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Concert Repertoire for TB Choirs

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FOREWORD

Heritage Music Press is very pleased to offer this wonderful resource for TB choirs. Finding quality repertoire that fits the needs of your choir can be challenging. It can be frustrating to find a piece you love only to discover that there are musical passages that feature more divisi than your group is comfortable with or pieces that don't strike the right balance of maturity and accessibility. These wellcrafted choral pieces feature "simply TB" voicings without additional required divisi. Each piece is at a difficulty level that is accessible for younger TB and substantial enough for more experienced choirs looking for quick-learns that are enjoyable to perform.

The writers and pieces featured in this collection represent some of the best of what Heritage Music Press has to offer. Diverse in style, each piece was carefully selected to provide a broad range of programming options to make this collection something you can use for years to come.

Bryan Sharpe, Editor

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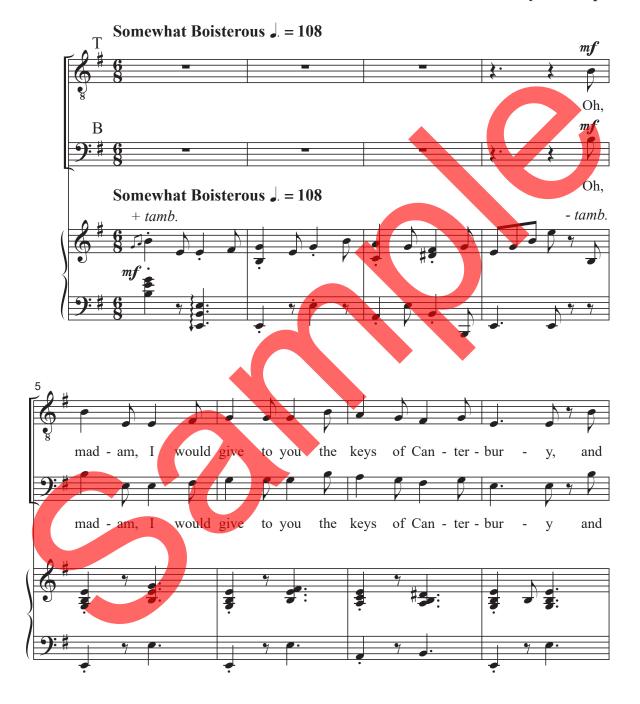
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The Keys to Canterbury

