

Joseph Smith's First Prayer

(Simplified)

With dignity ♩ = 84-92

Words by George Manwaring
Music by Sylvanus Billings Pond

The musical score is written for a single voice and piano accompaniment in 4/4 time, with a key signature of two flats (B-flat and E-flat). The tempo is marked 'With dignity' and the range is 84-92 beats per minute. The score consists of four systems, each with a vocal line and a piano line. Chord symbols (Bb, F, F7, C7, Eb) are placed above the vocal line. Fingerings are indicated by numbers 1-5. The lyrics are: 'Oh, how love-ly was the morn-ing! Ra-diant beamed the sun a - bove. — Bees were hum - ming, sweet birds sing - ing, Mu - sic ring - ing thru the grove, When with- in the shad - y wood - land Jo - seph sought the God of love, When with- in the shad - y wood - land Jo - seph sought the God of love.'

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