

Soft as the voice of an angel

Septimus Winner

Whispering Hope

The image shows a piano accompaniment for the hymn 'Soft as the voice of an angel'. The score is written in 3/4 time and consists of six systems of two staves each (treble and bass clef). The music is characterized by a gentle, flowing melody in the right hand and a steady, harmonic accompaniment in the left hand. Measure numbers 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 35, 40, and 45 are indicated at the beginning of their respective systems.

Soft as the voice of an angel,
Breathing a lesson unheard;
Hope with a gentle persuasion,
Whispers her comforting word.
Wait till the darkness is over,
Wait till the tempest is done;
Hope for the sunshine tomorrow,
After the shower is gone.

Refrain

*Whispering hope, (whispering hope)
Oh, how welcome thy voice,
Making my heart, (making my heart)
In its sorrow rejoice.*

Hope of the soul is an anchor,
Hope is in Jesus our Lord;
Jesus, who bought our salvation,
Jesus, the Father's own Word.
Come to the rich hope of Glory,
Come to that Hope, safe and sure;
Leave all your doubts there behind you
And enter through Jesus the Door.

Refrain

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