

Election 2020 version
Composed to keep us calm, with courage, for November 2020

Peace Like a River

for Solo Voice or Treble Duet and Piano

Traditional

Gwyneth Walker

At a moderate, flowing tempo ♩ = 120

Voice

p

I've got

At a moderate, flowing tempo ♩ = 120

Piano

p gently

with pedal

VERSE 1

5 "peace like a river"

peace like a riv - er, — I've got peace like a riv - er, — I've got

9 [sing either part]

peace like a riv - er — in my soul. — I've got

13

peace like a riv - er, I've got peace like a riv - er, I've got

17

peace like a riv - er in my soul.

21

VERSE 2

mf "pain like an arrow"

I've got pain like an ar - row, I've got

25

pain — like an ar - row, — I've got pain like an ar - row — in my

29

soul. — I've got pain like an ar - row, — I've got

33

pain — like an ar - row, — I've got pain like an ar - row — in — my

37

soul. _____ I've got

VERSE 3

41 *"strength like a mountain"*

strength like a moun-tain, I've got strength like a moun-tain, I've got

with strength

simile

45

strength like a moun-tain in my soul. _____ I've got

49

strength like a moun-tain, - I've got strength like a moun-tain, - I've got

53

strength like a moun-tain_ in_ my soul.

57

flowing like a fountain

VERSE 4

61

"joy like a fountain"

I've got joy like a foun-tain, - I've got

65

joy — like a foun-tain, — I've got joy like a

68

foun-tain — in my soul. — I've got joy like a

72

foun-tain, — I've got joy — like a foun-tain, — I've got

75

joy — like — a foun-tain — in my soul. —

VERSE 5

"I've got determination"

[opt. foot stomp]

79

f

I've got de - ter - mi - na - tion, I've got

f determined

83

de - ter - mi - na - tion, I've got de - ter - mi - na - tion in my

87

soul. I've got strength like a moun - tain, I've got

91 *p*

joy like a foun-tain, I've got peace like a riv-er in my

95 *rit.*

soul,

99 *Slower* *rit.*

peace like a riv-er in my soul.

Slower
play only if needed to support voice(s) - - - - -

(Ped.)