

# PERUSAL SCORE -- it is unlawful to duplicate or perform from this score

Duration c. 3 min.

## We Declare to You

Easter anthem for SATB, organ and 2 Bb trumpets

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**Mysteriously** ♩ = c. 108

Trpts in Bb

con sordino

*p*

Organ

*p*

(play RH only in absence of trumpets)

**Faster** ♩ = 54

S, A

(3+2+3) (3+2+2)

*p* Be - fore the earth be - gan to spin, be - fore the seas be - gan to churn,

T, B

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9 (3+2+3) *mf*

S, A  
T, B

be - fore the small - est crea - ture crawled, You were God. you were God, you were

*mf*

Tempo 1 (♩ = 108)  
(con sordino)

16 *p*

Tpts

S, A  
T, B

*f*

God.

*f*

*p* (play RH only in absence of trumpets)

20  $\text{♩} = 54$

Tpts *p*

S, A *p* (3+2+3) (3+2+2)

When A - dam breathed, when No - ah built, when Sar - ah laughed, when Ruth re - mained,

T, B *p*

24

Tpts *mp* *mf*

S, A (3+2+3) *mf*

when Mo - ses led your peo - ple out, You were God, you were God, you were

T, B *mf*

31 **Tempo 1** (♩ = 108) **Slower** ♩ = 80

Tpts *f* *f* *f* *mf* And

S, A *f* *f* *f* *mf*

T, B *f* *f* *f* *mf* And

God. T, B *mf* And

36 *mf* *mf* to

S, A *mf* Ex - pand your grace to take us in,

T, B now, Cre - a - tor of all life, ex - pand your grace to take us in,

40 hold us close,  
S, A to hold us close, to keep us safe, to  
T, B to hold us close, to hold us close, to keep us safe, to

45 no break  
Tpts *mf*  
S, A chal - lenge us to faith - ful - ness. We are yours, we are yours, we are yours. *f*  
T, B chal - lenge us to faith - ful - ness. We are yours, we are yours, we are yours. *f*

Triumphantly ♩ = 92

50

S, A Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia,  
Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia,  
Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia,  
T, B Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia,

54

Tpts

S, A al - le - lu - ia. *f* Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia,  
al - le - lu - ia. *f* Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia,  
al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia,  
T, B al - le - lu - ia. *f* Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia,

58 *rit. a fine*

Tpts

S, A

T, B

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!

*ff*