

Jesu! The very thought is sweet.

St Bernard of Clairvaux (1091 - 1153)

Piae Cantiones - Charles Wood

trans J M Neale Adagio

Soprano *p* Je - su! *mp* the ve - ry thought is

Alto *mp* Je - su! the ve - ry thought is

Tenor *p* Je - su! *mp* the ve - ry thought is

Bass *p* Je - su! *mp* the ve - ry thought is

5 sweet; In that dear name *p* *mf*

sweet, is sweet, is sweet; in that *mf* dear

sweet, is sweet, is sweet; In that dear

sweet is sweet; In that dear

9 all heart - joys meet. No word is *mp*

Name all heart - joys meet. No word is *mp*

Name all heart - joys meet. No word is *mp*

Name all heart - joys meet. No word is *mp*

13

sung more sweet than this, No sound is heard more

sung more sweet than this, No sound is heard more

8 sung more sweet than this, No sound is heard more

sung more swwet than this, No sound is heard more

p

17

full of bliss, Than Je - sus, Je - - -

full of bliss, Than Je - sus, Je - - -

8 full of bliss, Than Je - sus, Je - - -

full of bliss, Than Je - sus, Je - - -

mf *f*

21

- - sus, Son of God most high.

- - sus, Son of God most high.

8 - - sus, Son of God most high.

- - sus, Son of God most high.

p *dim e rall* *pp*

pp

pp

pp

pp

dim e rall