

This Bitterly Beautiful Land

TWO CHORUSES

Commissioned by The Concert Chorale of Houston

I. I Will Arise

For Mixed Voices S.A.T.B., accompanied, with solo instrument

Words by
JOSEPH HART (1712-1768)

Music from
THE SOUTHERN HARMONY
"Restoration" (1835)

Arranged by
DAVID ASHLEY WHITE

Moderately ($\text{♩} = \text{c. } 52$)

Clarinet
(Violin or
Viola)

mp cantabile

Choir

Organ (Piano)

Cl.

p

mp All voices unison

Come, you sin - ners, - poor and need - y,

p sempre legato

Man.

*If solo instrument is not used, play cues throughout, omitting regular treble accompaniment in those places.

8

Cl. *mp*

mf

weak and wound-ed, sick and sore; Je - sus read - y stands to save - you,

mp

+ Ped.

12

Cl. *mf*

p

full of pit - y, love and pow'r.

15

Cl. *mp*

S *mp*

A *mp*

Come, sin - ners, poor and need - y,

poor and need - y, weak and wound-ed, sick and sore;

15

p

19

S

A

T *mp*
Je - sus read - y stands to save — you,

B *mp*
Je - sus stands to save — you, full of pit - y, —

19

Piano: 8vb —

22

Cl.

S

A

T *mp*
love and pow'r. — *p*

B *p*
love and pow'r. —

22

II. Oh, My Lovin' Brother

Traditional*

Arranged by
DAVID ASHLEY WHITE

Lively (♩ = c. 112)

p *cresc.*

Soprano: Rocks of a - ges.

Alto: Rocks of a - ges, rocks of a - ges

Tenor: Rocks of a - ges, rocks of a - ges,

Bass: Rocks of a - ges, rocks of a - ges, rocks of

Lively (♩ = c. 112)

p *cresc.*

(for rehearsal only)

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3 *ff* *f*

S Rocks of a - ges —

A *div.* *ff* *unis. f*
a - ges. — Rocks of a - ges —

T *div.* *ff* *unis. f*
a - ges. — Rocks of a - ges —

B *ff* *f*
a - ges. — Rocks of a - ges —

6

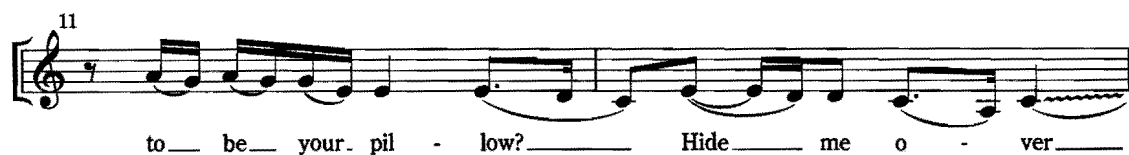
S — cleft — for me.

A *div.* *unis. mf*
— cleft — for me. Oh, my lov - in' broth - er

T *div.*
— cleft — for me.

B — cleft — for me.

6 *mf*



15

S *p* *cresc.* Rocks of a - ges.

A *p* *cresc.* cleft for me. Rocks of a - ges, rocks of a - ges,

T *p* *cresc.* Rocks of a - ges, rocks of a - ges,

B *p* *cresc.* Rocks of a - ges, rocks of a - ges, rocks of

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