



Malcolm Hill

(1944 -)

“Hollis”

Evensong

Canticles

For

Alto and Tenor

mj45 1967

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Malcolm Hill was appointed organist and choirmaster at St Mary the Virgin Church, Primrose Hill in north London in 1967. Sunday Services were sung by a choir of boys and men at all 11am Masses, either boys or men at 9.30am Mass and men only at Evensong.

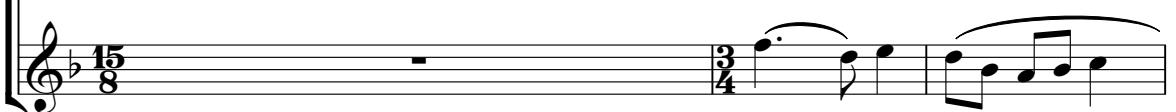
The Australian rector, Howard Hollis, had trained as an organist before ordination, and was deeply interested in English medieval music. He forbade the sounding of the organ during Advent or Lent, except for the giving of notes. He requested this setting of the Magnificat and Nunc Dimittis, initially to be sung by James Jelly (Alto, who later became a priest) and Laurence Pateman (Tenor, a mathematician).

Hollis Magnificat

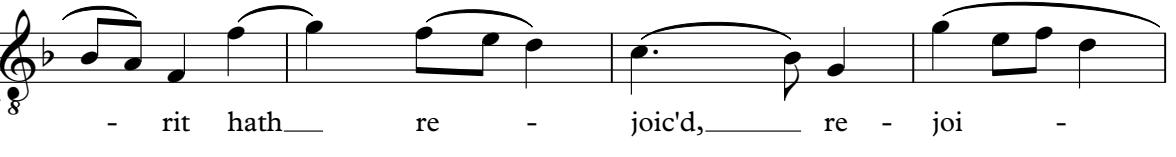
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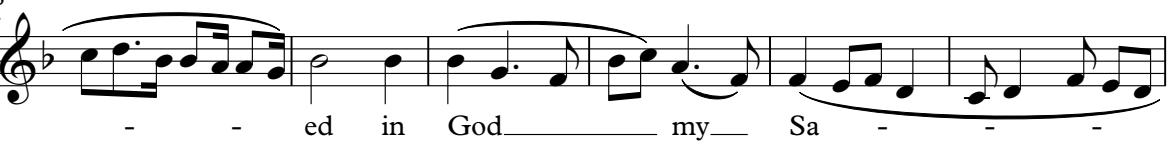
With some references to Tone II ii Solemn.

A.  My soul doth magnify the Lord, And my spi -

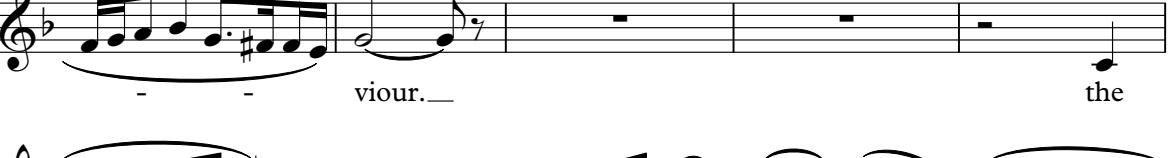
T.  And my spi -

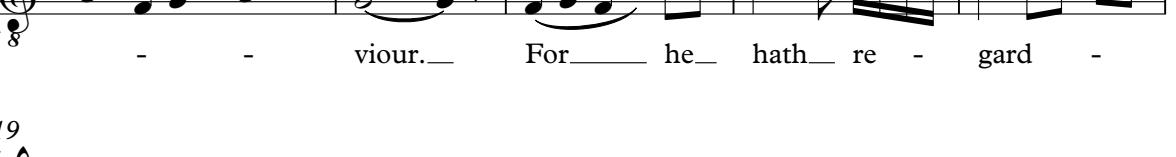
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 - rit hath re joic'd, re joi -

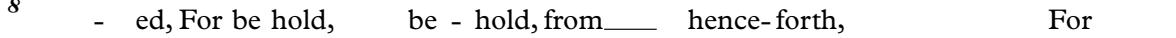
 ed in God my Sa - - -

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 viour. the

 viour. For he hath re - gard -

 low li ness of his hand maid en. All ge-ne-ra-tions shall

 - ed, For be hold, be hold, from hence forth, For

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call me bless - - ed. Hath

he that is migh - - ty

mag - - ni - fi - ed me. And ho - ly

And ho - ly

is his Name. through- out

is his Name. And his mer - cy is on them that fear

all ge-ne - ra-tions. He hath scat -

him. He hath shew - ed strength with his arm

- ter'd the proud in the i - ma - gi-na tion of their

He hath scatter'd the proud in the i - ma - gi-na tion of their

47

hearts.

hearts. He hath put down the migh - - ty from their

51

And hath ex - al - ted the hum - ble and meek.

seat. He hath fil'd the

55

And the rich he hath sent

hun - gry with goodthings, and the rich he hath sent

59

emp - ty a - way, the rich

emp - ty a - way, the rich

62

he hath sent emp - ty a - way. He re -

he hath sent emp - ty a - way. He re -

65

mem - ber ing his mer - cy hath hol - pen his ser -

mem - ber ing his mer - cy hath hol - pen his ser -

68

vant Is - ra-el As he pro - - mis'd to our_

8

vant Is - ra - el to our

72

fore - - fath - ers, A - bra - ham and his_

8

fore - - fa - thers, A - - bra - ham and his

76

seed____ for ev - - er.

seed for____ ev - - er. Glo-ry be____ to__ the

80

and_ to__ the Son

Fa - ther____ and_ to__ the Ho - - ly__

83

as____ it____ was____ and e - ver

Ghost in__ the be gin - ning is____ now____

86

shall____ be A - men.

world with - out_ end. A - men.

Nunc Dimittis

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Lord now let-test thou thy ser-vant de-part in peace ac -

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cord-ing to thy word. For mine eyes have seen

cord-ing to thy word. For mine eyes have seen

thy sal - va - tion which thou hast pre-par'd be -

thy sal - va - tion which thou hast pre-par'd be -

for the face of all peo - ple to be a light to

for the face of all peo - ple to be a light to

light - en the Gen - tiles and to be the

light - en the Gen - tiles and to be the

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100

glo - ry of thy peo - ple Is - ra - el.

glo - ry of thy peo - ple Is - ra - el. Glo - ry

102

and

be to the Fa - ther

104

to the Son

and to the Ho - ly

106

as it was and e - ver

Ghost in the be gin - ning is now

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shall be A - men.

world with - out end. A - men.