



**CHANDOS ANTHEM  
N.1**

**O BE JOYFUL IN THE  
LORD**

**HWV 246**

Musica di  
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**1 – Sonata**

**2 – Tenore e Coro**

O be Joyful in the Lord, all ye lands:

**3 – Coro**

Serve the Lord with gladness,  
and come before  
his presence with a song.

**4 – Duetto: soprano e tenore**

Be ye sure that the Lord he is God:

it is he that has made us,  
and not we ourselves;  
we are his people,  
and the sheep of his pasture.

**5 – Coro**

O go your way into his gates  
with thanksgiving, and into his courts  
with praise: be thankful unto him,  
and speak good of his Name.

**6 – Trio: soprano, tenore, basso**

For the Lord is gracious,  
his mercy is everlasting:  
and his truth endureth  
from generation to generation.

**7 – Coro**

Glory be to the Father,  
Glory be to the Son:  
and the Holy Ghost;

**8 – Coro**

As it was in the beginning,  
it is now, and ever shall be:  
world without end.  
Amen.



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**Arsace**

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