

Because He Lives

Music & Lyrics: Sally DeFord
Arrangement: K.D. Christensen

With Emotion ♩ = 70

Soprano

Alto

S

A

5 *mf* 6 7

Be-cause He lives, lives, Be-cause He rose in migh - ty tri - umph from the
My heart is filled with peace a - mid a world of

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8 9 10

grave fear, I put my trust in Him, and seek to fol - low Him in faith, Be-cause He
And through the blind - ness of the night, in Him I rest se - cure, Be-cause He

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11 12 13

lives, lives, *mf*

Be-cause He lives, lives, I shall find strength to stand a - gainst the tempt - er's
Be-cause He There is no task so great that I can - not en -

14 15 16

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pow'r, He is my re - fuge and de - fense in ev - ry' trou - bled hour, Be - cause He
dure, I bear no heart - ache that His ten - der mer - cy can - not cure, Be - cause He

17 18 19

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Be - cause He lives, I can bear what - ev - er bur - den may be
lives, Be - cause He lives, I can bear what - ev - er bur - den may be

20 21 22

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mine, I am en - cir - cled in the arms of love di - vine, Be - cause He
mine, I am en cir - cled in the arms of love di - vine, Be - cause He

23 24 25

S

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lives, Be - cause He lives, He will ban - ish ev - 'ry sha - dow of my
lives, Be - cause He lives, He will ban - ish ev - 'ry sha - dow of my

26 27 28

S

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pain, Ev - 'ry sor - row will be swal - lowed up in Him, For in His
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29 *molto rit.* 30 *a tempo* 31 32 1.

S hand is heal-ing for the wea - ry soul, This I know be - cause he lives.

A hand is heal-ing for the wea - ry soul, this I know be - cause he lives.

33 34 35

S Be - cause He

A

36 2. 37 38 ♩ = 76

S lives. Be - cause He lives, I will fear no dark - ness,

A lives. Be - cause He lives, I will fear no dark - ness,

39 40 41

S lives, I will walk in light,

A Be - cause He lives, I will praise His

42 43 44

S Be - cause He lives, hope shines ev - er bright, Be - cause He

A kind - ness,

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45
S lives, I will seek His right - eous-ness,

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A Be - cause He lives, I'll fol - low where He

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S Be - cause He lives, I shall con - quer e - ven death, And I shall

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A leads, Be - cause He lives e - ven death,

50 *molto rit.* *a tempo*

51
S live _____ be - cause He lives! _____ Be - cause He lives _____ I will re -

52 $\text{♩} = 60$

53 *mf*

54
S joice in Christ, and glo - ri - fy His name, _____ And with the wil - ling voice of gra - ti - tude, pro

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A joice in Christ, and glo - ri - fy His name, _____ And with the wil - ling voice of gra - ti - tude, pro

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S claim, my Sav - ior lives! _____ Be - cause He lives, _____ He will

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A claim, my Sav - ior lives! _____ Be - cause He lives, _____ He will

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S ban - ish ev - 'ry sha - dow of my pain, 61 Ev - 'ry sor - row will be swal - lowed up in 62

A ban - ish ev - 'ry sha - dow of my pain, Ev - 'ry sor - row will be swal - lowed up in

63 S Him, 64 For in His hand is heal - ing for the wea - ry soul, This I know, 65 *mp* 66

A Him, For in His hand is heal - ing for the wea - ry soul, This I

67 S be - cause He lives. *poco rit.* 68 69 70

A know, be - cause He lives.