

# Composer of All the Music We Hear

TIMBERLAKE

Congregational Hymn

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This hymn images the Divine as a musician, and it celebrates with gratitude the life and work of beloved music professor, Kathyne Timberlake, of Oklahoma Baptist University. It was composed as a gift for her 80<sup>th</sup> birthday.

**Composer of all the music we hear,  
of harmonies rich and melodies clear,  
of rhythm that pulses with tempo and beat,  
your music enlivens our voices and feet.**

**Conductor of all the music we sing,  
your gestures inspire each offering we bring  
of instruments gathered with voices in song.  
Your music enfolds us; to you we belong.**

**Conveyor of all the music we feel  
with power to comfort, strengthen and heal,  
in modes that express deep emotion, we find  
your music engages both spirit and mind.**

**Musician Divine, the gift of your art  
enriches the mind and body and heart,  
enlightens our journey through life with its sound.  
We praise you for music, your gift most profound.**

**-Larry E. Schultz**

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1. Com - pos - er of all the mu - sic we hear, of  
 2. Con - duc - tor of all the mu - sic we sing, Your  
 3. Con - vey - or of all the mu - sic we feel, with  
 4. Mu - si - cian Di - vine, the gift of Your art en -

har - mo - nies rich and mel - o - dies clear, of  
 ges - tures in - spire each of - fering we bring of  
 pow - er to com - fort, strength - en and heal, in  
 rich - es the mind and bod - y and heart, en -

rhy - thm that puls - es with tem - po and beat, Your  
 in - stru - ments gath - ered with voic - es in song. Your  
 modes that ex - press deep e - mo - tion, we find Your  
 light - ens our jour - ney through life with its sound. We

mu - sic en - liv - ens our voic - es and feet.  
 mu - sic en - folds us; to You we be - long.  
 mu - sic en - gag - es both spir - it and mind.  
 praise You for mu - sic, Your gift most pro - found.

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