TB and Piano with opt. Percussion

Traditional, alt

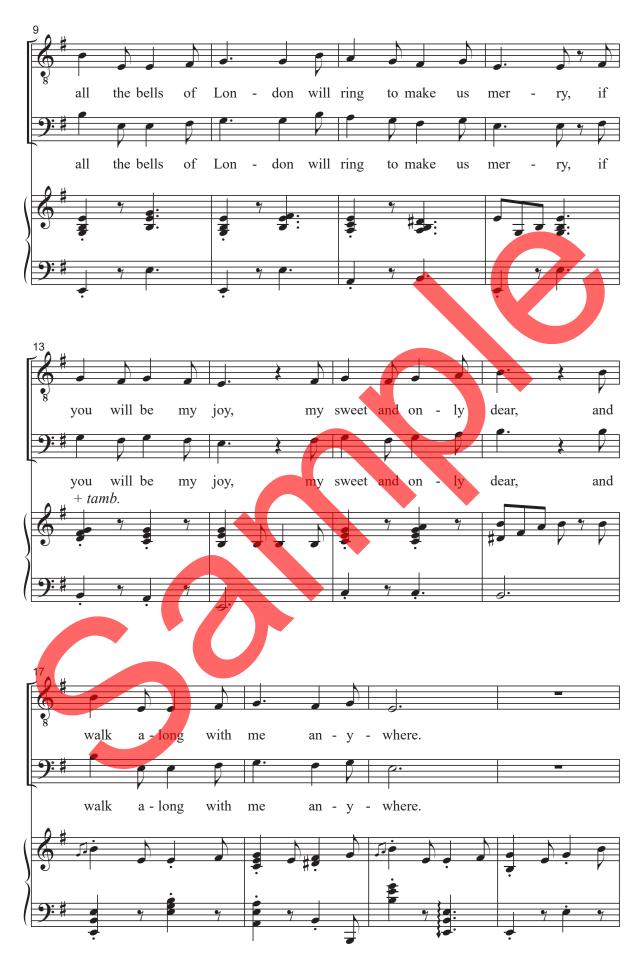
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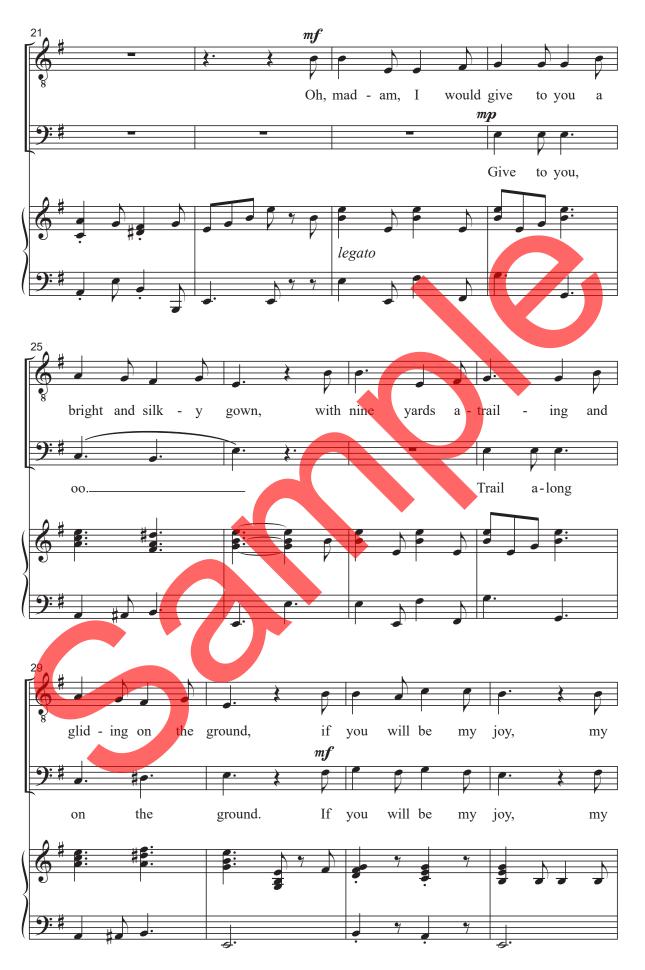


