

BUILT ON A ROCK

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Arranged by Ross A. Smith*

Sturdy ($\text{J}=50$)

The musical score consists of four staves of music. The top three staves are for voices (Soprano, Alto, Tenor/Bass) and the bottom staff is for the piano. The key signature is one flat, and the time signature is common time (indicated by '3'). The vocal parts sing the same melody in unison. The piano part provides harmonic support with chords. Measure numbers 1 through 6 are present above the staves. The lyrics are as follows:

Built on a rock the church doth stand,
even when stee-ples are

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Built on a rock the church doth stand,
e - ven when stee-ples are

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A brace groups the first two staves, and a brace with the instruction "For rehearsal only" groups the third and fourth staves.

7

The musical score continues from measure 7. The vocal parts sing the lyrics "fall - ing; Crum - bled have spires in ev' - ry fall - ing, fall - ing; Crum - bled have spires in ev' - ry fall - ing, fall - ing; Crum - bled have spires in ev' - ry fall - ing, fall - ing; Crum - bled have spires in ev' - ry". The piano part provides harmonic support with chords. Measures 7 through 12 are shown. The lyrics are as follows:

fall - ing; Crum - bled have spires in ev' - ry
fall - ing, fall - ing; Crum - bled have spires in ev' - ry
fall - ing, fall - ing; Crum - bled have spires in ev' - ry
fall - ing, fall - ing; Crum - bled have spires in ev' - ry

A brace groups the first two staves, and a brace with the instruction "For rehearsal only" groups the third and fourth staves.

12

land, yet bells still are chim-ing and call - ing;

land, yet bells still are chim-ing and call - ing;

land, yet bells still are chim-ing and call - ing.

land, yet bells still are chim-ing and call - ing; Call

17

Call-ing the young and old to rest, but a - bove

Call-ing to one and all, come and rest. Call-ing to one and

Call-ing one and all, come and rest.

mf

come and rest, come and rest.

22

plaintive

all the soul dis - tressed, long - ing for rest ev - er-

all, dis - tressed, long - ing for rest e - ver

Call-ing one and all dis - tressed. Long - ing for rest e - ver-

Call - ing all dis - tressed. Long - ing for rest e - ver-

mp

mp

mp

27

ritard.

tenuto

- last - ing. Yet ____

last, call - ing, long - ing, call - ing. Yet ____

- last, call - ing, long - ing, call - ing. Yet ____

dim.

- last, call - ing, long - ing, call - ing. Yet ____

dim.

33 Sprightly ($\text{A}=56$)

Still we our earth - ly tem - ples rear, bet - ter to sing forth,
Still, still our tem - ples rear, bet - ter to sing forth,
Still, still our tem - ples rear, bet - ter to sing forth,
Still, still our tem - ples rear, bet - ter to sing forth, sing forth,

39

ring forth God's prais - es. These are the homes where God draws
ring forth God's prais - es. These are the homes where God draws
ring forth God's prais - es. These are the homes where God draws
ring forth God's prais - es. These are the homes where God draws

44

near, and lit - tle chil-dren em - bra - ces. Here God's true
 near and lit - tle chil-dren em - bra - ces.
 near and lit - tle chil-dren em - bra - ces.
 near, and lit - tle chil-dren em - bra - ces. Here

50

word is spo - ken and heard.
 Here God's word is spo - ken and heard.
 Here God's word is spo - ken and heard.
 God's word is spo - ken and heard. Here

53

Here God and man their co - ve - nant made, mak - ing us
 Here God and man their cov 'nант made. Mak - ing us
 Here God and man their cov - 'nant made. Mak - ing us
 God and man their cov - 'nant made Mak - ing us

58

heirs of his king - dom.
 heirs of his king - dom.
 heirs of his king - dom. Mak - ing us
 heirs of his king Mak - ing us heirs, Mak - ing us

64

Mak - ing us heirs of his king dom.
heirs.

cresc.

ritard.

Mak - ing us heirs of his king dom.

heirs. Mak - ing us heirs of his king dom.

cresc.

heirs. Ma - king us heirs of his king dom.

70

A - men.

mp

A - men.

mp

A - men.

mp

A - men.