Christopher Alexander

Have Yourself a
Merry (Blessed)
Little Christmas



NEW GENERATION CHORAL SERIES

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About the Work

Did you know that the famous tune *Have Yourself a Merry Little Christmas* has alternate lyrics? After the success of the original, one of its writers Hugh Martin could not find success in his other endeavors. With economic woes and falling notoriety, Hugh wrote new lyrics for the tune to encapsulate his feelings of his once-great success, but more importantly for the reason he wrote that song in the first place. This arrangement incorporates those new lyrics with the original chorus, and it will surely warm your heart upon hearing these new words paired with the familiar melody.

About the Arranger



Mr. Christopher Alexander is an award-winning composer and arranger from St. Joseph, Missouri. He received his Bachelor of Science in Vocal Music Education degree from Missouri Western State University in 2009. A self-taught piants, his compositions and arrangements ranging from measumental works to local solo and choral literature. Mr. Alexander has been sompissioned numerous times by singles groups and church hoirs within the northwest Missouri and northeast Missouri regions. He is also active in medical theatre productions as a music director and pianist. Mis works have been published with GIA Music Publications and Mal Leonard.

In 2016, he was award of the St. Joseph Allied Arts Council Mayor's Award for Ac 1st of the Year. In 2022, he was inducted into the New Generation Singers Hall of Fame.

Mr. Alexander currently serves as the pianist and primary arranger for The New Generation Singers, a Christian singing youth group based in St. Joseph, Missouri. He is a member of NAfME, ACDA, MCDA, and Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia Fraternity.

He is available for commissions and conducting events on request.



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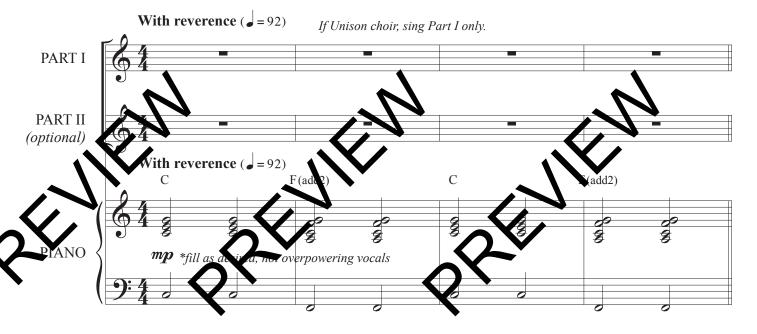
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HAVE YOURSELF A MERRY (BLESSED) LITTLE CHRISTMAS

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Arranged by CHRISTOPHER ALEXANDER and BYRON "BEMO" MYERS II Original Words and Music by HUGH MARTIN and RALPH BLANE New Lyrics by HUGH MARTIN





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