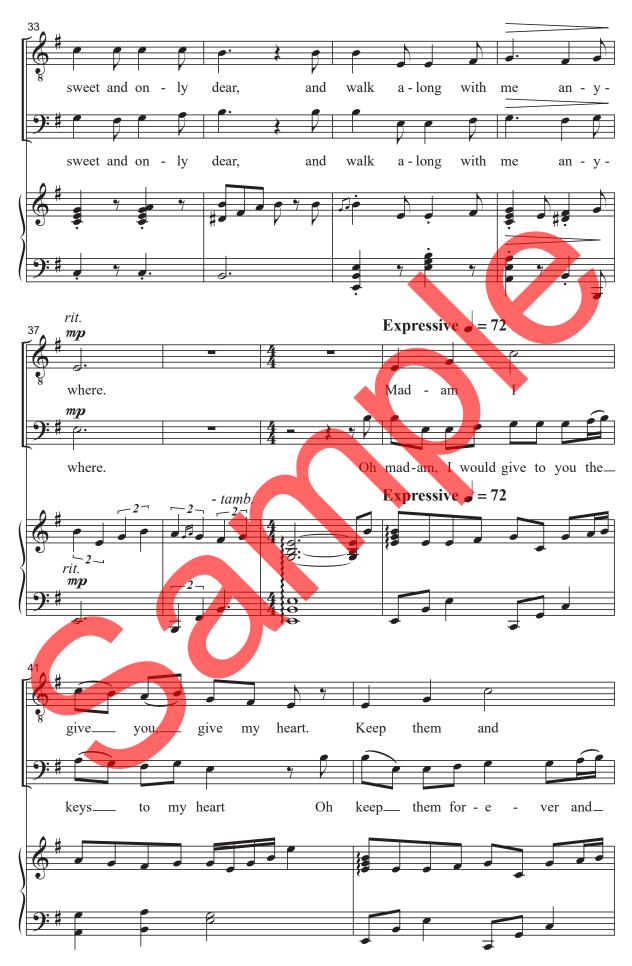
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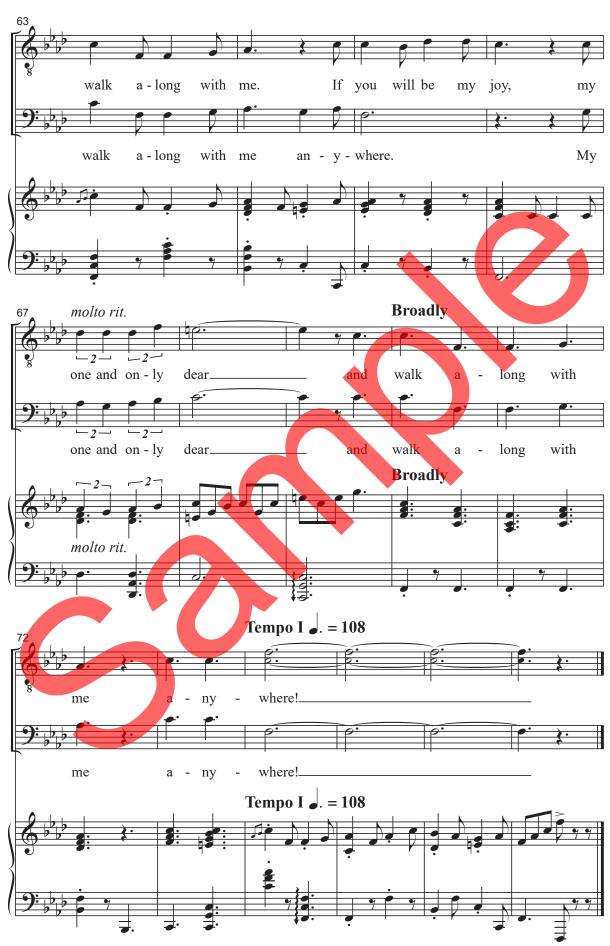
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The Keys to Canterbury

