

Piano

# 604 - Shall We Gather at the River

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## INTRO

The Intro section is written for piano in 4/4 time. It consists of two staves: a treble staff and a bass staff. The treble staff begins with a series of chords: F, C, G, G<sup>7</sup>, and C. The bass staff provides a simple accompaniment with eighth and quarter notes. The dynamic marking *mf* (mezzo-forte) is placed below the first measure of the bass staff.

## VERSE

The Verse section is written for piano in 4/4 time. It features a vocal melody line with four verses of lyrics, a bass line, and a piano accompaniment. The lyrics are as follows:

1. Shall we gath - er at the riv - er, Where bright an - gel feet have trod;  
2. On the mar - gin of the riv - er, Wash - ing up its sil - ver spray,  
3. Ere we reach the shin - ing riv - er, Lay we ev - 'ry bur - den down;  
4. Soon we'll reach the shin - ing riv - er, Soon our pil - grim - age will cease;

The piano accompaniment consists of a treble staff and a bass staff. The treble staff has chords C, G, and G<sup>7</sup> above it. The bass staff provides a simple accompaniment with eighth and quarter notes. The page number 5 is located at the bottom left of the page.

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With its crys - tal tide for - ev - er Flow-ing by the throne of God?  
 We will walk and wor - ship ev - er, All the hap - py gold - en day.  
 Grace our spir - its will de - liv - er, And pro - vide a robe and crown.  
 Soon our hap - py hearts will quiv - er With the mel - o - dy of peace.

C G G<sup>7</sup> C

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**CHORUS**

Yes, we'll gath - er at the riv - er, The beau - ti - ful, the beau - ti - ful riv - er;

F C G<sup>7</sup> C

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Gath - er with the saints at the riv - er That flows by the throne of God.

F C G G<sup>7</sup>

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REPEAT to Verse

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C

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TURNAROUND to Verse

God.

TURNAROUND to Verse

C F C G G<sup>7</sup> C

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ENDING

God.

ENDING

C

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