THOSE WHO MOURN

from Beatitudes

SATB divisi with Piano

Music by
Patrick Hawes



About the Work

This is the second piece in the *Beatitudes* collection. The key of C major and the relatively straightforward choral writing belie a work of deep meaning and intensity. There is real pathos here, and choirs must sense the importance of the syncopations and the falling piano figurations: these are designed to create the effect of weeping—even sobbing. It is my hope that this piece will be used not only in concert settings, but at funerals and memorial services and will indeed help to "comfort those who mourn."

-Patrick Hawes

Those Who Mourn

Blessed are those who mourn, for they shall be comforted.

-Matthew 5:4

About the Composer

Patrick Hawes is an English composer who has made his mark as a torchbearer of the English musical tradition. He is best known for writing the *Highgrove Suite* for HRH Prince Charles, the Prince of Wales; for being Composer-in-Residence at the UK's largest classical music station —Classic FM, and for the number one album *Angel*. He has written for Voces8, the Choir of New College Oxford, Julian Lloyd Webber, and Hayley Westenra on albums that have all reached number one on the classical charts. Patrick is currently writing for The King's Singers and working his biggest project to date—a choral symphony entitled *The Great War Symphony*—to be premiered in its entirety in the Royal Albert Hall in 2018.

His new album *Revelation*, which features the *Revelation* and *Beatitudes* choral collections published by Walton Music and recorded by The Elora Singers (Canada), will be released in February 2017. For more information, visit patrickhawes.com.

Duration: Approx. 3.00 minutes

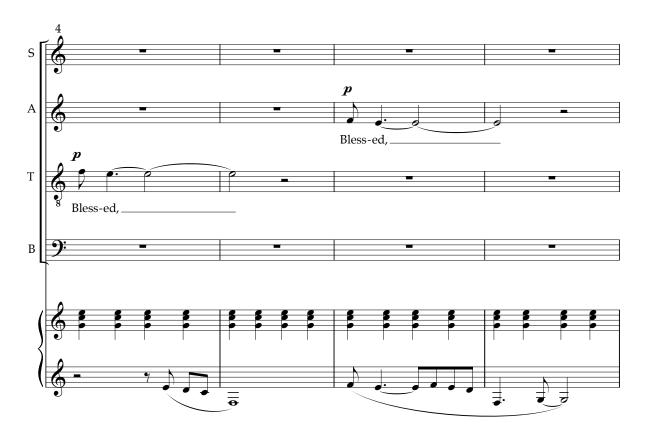
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Movement 2 from *Beatitudes**SATB divisi with Piano

Matthew 5:4

PATRICK HAWES (b. 1958)





^{* &}quot;Those Who Mourn" is the second movement from "Beatitudes" (WW1625).

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Other works by Patrick Hawes

Revelation • SATB divisi WW1624

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Hallelujah • SATB Double Choir WW1644

Worthy Is the Lamb • SATB divisi WW1645

The Pure in Heart • SATB with Piano WW1648



