

How Great the Wisdom and the Love

SSA Version

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poco rubato ♩ = 64

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How great the wis - dom and the love That filled the courts on
By strict o - be - dience Je - sus won The prize with glo - ry
How great, how glo - rious, how com plete, Re dem ption's grand de

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high And sent the Sa - vior from a - bove to
rife: "Thy will, O God, not mine be done," A -
sign, Where jus - tice, love, and mer - cy meet In

suf - fer, bleed, and die! His pre - cious blood he
dorned his mor - tal life. He marked the path and
har - mo - ny di - vine! In me - mory of the

free - ly spilt; His life - he free - ly gave, A
led the way, And e - very point de - fines To
bro - ken flesh We eat the bro - ken bread; And

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sin - less sac - ri - fice for guilt, A dy - ing world to save.
 light and life and end - less day Where God's full pre - sence shines.
 wit - ness with the cup a - fresh Our faith in — Christ, our Head.

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Editorial Note:

This score intentionally avoids written dynamic markings. Expressive elements will vary based on the size and type of each performance group. Each verse should be different in expression in order to convey the text.

The piano part follows the voices closely. If desired, it may be omitted for the last verse, or not used at all.