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Psalm 46

for baritone solo, chorus, and orchestra

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Very Slow ♩ = 56

Baritone Solo

Sopranos

Altos

Tenors

Basses

Organ
for
rehearsal

The musical score is written for a baritone soloist, a four-part chorus (Sopranos, Altos, Tenors, Basses), and an organ. The piece is in 3/4 time and begins with a tempo marking of "Very Slow" at 56 beats per minute. The organ part starts with a piano (*p*) dynamic and includes a triplet of eighth notes. The score is divided into three systems. The first system covers measures 1 through 5. The second system, starting at measure 6, includes dynamics of *p*, *mf*, and *mp*. The third system, starting at measure 11, includes dynamics of *mf*, *rit. molto*, *ff*, and *a tempo*, and concludes with a *p* dynamic. The organ part features a variety of textures, including arpeggiated chords, sustained chords, and melodic lines.

A

15 *p* God is, God is our *pp sub.* ref - uge and *p* strength,
p God is, God is our *pp sub.* ref - uge and *p* strength,
p God is our *pp sub.* ref - uge and *p* strength,
p God is our *pp sub.* ref - uge and *p* strength,

Piano accompaniment for measures 15-20.

21 *pp sub.* God is our ref - uge and strength, a ver - y pre -
pp sub. God is our ref - uge and strength, a ver - y pre -
pp sub. God is our ref - uge and strength, a ver - y pre -
pp sub. God is our ref - uge and strength, a ver - y pre -

Piano accompaniment for measures 21-26.

B

26 *pp* - sent help in trou - ble. *mp* There - fore we will not

pp - sent help in trou - ble. *mp* There - fore we will not

8 *pp* - sent help in trou - ble. *mp* There - fore we will not

pp - sent help in trou - ble. *mp* There - fore we will not

30 fear, there - fore we will not fear, though the earth be moved,

fear, there - fore we will not fear, though the earth be moved,

fear, there - fore we will not fear, though the earth be moved,

fear, there - fore we will not fear, though the earth be moved,

34 *mf* *f* *ff*

and though the moun - tains fall in - to the midst of the sea;

mf *f* *ff*

and though the moun - tains fall in - to the midst of the sea;

mf *f* *ff*

and though the moun - tains fall in - to the midst of the sea;

mf *f* *ff*

and though the moun - tains fall in - to the midst of the sea;

C

38 *pp* *p* *mp*

Though its wat - ers roar, though its wat - ers roar and be trou - bled,

pp *p* *mp*

Though its wat - ers roar, though its wat - ers roar and be trou - bled,

pp *p* *mp*

Though its wat - ers roar, though its wat - ers roar and be trou - bled,

pp *p* *mp*

Though its wat - ers roar, though its wat - ers roar and be trou - bled,

44

though the moun-tains shake with its swell - ing.

though the moun-tains shake with its swell - ing.

though the moun-tains shake with its swell - ing.

though the moun-tains shake with its swell - ing.

mf *f*

mf *f*

mf *f*

mf *f*

mf *f*

3

49

Baritone solo

p *rit.* *mp*

There, there, there is a riv-er, there is a riv-er,

p subito *rit.* *mp*

rit.

a tempo

whose streams shall make glad the ci - ty of God,

mp there is a riv - er, there

mp there is a riv - er, there

mp there is a riv - er, there

mp there is a riv - er, there

mp there is a riv - er, there

rit.

a tempo

whose streams shall make glad the ci - ty of

is a riv - er,

is a riv - er,

is a riv - er,

is a riv - er,

is a riv - er,

molto rit.

E *a tempo*

67

God, the ho - ly dwell - ing pla - ces of the most High.
ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly.

72

rit.

a tempo

mf

God is in the midst of her; she shall not
ly, there, there, ly, there, there, ly, there, there.

76

rit.

Slower

— be moved: God shall help her when the morn-ing

there, God shall help her when the morn-ing dawns.

God shall help her when the morn-ing dawns.

there, when

when

rit.

p

p

p

p

80

rit.