Percussion *Tambourine Triangle*

Arranged by **Bryan Sharpe**

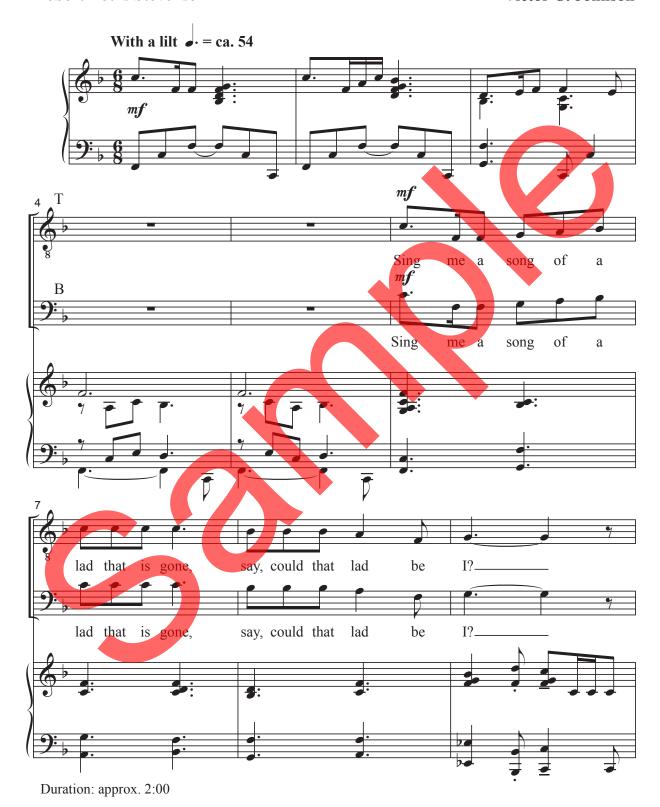


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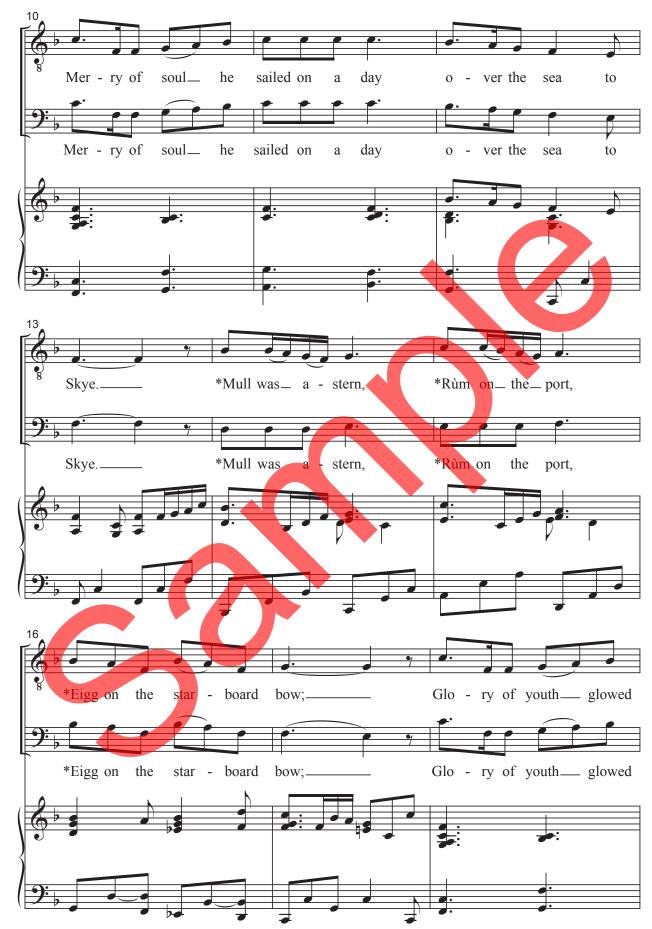
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Robert Louis Stevenson

Victor C. Johnson

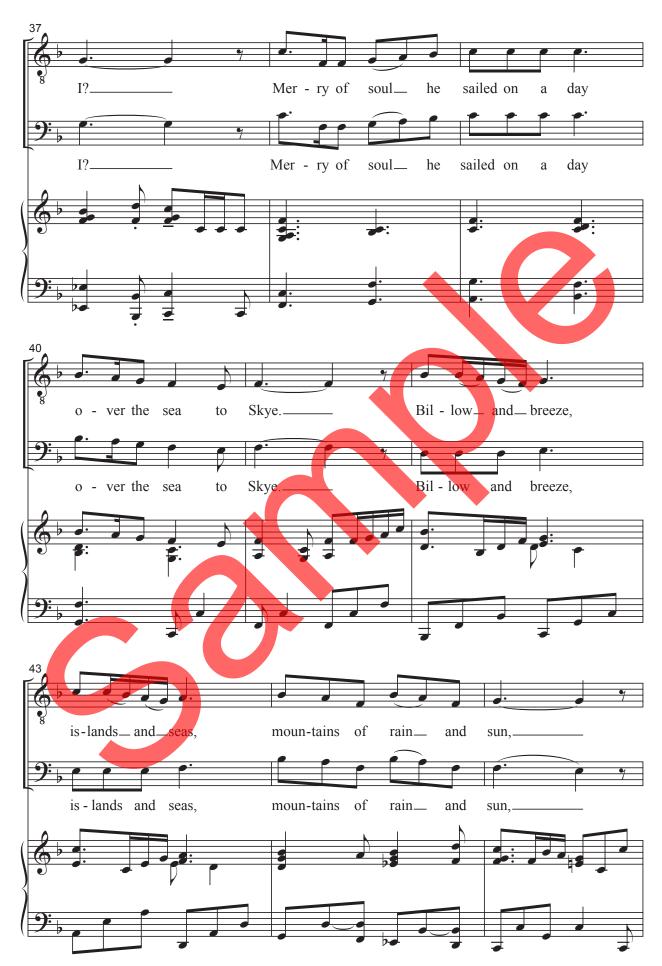


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*Islands of the Scottish Inner Hebrides, close to Skye.







