

Rescue the Perishing

In Memory of Prashanth Suppogu,
Friend and Fellow Minister for Christ

Music: William Doane

Lyrics: Fanny Crosby

Arranged by Jeff Howard

Andante (♩ = 85 - 90)

The musical score is written for voice and piano. It begins with a piano introduction in 4/4 time, marked *mp* and *Andante*. The piano part features a steady eighth-note accompaniment in the bass and a more active melody in the treble. The introduction concludes with a *rit.* (ritardando) and a final chord. The vocal line begins at measure 5 with the lyrics: "Res - cue the per-ish-ing, care for the dy - ing, Snatch them in pi - ty from sin and the grave;". The piano accompaniment continues with the same eighth-note pattern. At measure 9, the tempo changes to *a tempo*. The vocal line continues with the lyrics: "Weep o'er the err-ing one, lift up the fall - en, Tell them of Je - sus, the migh - ty to". The piano accompaniment remains consistent, with some dynamic markings like *mp* and *rit.* throughout. The score ends with a final chord in 4/4 time.

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13 save. _____ rit.

17 *mf* a tempo

Though they are sligh-ting Him, still He is wait-ing, Wait-ing the pen - i-tent child to re-ceive;

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Plead with them earn-es-tly, plead with them gent - ly; He will for-give those that trust and be-

25

lieve. _____ Re - scue the per - ish - ing, care for the

25 *slightly faster*

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dy - ing, Je - sus is mer - ci - ful, Je - sus will

33

save.

a tempo

33

37

p

Down in the hu-man heart, crushed by the tempt-er, Feel-ings lie bur-ied that grace can re-store;

37

rubato

p

37

41

Touched by a lov-ing heart, wa-kened by kind-ness, Chords that were bro-ken will vi-brate once

41

4
45

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mf

more. Re - scue the per - ish-ing, care for the dy - ing,

50

slightly faster

Je - sus is mer-ci-ful, Je - sus will save.

55

Re-scue the per-ish-ing, du - ty de-mands it; Strength for thy la - bor the Lord will pro-vide;

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Back to the narr-ow way pa - tient-ly win them; Tell the poor wand - 'rer a Sa - vior has

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63

died. Re - scue the per - ish-ing, care for the

68

dy - ing, Re - scue the per - ish-ing, care for the dy - ing,

73

mp Je - sus is mer-ci-ful, *f* Je - sus will save.

a tempo *rit.* *rall.* *a tempo*

79

rit.