

# On children

Words & music: Gibran & Barnwell

Arr.: T. Krammer

Precise\*, ♩ = 86

Soprano 1  
Soprano 2  
Alto 1  
Alto 2

are not your child-ren They are the  
Your child - ren are not your child-ren They are the  
are not your child-ren They are the  
are not your child-ren They are the

*mf* *mp*  
*Solo* *Tutti* *mf* *mp*  
*mf* *mp*  
*mf* *mp*

3  
sons and the daugh-ters of life's long-ing for it-self They come through you but they are not from-  
sons and the daugh-ters of life's long-ing for it-self They come through you but they are not from-  
sons and the daugh-ters of life's long-ing for it-self They come through you but they are not from-  
sons and the daugh-ters of life's long-ing for it-self They come through you but they are not from-

*mf* *mp*

6  
- you And though they are with you They be-long not to you You can  
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*p* *p* *p* *p*

\* Sing strong word accents throughout even if they do not coincide with beats