A La Nanita Nana

TB and Piano

English Translation by **Ruth Elaine Schram**with assistance from **Karen Dickey** and **Jim Gerow**

Arranged by **Ruth Elaine Schram** *Traditional Spanish Carol*



Duration: approx. 2:30









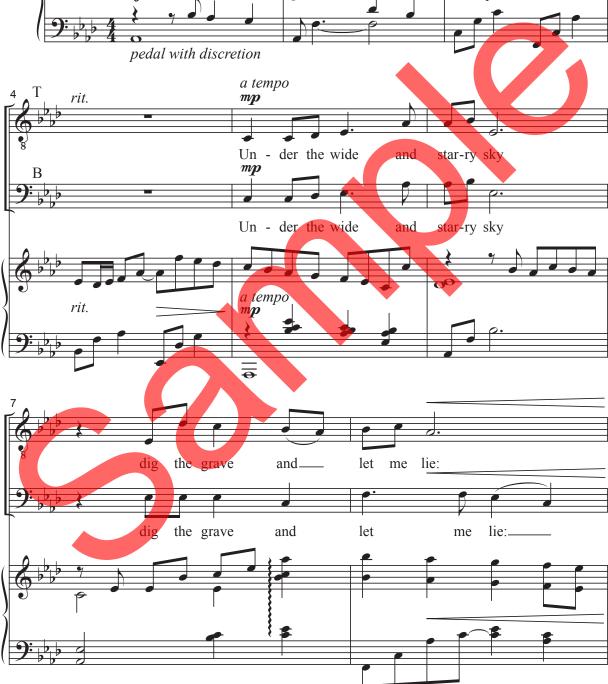




Under the Wide and Starry Sky

TB and Piano

Robert Louis Stevenson Thoughtfully = ca. 56 poco rit. a tempo

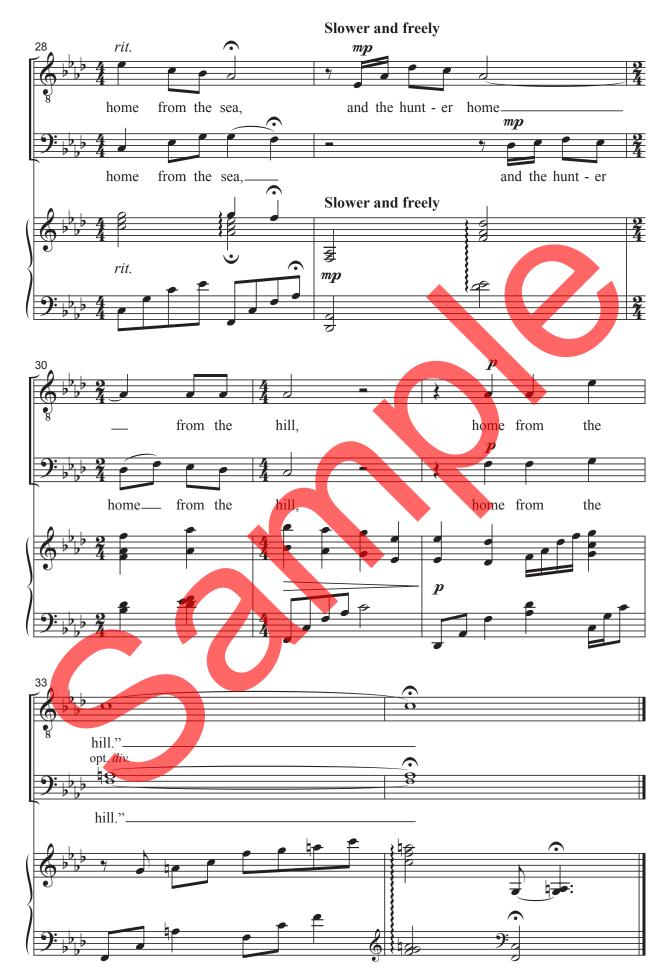


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Laudate Pueri Dominum

Patti Drennan

Pronunciation Guide and Translation

laudatepueridominumlah(oo)-dah-tehpoo-eh-(r)idaw-mee-noompraise the Lord, ye children

laudate nomen domini
lah(oo)-dah-teh naw-mehn daw-mee-nee
praise the name of the Lord

sit nomen domini benedictum
seet naw-mehn daw-mee-nee beh-neh-deek-toom
blessed by the name of the Lord

ekks ohk noonk eht oos-kweh

in saeculum
een seh-coo-loom
from now and forever

excelsus super omnes gentes ehk-chehl-soos soo-pehr awm-nehs jehn-tehs exalted above all nations

super coelos gloria ejus soo-pehr che-lohs glaw-(r)ee-ah eh-yoos His glory is above the heavens

