

# Peaceful Bells

for 3 octave handbells

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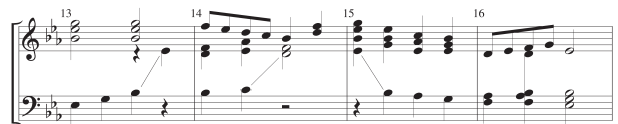
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Handbells used: 24



(♩ = 80)

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### Performance Suggestions:

The director can lengthen this short piece by repeating it. Using both handbells and chimes will add interest the second time.

1. Play the entire piece with chimes; repeat it using handbells.
2. Use handbells the first time; on the repeat alternate chimes and handbells as suggested below:
  - a. Measures 1-8: CHIMES
  - b. Switch to BELLS on beat 4 of measure 8 (the B-5 should be a bell)
  - c. Measures 9-16: HANDBELLS
  - d. Measures 17 to end: CHIMES
3. Play the piece *three* times
 

a. Chimes	a. Bells
b. Bells <i>or</i> b. Chimes	
c. Chimes	c. Bells
4. Play the piece *three* times
  - a. Handbells
  - b. Chimes and handbells as outlined in suggestion #2 above
  - c. Handbells

### SPECIAL NOTE WHEN REPEATING THE PIECE

On the repeat add B5 and E6 to the first chord in measure 1.