

Dedicated to my friends at the Butler Showchoir Showcase,  
Butler Community College, El Dorado, Kansas,  
Valerie Lippoldt Mack, Director

## WHY WE SING

for 2-part voices, accompanied\*

Words and Music by  
GREG GILPIN (ASCAP)

Simply, with feeling (♩ = ca. 63)

8<sup>va</sup>-----

ACCOMP. *pp*

3 (8<sup>va</sup>)-----

*p*

7 *poco rit.* SOLO or a few voices *p* 10 *a tempo*

A sound of hope, -

*poco rit.* 10 *a tempo*  
F

Performance time: approx. 3:33

\*Available: SATB (A 2239); SSAA (B 0631); TTBB (C 0339); SAB (D 0670); 2-part (E 0538);  
StudioTrax CD (CD0261); Parts for Fl., Ob., Cl., A. Sax., T. Sax., 2 Hns., 2 Tpts., 2 Tbns., Perc.,  
Hp., Master Rhythm, 2 Vlns., Vla., Vc., Db. (LB0431).

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a sound of peace, \_ a sound that cel - e - brates and

Gm7 F/A Bb F/C

15

speaks what we be - lieve. \_ A sound of love, \_

Gm7 Fsus/C C7/Bb F/A

19

a sound so strong. It's a - maz - ing what is giv-

Bb F/C Dm7 Bb2