

# On That Night

*For SATB choir and organ*



*Music by Liz Lane*

*Words by Jennifer Henderson*

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On that night the world was waiting . . .  
In the secret heart of Earth,  
time suspended, hibernating  
life preparing for new birth.

On that night the darkness covered  
barren fields and leafless trees,  
while an icy finger hovered  
over waiting lands and seas.

On that night the stars were keeping  
silent watch above the world,  
waiting while the Earth was sleeping,  
in the grip of winter held.

On this day awake with gladness!  
Rise and sing this happy dawn!  
Joy has come to banish sadness:  
Love to light the world is born.

*Jennifer Henderson*

Duration: 5 minutes

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