Laudate Pueri Dominum

TB and Piano



Duration: approx. 1:50

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Duct Tape

(Materia Potens et Adhaesiva)

TB (with opt. divisi) and Piano

Words and Music by

Mark Burrows

Narration: Many years ago in a darker time, people lived in chaos. All around them, things seemed to fall apart – clothes ripped, vessels leaked, appliances fell into disrepair. But one day, something amazing was created that changed the world. Was it a strong sword? No! A powerful wand? Don't be ridiculous! A magic ring? Well... sort of...That amazing thing was the first ever roll of...







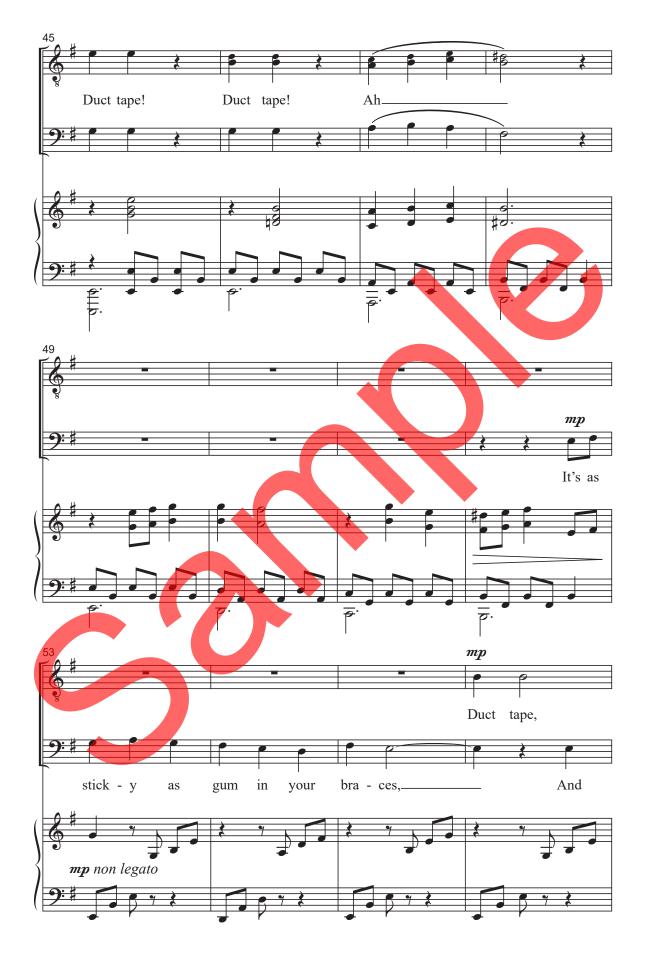
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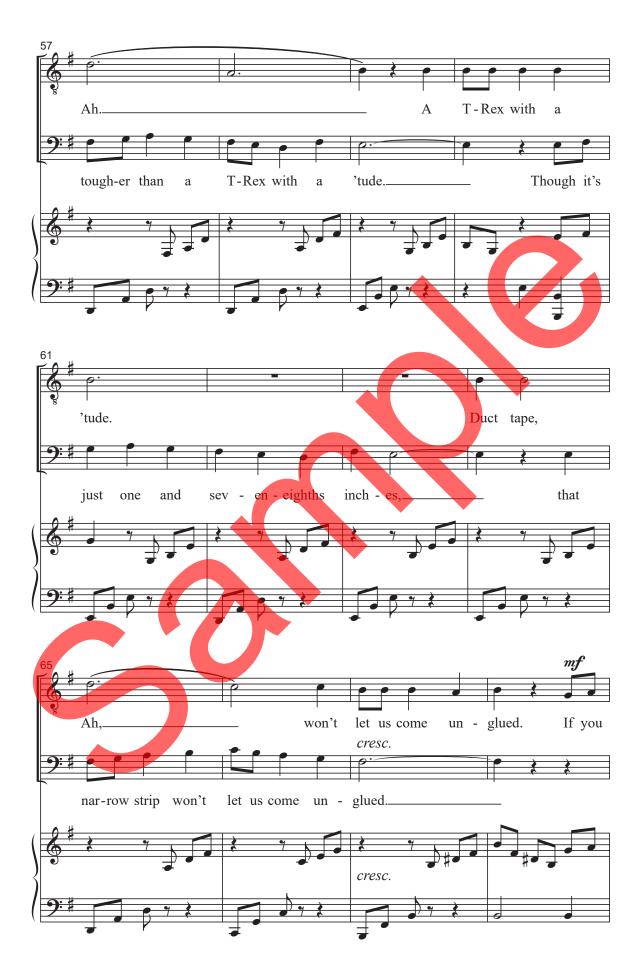
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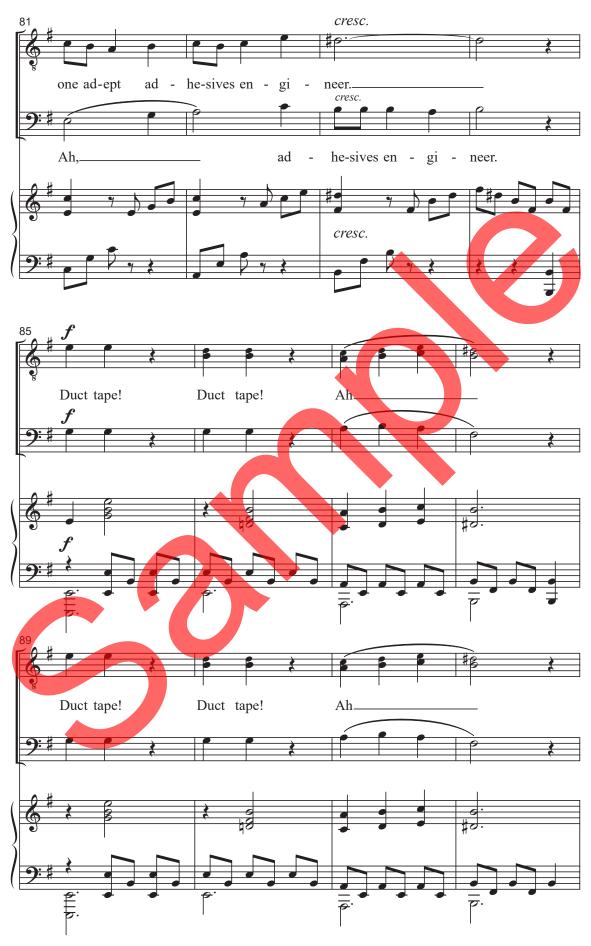




















