

Peace Like a River

Text and music: African American Spiritual
Arr. Brent Yorgason, 2005

(SATB / Organ)

TUNE: PEACE LIKE A RIVER

Ct. Diap. 8', Flute/Celeste II 8', Oct. 4'
Ped. Lieblich Gedeckt 16', Gr. to Ped.

Peacefully (♩ = 50-60)

mp

A Unison men (or bass solo)

The musical score is arranged in three systems. Each system includes a vocal line and an organ accompaniment. The organ part is written in two staves (bass and tenor clefs) and features a steady eighth-note accompaniment in the bass and chords in the tenor. The vocal lines are in bass clef with lyrics underneath. The first system is for Unison men (or bass solo) with lyrics: "I've got peace like a ri-ver, I've got peace like a ri-ver, I've got". The second system is for Tenor Bass (TB) with lyrics: "peace like a ri-ver in my soul. I've got peace like a ri-ver, I've got". The third system is also for Tenor Bass (TB) with lyrics: "peace like a ri-ver, I've got peace like a ri-ver in my soul." The organ part continues throughout, providing harmonic support for the vocal lines.