

# Lord hear my prayer instantly

Psalm 102:1-2

William Byrd (c.1540-1623)

*Songs of sundrie natures* (London, 1589)

Superius

Tenor

Bassus

Lord hear my pra - yer in - stant - ly, which I be -

Lord hear my pra - yer in - - stant - ly,

Lord hear my pra - yer in - stant -

5 fore thee make, be - fore thee make, and let my cry, and let my

10 which I be - fore thee make, be - fore thee make, and let my cry come un - to thee, and

ly, which I be - fore thee make, and let my cry come

15 cry come un - to thee, do not the same for - sake, do not the same.

let my cry come un - to thee, do not the same for - sake, do not the same for -

un - to thee, do not the same for - sake, for - sake, do not the same for - sake.

20 - for - sake. Turn not a - way thy face from me when trou - bles me op -

- sake, for - sake. Turn not a - way thy face from me

- Turn not a - way thy face from me, turn not a - way thy face from me when

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press, *when trou - bles me op - press, op - press, each day, each*

when trou-bles me\_ op - press, op - press, each day in - cline\_ thine\_ ear to

trou - bles me op - press, each day in - cline thine\_ ear to me

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day in - cline\_ thine\_ ear to me and suc - cour my\_

me in - cline thine ear to\_ me and suc - cour my\_ di - stress, *and suc - cour*

in - cline thine\_ ear to me and suc - cour my di - stress,

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\_ di - stress, and suc - cour my\_ di - stress.

my di - stress, and suc - cour my\_ di - stress, *and suc - cour my di - stress.*

and suc - cour my\_ di - stress, and suc - cour my di - stress.

Lord hear my prayer instantly,  
 which I before thee make,  
 and let my cry come unto thee,  
 do not the same forsake.  
 Turn not away thy face from me  
 when troubles me oppress,  
 each day incline thine ear to me  
 and succour my distress.