*O mighty and adhesive material



Mark Burrows



Mark Burrows is a composer, conductor, and educator whose music is published by many major houses. Mark's works are featured on numerous state and festival lists, and he receives multiple commissions each year for groups ranging from children's choirs to adult ensembles to intergenerational festival choirs.

As a conductor and educator, Mark serves as a guest clinician with honor and festival choirs throughout the country. He also leads workshops and reading sessions at several state and national conferences each year.

Mark received his undergraduate degree in music education from Southern Methodist University and his graduate degree in conducting from Texas Christian University. He lives in Fort Worth, Texas with his wife, Nina, and their daughters, Emma and Grace.

Patti Drennan



Patti Drennan earned a Bachelor of Music Education degree at Oklahoma State University and a Masters of Music Education degree at the University of Oklahoma. She taught Choral Music for twenty-eight years in Norman Public Schools, the first twenty years at West Mid-High School, where she was voted "Teacher of the Year", and eight years at Norman High School (OK). In 2004, she was awarded the coveted "Director of Distinction Award" given by OCDA.

An active composer and arranger, Patti has over 700 choral octavos, piano and piano/vocal books published with ten major publishers. She has served

as a clinician for school and church workshops in 22 states and 3 times in Canada. She has been guest director at numerous "Composer Weekends" and has adjudicated choral contests in Oklahoma, Arkansas and Kansas.

