

You Will Draw Water Joyfully

Responsorial Song from Isaiah 12 for Reading 5, Easter Vigil

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The image shows a single line of musical notation on a five-line staff with a treble clef and a 7/4 time signature. The melody consists of eighth and quarter notes. Below the staff, the lyrics are written: "You will draw wa - ter joy - ful - ly from the moun - tain of liv - ing wa - ter." The word "water" is split across two lines: "wa - ter" on the first line and "ter." on the second line.

I sing the news of Life among us,
so be confident and have no fear!

In that Name find your strength and courage,
and come with us to the living water.

In joyful song, we now draw water
from the spring of new life,
in thanksgiving for the One Who promised
to lead us safely to land of bounty.

Sing out for joy, and raise the waters,
for no evil shall come our way.

Dance because of what we see before us,
tell all the world that darkness is over!

Sing of these glorious deeds, you people
and acclaim Justice to the world.
Here is One Who protects the migrant,
Who brings life-giving waters to the stranger.

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