

And the Word Became Flesh

for

Choir, Oboe and Organ

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John 1: 14, 16 (RSV)

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Oboe *Expressively* $\text{♩} = 80-84$
p

12 (SA) *mp*
And the Word be - came flesh — and dwelt a - mong us

12 (TB)

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p

full of grace and truth

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23

slightly faster ($\text{♩} = 90$)

piu f

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29 *decclamatory*

We have be - held his glo - ry,

29 *f*

We have be -

36 *piu f*

be - held his glo ry,

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held his glo - ry,

42

piu f

Glo - ry, glo - ry, glo - ry as

piu f

47

broaden *Majestically* *ff*

of the on - ly Son from the Fa - ther, The glo - ry as of the on - ly

broaden *ff*

broaden *ff*

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Son from the Fa ther.

ff *piu f*

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60

mf

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mf

And from his ful - ness,

mf

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gradually softer and slower

mf

60

67

mp Expressively

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And from his ful - ness have we all re -

mp

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86

Word be - came flesh and dwelt a - mong us

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full of grace and truth.

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soft 32' SDG