

For Teddy Guarrant

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In Bright Mansions Above

For SSA Chorus and Piano

Spiritual

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Larghetto $\text{♩} = 80$

solo or tutti *mp*

The musical score consists of three staves: Soprano 1, Soprano 2, and Alto. The key signature is C minor (one flat). The tempo is Larghetto ($\text{♩} = 80$). The vocal parts sing in unison. The lyrics are: "In bright man-sions a-bove, in bright man-sions a-bove, Lord, I". The first two measures are marked "solo or tutti *mp*". The third measure is a rest. The fourth measure continues the melody.

The musical score continues with three staves: Soprano 1, Soprano 2, and Alto. The key signature changes to A minor (no sharps or flats). The tempo remains Larghetto. The vocal parts sing in unison. The lyrics are: "want to live up yon-der in bright man-sions a-bove. My moth-er's gone to glo-ry. I". The first two measures are marked "tutti". The third measure is marked "tutti *p*". The fourth measure continues the melody.

The musical score continues with three staves: Soprano 1, Soprano 2, and Alto. The key signature changes back to C minor (one flat). The tempo remains Larghetto. The vocal parts sing in unison. The lyrics are: "want to go there too. Lord, I want to live up yon-der in bright man-sions a-bove. In bright". The first two measures are marked "mp". The third measure is marked "mf". The fourth measure continues the melody.

2 [10]

man - sions a - bove, ____ in bright man - sions a - bove, Lord, I want to live up yon - der in bright
 man - sions a - bove, ____ in bright man - sions a - bove, Lord, I want to live up yon - der in bright
 man - sions a - bove, ____ in bright man - sions a - bove, Lord, I want to live up yon - der in bright

[13]

man - sions a - bove. Oo

man - sions a - bove. Oo

man - sions a - bove. My fa - ther's gone to glo - ry, I want to go there too. Lord, I

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in bright man - sions a - bove. In bright man - sions a - bove, ____ in bright
 in bright man - sions a - bove. In bright man - sions a - bove, ____ in bright

want to live up yon - der, in bright man - sions a - bove. In bright man - sions a - bove, ____ in bright

[19]

man - sions a - bove, Lord, I want to live up yon - der in bright man - sions a - bove. My
 man - sions a - bove, Lord, I want to live up yon - der in bright man - sions a - bove.

man - sions a - bove, Lord, I want to live up yon - der in bright man - sions a - bove.

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sis - ter's gone to glo - ry, I want to go there too. Lord, I want to live up yon - der, in bright
Oo _____ in bright
Oo _____ in bright

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man - sions a - bove. In bright man - sions a - bove, in bright man - sions a - bove, Lord, I
man - sions a - bove. In bright man - sions a - bove, in bright man - sions a - bove, Lord, I
man - sions a - bove. In bright man - sions a - bove, in bright man - sions a - bove, Lord, I

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allargando

want to live up yon - der in bright man - sions a - bove.
want to live up yon - der in bright man - sions a - bove.
want to live up yon - der in bright man - sions a - bove.