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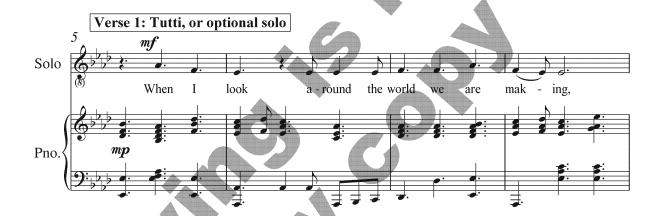
## I Will Walk This Way

for Solo Voice, SATB Chorus, and Piano

Words by Ken Berg and Michael Berg

Music by Ken Berg







Also available: Solo Treble Voice, Two-part Treble Chorus, and Piano—1.3551 Solo Male Voice, Three-part Male Chorus, and Piano—1.3552





















The soloist is at liberty to double the melody, or to ad lib. appropriately through the end.







Darren Dailey has been shaping The Jacksonville Children's Chorus into a world-class organization since 2006. Under his leadership, The Chorus has grown to serve over 500 First Coast children annually with seven choirs, multiple rehearsal locations, and outreach throughout Northeast Florida. He has introduced Chorus singers and audiences to renowned guest artists like Kristin Chenoweth and Amy Grant, and he has broadened The Chorus' opportunities to include performance tours in Canada, Germany, Estonia, Russia, Sweden, Italy, Greece, and Ireland.

Mr. Dailey has served as guest conductor in Carnegie Hall, Avery Fisher Hall at Lincoln Center and for All-State Honor Choirs. As the founding artistic director of the Boston Children's Chorus, Mr. Dailey and his chorus performed at the 2004 Democratic Convention, appeared as the host chorus on the television special, "Raising the Roof: A Celebration of the Life of Martin Luther King, Jr. in Song," broadcast nationally on WGN, and performed internationally in Japan.

Mr. Dailey received a Bachelor of Music Education degree with a concentration in Voice from Westminster Choir College and a Master of Music Education in Choral Conducting from Appalachian State University's Hayes School of Music.

The Jacksonville Children's Chorus is a not-for-profit community resource focusing on music education, appreciation and performance opportunities for children living in and around the Northeast Florida Region. Founded in 1995 at Jacksonville University with 16 voices, the list of the Chorus' music education initiatives continues to grow in order to meet the needs of the community's children.

The Chorus' program impacts hundreds of area children annually from a diversity of racial, religious and socioeconomic backgrounds. The performance choir program draws its membership from five counties and currently represents more than 180 schools. Seven choir levels provide music and enrichment opportunities to meet the individual needs of singers, and more than 500 children participated last year. Approximately 35% of the membership receives scholarship support.

The Jacksonville Children's Chorus has evolved into a multifaceted community music program providing the social and cognitive rewards of vocal music and choral participation to area children. Beyond the performance choir program, The Chorus reaches out to the community through a variety of programs, including weekly Vocal Exploration music classes and the First Coast Honors Choir Festival for area 4th–6th grade singers who are nominated and recognized by their teachers for their talent, hard work and dedication.

The mission of The Jacksonville Children's Chorus is to provide high-quality choral music education for children of diverse backgrounds, fostering teamwork, self-discipline, accomplishment and pride while filling an important cultural need in the community and sharing the beauty of the choral art form through artistically excellent performances.



