

God's Gift of Love

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Scripture: 1 Cor. 13

Dedicated to Cornelia Faber Rushmore

Adagio ♩ = 95

TENOR
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BARITONE
BASS

True Love is that hum - ble and pro - tect - ing It trusts, for -
"love" that takes and is self - seek - ing But Love that

6 D7 G G G G7 C C D

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gives and per - sev - eres. 'Tis ev - er hope - ful, kind and pa - tient, Re - joic - es
gives one's life to bind! Boasts not, nor will de - light in e - vil; For re - com -

14 D7 G G Em Em B7 B7

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with the truth it hears. This Love, oh Lord you free - ly gave To Jes - us
pense t'is tru - ly blind! It keeps no re - cord of one's wrongs; 'Tis slow to

21 B7 Em D7 *mp* G G7 C C

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Christ your bless - ed Son, That we might share with one an - oth - er So
an - ger rude - ness pales Be - yond what God gave us to off - er. For

mp

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1. 2. To Coda

peace a - mong us might be
love en - dures and nev - er won! Not fails! As

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frag - ile life meets jour - ney's end Nor Faith nor Hope dare to pre - tend, To en - ter

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Heav - en's realm a - bove, a - bove, Where naught cross o'er but A - bba's

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Ritardando

Love Ahhh men

ppp