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I.

PSALM LXXXVI.

The words of the solos are taken from the authorised version.

The words of the chorus are a metrical version by Joseph Bryan
(1620).

The melody was composed or adapted for this psalm by
L. Bourgeois in the Genevan Psalter (1548).

II.

PSALM CXLVIII.

PARAPHRASE

BY

FRANCIS RALPH GRAY

Melody from Geistliche Kirchengesänge (1628).

The organ part is arranged for brass instruments for performance
out of doors or when an organ is not available.

The brass instruments should not be used as well as the organ
unless the choir is a very large one.

The words may be printed on concert
programmes, provided the names of the Author and
of the publishers (Augener Ltd.) are appended.

I

PSALM LXXXVI

Gustav Holst

Andante mesto

String *p* (*cresc.*) *f* (*dim.*) *p* (*cresc.*)

mf dim.

pp *dim.* *ppp*

1

ALTO

To my humble sup-pli - ca - tion, Lord, give ear and ac-cep - ta - tion;

BASS

To my humble sup-pli - ca - tion, Lord, give ear and ac-cep - ta - tion;

(d) (d) (d) (d) (d) (d)

Printed in England

Save Thy ser-vant, that hath none Help nor hope but Thee a - lone.

Save Thy ser-vant, that hath none Help nor hope but Thee a - lone.

Send, O send re-liev-ing glad-ness To my soul op-prest with sad-ness,

Send, O send re-liev-ing glad-ness To my soul op-prest with sad-ness,

Which, from clog of earth set free, Winged with zeal, flies up to Thee.

Which, from clog of earth set free, Winged with zeal, flies up to Thee.

il basso sempre staccato

2

p legato

4

TENOR SOLO *senza mesura*

Bow down thine ear O Lord, hear me; for I am poor and need - y

SOPRANO *pp*

To my hum-ble sup-pli - ca - tion Lord, give ear and ac-cep - ta - tion

ALTO *pp*

To my hum-ble sup-pli - ca - tion Lord, give ear and ac-cep - ta - tion

TENOR SOLO *senza mesura*

cresc.

Pre-serve my soul for I am ho - ly O thou my God, save Thy ser-vant that trust-eth in Thee

SOPRANO

Save Thy ser-vant that hath none Help nor hope butThee a - lone.

ALTO

Save Thy ser-vant that hath none Help nor hope butThee a - lone.

TENOR

Save Thy ser-vant that hath none Help nor hope butThee a - lone.

Be

TENOR SOLO *senza mesura*

cresc.

mer - ci - ful un - to me O Lord; for I cry un - to Thee dai - ly Re - joice

the soul of Thy ser-vant for un - to thee O Lord do I lift up my soul

TUTTI

Send O send re-liev - ing glad - ness To my soul op-prest with sad - ness,

TUTTI

Send O send re-liev - ing glad - ness To my soul op-prest with sad - ness,

TENOR SOLO

For

dim. senza mesura

pp rall.
Which from

dim. senza mesura

pp rall.
Which from

senza mesura

Thou Lord art good and ready to forgive — And plenteous in

clog of earth set free
clog of earth set free

ad lib.

mer - cy un - to them that call up - on Thee Give ear O

Winged with zeal, flies up to
Winged with zeal, flies up to

a tempo

Lord un - to my prayer — And at - tend to the

Meno mosso

Thee.

Thee.

voice of my sup - pli - ca - tion.

pp

ppp
Meno mosso

* SOPRANO SOLO

ad lib.

I will praise Thee O Lord my God with all my heart

colla voce

and I will glor - i - fy Thy name for e - ver - more

5 TUTTI
Tempo I

To Thee, rich in mer-cies' trea - sure, And in good-ness with - out

To Thee, rich in mer-cies' trea - sure, And in good-ness with - out

To Thee, rich in mer-cies' trea - sure, And in good-ness with - out

To Thee, rich in mer-cies' trea - sure, And in good-ness with - out

Tempo I

The piano part consists of two staves: treble and bass. The treble staff has a dynamic of *f* (fortissimo) and the bass staff has a dynamic of *ff* (fuerzissimo). The piano part provides harmonic support throughout the piece.

* Instead of one voice a few chosen voices may be used if preferred

mea - sure, ne - ver fail-ing help to those Who on Thy sure help re -

mea - sure, ne - ver fail-ing help to those Who on Thy sure help re -

mea - sure, ne - ver fail-ing help to those Who on Thy sure help re -

mea - sure, ne - ver fail-ing help to those Who on Thy sure help re -

sempre ff

pose. Heavenly Tu-tor, of thy kind-ness, Teach my dull-ness, guide my

ff

pose. Heavenly Tu-tor, of thy kind-ness, Teach my dull-ness, guide my

ff

pose. Heavenly Tu-tor, of thy kind-ness, Teach my dull-ness, guide my

ff

pose. Heavenly Tu-tor, of thy kind-ness, Teach my dull-ness, guide my

pesante f

(Organ)

blind - ness, That my steps Thy paths may tread Which to
 blind - ness, That my steps Thy paths may tread Which to
 blind - ness, That my steps Thy paths may tread Which to
 blind - ness, That my steps Thy paths may tread Which to

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end-less bliss do lead.

end-less bliss do lead.

