

for Diane Simons and the South Bay Children's Choir, El Camino College, Torrance, California

The Bells

for S.S.A. voices, piano and handbells

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Moderately ♩ = 98-112

HANDBELLS

PIANO

5

ALL VOICES UNISON

mf un poco marcato

Hear the sled - ges with the bells —

9 SK *LV*

S *legato*
Sil - ver bells! What a world of

A *legato*
Sil - ver bells! What a world of

14

S *crisply*
mer-ri-ment their mel-o-dy fore - tells!

A *crisply*
mer-ri-ment their mel-o-dy fore - tells!

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SK *~~~~~* LV SK *~~~~~*

S1 How they tin - kle, tin - kle, tin - kle, in the i - cy air of

S2 How they tin - kle, tin - kle, tin - kle, in the i - cy air of

A How they tin - kle, tin - kle, tin - kle, in the i - cy air of

23 *LV* SK *~~~~~* LV

S1 night! While the stars that o - ver - sprin - kle All the

S2 night! While the stars that o - ver - sprin - kle All the

A night! While the stars that o - ver - sprin - kle All the

23

27 SK *~~~~~* LV

mp un poco marcato

S1 heav - ens, seem to twin - kle, twin - kle, twin - kle with a

mp un poco marcato

S2 heav - ens, seem to twin - kle, twin - kle, twin - kle with a

mp un poco marcato

A heav - ens, seem to twin - kle, twin - kle, twin - kle with a

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S1 crys - tal-line de - light; _____ *f* Keep - ing

S2 crys - tal-line, a crys - tal-line, a crys - tal-line de-light; *f* Keep-ing

A crys - tal-line, a crys - tal-line, a crys - tal-line de-light; *f* Keep-ing

31 *b*¹ *b*³ *b*⁴