

Psalm 121 ("I Will Lift Up Mine Eyes Unto the Hills")

for SATB choir with piano accompaniment

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Duration: ca. 4:40

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With great reverence and expression (♩ = ca. 74)

PIANO

mp molto dolce

PNO.

5

PNO.

9

Slight rall.

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A tempo
13 Sop. & Alto mp Very serenely

S./A. I will lift up mine eyes un - to the hills,

13 A tempo
 PNO. *p*

17

S./A. — from whence com - eth my help.

17
 PNO.

21 Tenors (with some baritones, if desired) mp poco cresc.

T. My help com-eth from the

21
 PNO. *mf dolce* *mp poco cresc.*

25 poco cresc.

T. Lord, com-eth from the Lord, which made heav'n and

25
 PNO. *poco cresc.*

29

Sop. & Alto *mp*

S./A. *mf dolce*

T. *mf dolce*

PNO. *mf dolce*

He

earth.

33

S./A. will not suf - fer thy foot to be moved:

T. Tenors (no baritones) *mp*

PNO. *p* *mp*

He

37

S. Slight accel. *p*

A. *p*

T. will not suf - fer thy foot to be moved:

B. Div. *p*

PNO. *mp* *p* Slight accel.

Ah

Ah

Ah

41 Slightly faster (♩ = ca. 76)

mp *mf dolce* *mp* *mf*

S. he that keep-eth thee will not slum - ber. Be -

A. will not slum - ber, will not slum - ber. Be -

T. Ah will not slum - ber, slum - ber. Be -

B. will not slum - ber, slum - ber. Be -

mp *mf dolce* *mp* *mf*

Unis.

41 Slightly faster (♩ = ca. 76)

mp *mf dolce* *mp* *p*

PNO.

45

smoothly *mp* *poco*

S. hold, he that keep-eth Is - ra - el shall nei-ther slum - ber nor

A. hold he that keep-eth Is - ra - el shall nei-ther slum - ber nor

T. hold, - he that keep-eth Is - ra - el shall nei-ther slum - ber nor

B. hold, he that keep-eth Is - ra - el shall nei-ther slum - ber nor

smoothly *mp* *poco*

45

poco *p* *pp*

PNO.

49

S. *p* sleep.

A. *p* sleep.

T. *p* sleep.

B. *p* sleep.

PNO. *p misterioso* *mp*

53 *Slight rit.* **Tempo Primo** (♩ = ca. 74)

S./A. *mf dolce* The Lord is thy

T./B. *mf dolce* *mp* The Lord is thy keep - er: the

PNO. *mf dolce*

57 *mp* *mf*

S./A. keep - er: the Lord is thy shade up - on thy right hand.

T./B. *mf* Lord is thy shade up - on thy right hand, thy right hand.

PNO. *mp* *mf*

61 **Slightly moving ahead** **Slightly faster** ($\text{♩} = \text{ca. } 78$)

S. *f* The sun shall not smite thee by

A. *f* The sun shall not smite thee by

T. *f* The sun shall not smite thee by

B. *f* The sun shall not smite thee by

PNO. *f cantabile*

65 *ff* *mf* *mp*

S. day, nor the moon by night. The Lord shall pre-

A. *ff* *mf* *mp* day, nor the moon by night. The Lord shall pre-

T. *ff* *mf* *mp* day, nor the moon by night. The Lord shall pre-

B. *ff* *mf* *mp* day, nor the moon by night. The Lord shall pre-

65 *mf* *mp* *mp* *p*

PNO.

69 *Poco rall.* *mf* *Più rit.* *f* **Tempo primo** (♩ = ca. 74)

S. serve thee from all e - vil: he shall pre - serve thy

A. serve thee from all e - vil: he shall pre - serve thy

T. serve thee from all e - vil: he shall pre - serve thy

B. serve thee from all e - vil: he shall pre - serve thy

69 *Poco rall.* *mf* *Più rit.* *f* **Tempo primo** (♩ = ca. 74)

forte, but lyrically

PNO.

72 *ff* *f but lyrically*

S. soul! He shall pre -

A. soul! He, he shall pre -

T. soul! He, he shall pre -

B. soul! He, he shall pre -

72 *ff* *f* *mf* *f*

PNO.