

O Glorious Saint Joseph

Dedicated, with love, to my father,

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EDWARDSVILLE

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♩ = 96

Descant

6. A - rise, O Jo - seph, A - rise to -

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A

1. O glo - ri - ous Saint Jo - seph, How great your soul, how
 2. How peer - less was that Mai - den, Our Ga - li - le - an
 3. At Beth - le - hem your lan - tern Met God with - in the
 4. And now you stand in friend - ship With vast an - ge - lic
 5. When lure of clan is ri - sing, When we are weak with
 6. A - rise, O migh - ty Jo - seph, A - rise for us to -

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B

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Descant

day; Your Church de - fend, good man, good friend, and

strong; In toil and dust how wise and just, how
 Queen! For her your heart was set a - part in
 straw; In E - gypt's flight, in anx - ious night, a
 throngs, For still the fight for love and light to
 sin, When those un - born meet scythe and scorn, when
 day; Your Church de - fend, good man, good friend, and

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Descant

in your kind - ness pray That this your house may
 true to God your song; Ob - ser - vant of His
 chas - ti - ty se - rene; And when her ve - ry
 fa - ther's life you saw, A life of stal - wart
 Hea - ven's realm be - longs; O how you frigh - ten
 de - mons taunt with - in, Your arms are quick to
 in your kind - ness pray That this your house may

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Descant

flou - rish And wor - thi - ly may laud The Ho - ly
 To - rah, You knew His pre - cious grace, And saw His light in
 bo - dy Cast doubt u - pon her word, An an - gel came to
 good - ness And qui - et sa - cri - fice; At fi - nal breath, a
 Sa - tan! No e - vil can he do When you a - rise to
 seize us And raise us high to greet The Rose in bloom at
 flou - rish And wor - thi - ly may laud The Ho - ly Name the

Descant

Musical staff with treble clef, key signature of two sharps (F# and C#), and a descant melody. The melody consists of eighth and quarter notes with some slurs.

Name_____ Of_____ Je - sus, Son___ of God!

Musical staff with treble clef, key signature of two sharps, and a descant melody. The melody consists of eighth and quarter notes with some slurs.

ten - der___ bright - ness___ of Our La - dy's face.
 guard her___ name, that___ you might guard our Lord.
 ho - ly___ death was___ yours with Je - sus Christ.
 heed the___ cries of___ those who ho - nor you.
 our true___ Home, Our___ La - dy, fair and sweet.
 skies pro - claim Of___ Je - sus, Son of God!

Musical staff with bass clef, key signature of two sharps, and a descant melody. The melody consists of quarter and eighth notes.