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PSALM CXLVIII

Gustav Holst

Allegro moderato

SOPRANO *mp*

Lord, Who hast made us for thine own, Hear as we sing be-fore Thy

ALTO *mp*

Lord, Who hast made us for thine own, Hear as we sing be-fore Thy

TENOR *mp*

Lord, Who hast made us for thine own, Hear as we sing be-fore Thy

BASS *mp*

Lord, Who hast made us for thine own, Hear as we sing be-fore Thy

throne. Alle - lu - ia, Alle - lu - ia. Ac - cept Thy chil-dren's rev'rent

throne. Alle - lu - ia, Alle - lu - ia. Ac - cept Thy chil-dren's rev'rent

throne. Alle - lu - ia, Alle - lu - ia. Ac - cept Thy chil-dren's rev'rent

throne. Alle - lu - ia, Alle - lu - ia. Ac - cept Thy chil-dren's rev'rent

praise For all Thy won-drous works and ways Alle - lu - ia, Alle -

praise For all Thy won-drous works and ways Alle - lu - ia, Alle -

praise For all Thy won-drous works and ways. Alle - lu - ia, Alle -

praise For all Thy won-drous works and ways. Alle - lu - ia, Alle -

- lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le -
 - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le -
 - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le -
 - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le -

7

pp leggiero

- lu - ia — Al - le - lu - ia — Al - le - lu - ia —

pp leggiero

- lu - ia — Al - le - lu - ia — Al - le - lu - ia —

pp leggiero

- lu - ia — Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu -

Violins *p*

S — — — — Al - le - lu - ia Al - le - lu - ia.

A — — — — Al - le - lu - ia Al - le - lu - ia.

T — — — — ia.

B — — — —

Soprano (S) voice part:

A - ia. Al - le - lu - ia. Al -

A - ia. Al - le - lu - ia -

Al - le - lu - ia.

Tenor (T) voice part:

Al - le - lu - ia.

Piano accompaniment (P) bass line:

Al - le - lu - ia.

Soprano (S) voice part:

- le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le -

A - ia. Al - le - lu - ia -

Al - le - lu - ia -

Al - le - lu -

Tenor (T) voice part:

Al - le - lu - ia -

Piano accompaniment (P) bass line:

Al - le - lu - ia -

Soprano (S) voice part:

- lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia -

A - ia. Al - le - lu - ia -

Tenor (T) voice part:

- ia -

Bass (B) voice part:

TENOR *mf*

BASS *mf*

Waves.

Waves.

8

T
rol - ling in on e - v'ry shore, Pause at His foot - fall and a -

B
rol - ling in on e - v'ry shore, Pause at His foot - fall and a -

T
- dore. Alle - lu - ia, Alle - lu - ia. Ye torrents rush - ing from the

B
- dore. Alle - lu - ia, Alle - lu - ia. Ye torrents rush - ing from the

T
hills, Bless Him Whose hand your foun-tains fills. Alle - lu - ia, Alle -

B
hills, Bless Him Whose hand your foun-tains fills. Alle - lu - ia, Alle -

T
- lu - ia, Alle - lu - ia, Alle - lu - ia, Alle -

B
- lu - ia, Alle - lu - ia, Alle - lu - ia, Alle -

SOPRANO *p*
Earth, e - ver through the power di - vine, Seed - time and har - vest shall be

ALTO *p*
Earth, e - ver through the power di - vine, Seed - time and har - vest shall be

T
- le - lu - ia.

B
- lu - ia.

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S thine. Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia. Sweet flowers that per-fume all the
A

thine. Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia. Sweet flowers that per-fume all the

cresc. poco a poco

S air, Thank Him that He hath made you fair _____ Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le -
A

air, Thank Him that He hath made you fair. _____ Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le -

S Al - le - lu -
- lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - .
A - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - .
- lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - .

9

S - ia

A - ia

ff

BURN, lamps of night, with constant

TENOR

BURN,

BASS ff

BURN, lamps of night, with constant flame,

ORGAN f

ff

Burn, lamps of night, with constant flame, _____ Al - le - lu - .

flame, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia

lamps of night, with constant flame, Al - le - lu - ia, Shine to the honour of His

— Shine to the hon - our of His name. _____

- ia. Burn, lamps of night, with constant flame, _____

Burn, lamps of night, with constant flame, Shine to the hon - our of His name -

name. _____ Shine to the honour of His

— Al - le - lu - - ia _____ Al - le - lu - ia _____

Shine to the hon - our of His name. Thou
 — the hon - our of His name. Al - le -
 name Al - le - lu - ia.
 Thou sun, whom all the lands o -
 sun, whom all the lands o - bey, Re -
 lu - ia. Thou sun, whom all the lands o -
 Thou sun, whom all the lands o - bey,
 - bey, Re - new His praise
 —

- new His praise from day to day, His praise from day to day. Thou
 - bey, Re - new His praise from day to day. Al - le -
 Thou sun, whom all the lands o -
 from day to day Al - le -
 sun, whom all the lands o - bey, Re - new His praise from day to
 - lu - ia. Thou sun, whom all the lands o - bey
 - bey, Al - le - lu - ia
 - lu - ia Al - le - lu - ia
 sun, whom all the lands o -
 sun, whom all the lands o -

day, from day to day _____ Al - le -

— Al - le - lu - - ia Re - new His praise from day to

— Re - new His praise from day to day. _____ Al - le -

— Al - le - lu - - ia _____ Al - le -

- lu - ia _____ Al - le - lu - - ia.

day. _____ Al - le - lu - ia.

- lu - ia _____ Al - le - lu - - ia.

- lu - ia _____ Al - le - lu - - ia.

cresc.

10 10

Largamente

Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia Al - le - lu - ia

Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia Al - le - lu - ia

Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia Al - le - lu - ia

Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia Al - le - lu - ia

Largamente

meno f

Al - le - lu - ia Al - - - le - lu - ia.

Al - le - lu - ia Al - - - le - lu - ia.

Al - le - lu - ia Al - - - le - lu - ia.

Al - le - lu - ia Al - - - le - lu - ia.

f cresc.

fff

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