1\frac{1}{3}$	4^2	$1\frac{1}{3}$	4^2
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I	$1\frac{1}{3}$	4^2	$1\frac{1}{3}$	4^2
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Pno Only

V ₁	$\begin{smallmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{smallmatrix} 1\frac{1}{3}$	$\begin{smallmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \end{smallmatrix} 4$	$\underline{45}$	1
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V ₃	$\begin{smallmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{smallmatrix} 6-$	$\begin{smallmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \end{smallmatrix} 4$	$\frac{15}{37}$	1
	$\begin{smallmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{smallmatrix} 6-$	$\begin{smallmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \end{smallmatrix} 4$	$\underline{45}$	1
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Bass & Vln In	$\begin{smallmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{smallmatrix} 6-\frac{5}{7}3$	$\begin{smallmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \end{smallmatrix} 4$	$\underline{43}$	6-
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C ₁	$\underline{45}$	6-	$6-\frac{5}{7}$	1
	$\begin{smallmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{smallmatrix} 12-\frac{1}{3}$	$\begin{smallmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \end{smallmatrix} 4$	$\underline{45}$	
I	$1\frac{1}{3}$	4^2	$1\frac{1}{3}$	4^2

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	$\underline{45}$	6-	$6-\frac{5}{7}$	1

V ₂	$\begin{smallmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{smallmatrix} 1\frac{1}{3}$	$\begin{smallmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \end{smallmatrix} 4$	$\underline{45}$	1
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Pno&Vln Only	O	$1\frac{1}{3}$	$2-\frac{1}{3}$	$4\frac{1}{3}$	2-5
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