Patti retired in 2004 in order to compose and serve as a clinician and reading session presenter for her publishers. She served for ten years as Music and Worship Arts Director at First Baptist Church, Norman. Patti regularly sings with the OKC "Ambassador's Concert Choir" and enjoys spending time recording and performing with her daughter and son-in-law in numerous symphonic performances.

Ruth Elaine Schram



Ruth Elaine Schram wrote her first song at the age of twelve, and her first octavo was published twenty years later, in 1988. In 1992, she became a fulltime composer and arranger and now has over 2,000 published works. Over thirteen million copies of Schram's songs have been purchased in their various venues, and Ruth has been a recipient of the ASCAP Special Award each year since 1990. In addition to Schram's choral music for church and school choirs, her songs appear on thirty albums (four of which have been Dove Award finalists) and numerous children's videos, including sixteen songs on four gold videos, and four songs on one multiplatinum video. Ruthie's songs have also appeared on such diverse television shows

as The 700 Club and HBO's acclaimed series The Sopranos.

Ruthie began piano and theory lessons at the age of five. She studied music at Lancaster Bible College and Millersville State College and taught Elementary Music in Pennsylvania for several years. Schram now lives in Birmingham, Alabama with her husband, Scott, and they have two grown daughters, Crystie and Celsie.

Victor C. Johnson



Victor C. Johnson, a native of Dallas, Texas, is the School Choral Editor for SING!, the educational publishing division of Choristers Guild. A prolific composer and arranger, he has over 350 choral works, vocal solo books, and keyboard collections currently in print.

Mr. Johnson attended the University of Texas at Arlington where he majored in music education with a concentration in organ. While attending UTA, he served as student conductor of the university's choral ensembles and opera workshop accompanist. From 2000-2018, he was the choral director at the Ft. Worth Academy of Fine Arts (FWAFA). At FWAFA, Victor directed the Academy Singers, Academy Men's Choir and was

Artistic Director of the Singing Girls of Texas and Children's Choir of Texas.

Victor is in demand as a guest conductor, adjudicator, and clinician for music educators and students throughout the United States. He has conducted All-State and Regional Honor choirs in Texas, California, Georgia, Oklahoma, Louisiana, Oregon, Missouri, Nebraska, Kansas, Nevada, and Kentucky. His own choirs have performed at the Texas Music Educators Association Convention in 2011 and 2014 as well as the American Choral Directors Association-Southwest Division conference in March, 2016.

Victor currently serves as Minister of Worship and Arts at Shiloh Baptist Church in Plano, Texas, a position he has held since 2007.

His professional affiliations include: American Choral Directors Association, Texas Music Educators Association, National Association for Music Education, Texas Choral Directors Association, ASCAP, and Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia, Inc.

Bryan Sharpe



Bryan Sharpe is a composer and arranger residing in Dayton, OH. Bryan attended Wright State University in Dayton where he earned a degree in music education where he formally studied trombone and participated actively in the choral program. Currently with over 50 choral titles in print for schools and churches, Bryan has worked full-time in the music publishing industry since 2012 and was awarded the *Distinguished Alumni* award from the Wright State School of Music in 2017.

Bryan's background is highly influenced by contemporary a cappella which influences his music. Bryan's compositional style blends modern choral techniques with established choral tradition in his arrangements and

original works. Bryan is an active musician frequently singing and playing in churches, bands, and staged musical productions and has directed numerous a cappella groups at schools in the Dayton area. He is also active in audio production and has recorded, mixed, and produced many projects for a cappella groups and choirs as well as regularly completing commissioned choral arrangements and compositions.

Douglas E. Wagner



Douglas E. Wagner, a native of Chicago, Illinois, is an internationally recognized composer and arranger holding undergraduate and graduate degrees in music from Butler University.

After serving thirty years as a high school music educator and administrator, Mr. Wagner now devotes himself entirely to composition and its allied activities. With more than 3,500 titles published since 1973, including works for choir (school and church), concert band, orchestra, handbell ensemble, organ, piano, and voice, well over seventeen million copies of his music have been sold to date.

Performances of the music of Douglas E. Wagner have been noted in concert halls and on television and radio broadcasts in the United States, as well as on broadcasts and concert programs around the world.

Doug currently resides in Indianapolis, IN with his wife, Sandy.