Accelerando

dawns.

rit.

rit.

rit.

mp

F Fast ♩ = c.144

85 *f*

The na-tions rage,

mf

the king-doms fall, the

mf

The na-tions rage, the na-tions rage,

f *mf*

90 *mp* *f*

the na-tions rage, the king-doms fall, the na-tions rage, the king-doms fall, the

p *f*

king-doms fall, the na-tions rage, the king-doms fall, the na-tions rage, the king-doms fall, the

p *f*

the na-tions rage, the king-doms fall, the na-tions rage, the king-doms fall, the

p

95

na - tions rage, the king - doms fall, the na - tions rage, the king - doms fall, fall, fall, fall, fall, *cresc.*

na - tions rage, the king - doms fall, the na - tions rage, the king - doms fall, na - tions rage, the king - doms fall, na - tions rage, the king - doms fall,

G

99

he lift - ed up_ his voice, he lift - ed up_ his voice, he lift - ed up_ his

fall, fall, fall, fall,

he lift - ed up_ his voice, he lift - ed up_ his

he lift - ed up_ his

104 *cresc.* *rit. molto*

voice, *cresc.* *ff* the earth melt - ed.

he lift - ed up his voice, the earth melt - ed.

voice, he lift - ed up his voice, the earth melt - ed.

voice, he lift - ed up his voice, the earth melt - ed.

cresc. *ff rit. molto*

H Tempo 1 ♩ = 56

109 *mf* *mf* *mf* *mf*

f *ff* *f* *mf* *p*

115

120

p

The Lord of hosts is with us,

p

The Lord of hosts is with us,

p

The Lord of hosts is with us,

p

The Lord of hosts is with us,

rit. molto

subito p a tempo

play manuals only if necessary

124

the Lord of hosts is with us, the God of Ja-cob is our

the Lord of hosts is with us, the God of Ja-cob is our

the Lord of hosts is with us, the God of Ja-cob is our

the Lord of hosts is with us, the God of Ja-cob is our

J **Faster** $\text{♩} = 44$

129

mp

Come, and see the works of the Lord, come, and see the

ref - uge. come,

ref - uge. come,

ref - uge.

ref - uge.

mp

mp

134

works of the Lord, come, and see the works of the Lord,

come, and see,

come, and see,

mp

come, and see, come, and see,

mp

come, and see, come, and see,

139

what de - so - la - tions, what de - so - la - tions, what de - so - la - tions

come, _____

come, _____

cresc.

145

mf he has made _____ in the earth. _____

mf come, _____ and _____ see, _____ *pp* come, and _____

mf come, _____ and _____ see, _____ *pp* come, and _____

mf come, _____ and see, _____ *mp* come, and see, _____

mf come, _____ and see, _____ *mp* come, and see, _____

mf *pp*

K

150

see, He makes wars to cease, to the ends of the earth;

see, He makes wars to cease, to the ends of the earth;

pp come, and see. He makes wars to cease, to the ends of the earth;

pp come, and see. He makes wars to cease, to the ends of the earth;

158

mf and cuts the spear in two,

mf and cuts the spear in two,

mp he breaks the bow, *mf* and cuts the spear in two,

mp he breaks the bow, *mf* and cuts the spear in two,

165

f he burns the char - iot in the fire. *p*

f he burns the char - iot in the fire. *p*

f he burns the char - iot in the fire. *p*

f he burns the char - iot in the fire. *p*

Unmeasured

L Previous tempo $\text{♩} = 44$

170 *ad lib.*

still, be still, be still, and know that I am

pp

pp

175 *mp*

God: _____ I will be _____

181 *mf*

_____ ex - alt - ed a - mong the na - tions, _____ I will be _____

185 *f rit.*

_____ ex - alt - ed in the earth.

189 **M** Slower $\text{♩} = 36$

The Lord of hosts is with us, the Lord of hosts
 The Lord of hosts is with us, the Lord of hosts
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 The Lord of hosts is with us, the Lord of hosts

193 *ff*

The Lord of hosts is with us, the God of Ja -
 is with us, the God of Ja - cob is our_
 is with us, the God of Ja - cob is our_
 is with us, the God of Ja - cob is our_
 is with us, the God of Ja - cob is our_

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-cob is our ref - uge. _____
ref - uge, The Lord of hosts is with us,
ref - uge, The Lord of hosts is with us,
ref - uge, The Lord of hosts is with us,
ref - uge, The Lord of hosts is with us,
ref - uge, The Lord of hosts is with us,
ref - uge, The Lord of hosts is with us,
ref - uge, The Lord of hosts is with us,

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the Lord of hosts is with us, the God of
the Lord of hosts is with us, the God of
the Lord of hosts is with us, the God of
the Lord of hosts is with us, the God of
the Lord of hosts is with us, the God of

205

fff

the God of Ja - cob, the God of Ja - cob is,

Ja - cob is our ref - uge, the God of Ja - cob is our

Ja - cob is our ref - uge, the God of Ja - cob is our

Ja - cob is our ref - uge, the God of Ja - cob is our

Ja - cob is our ref - uge, the God of Ja - cob is our

fff

fff

fff

fff

fff

209

is our, ref - uge, is our ref - uge.

ref - uge, is our ref - uge.

ref - uge, is our ref - uge.

ref - uge, is our ref - uge.

ref - uge, is our ref - uge.

ff

rit. fff