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About the piece



Title: I cannot tell why
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Instrumentation: Choir
Style: A cappella
Comment: The arrangement is based on a hymn tune "Londonderry air" Irish tune by John Barnard. This arrangement is modelled after studying the works of Moses Hogan, S. Murphy, Max Jason Ferdinand (Aeolian) and choirs like Nathaniel duett, Aeolian (Oakwood), Atlanta master chorale, take 6.

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Arr. Richard Adedolapo-Aremu

mf cantabile

Soprano

Oo, _____

Alto

mf

Oo, _____

Tenor

mf

Oo, _____

Bass

mf

Oo, _____

Andante (♩ = 90)

6

S

mf

I can - not tell, why he whom an - gels wor - ship, should set his love up - on

A

p *mp*

Oo - wor - ship his love up - on men

T

p *mp*

Oo - wor - ship his pre - fect love up -

B

p *mp*

Oo - wor - ship his love up -

10

S

mp

the souls of men, Or, Why as she - pherd he should seek the wan - derers, _____

A

p *mp*

of men soul, Or, Why as she - pherd he should seek the wan - derers,

T

p *mp*

on souls of men, Or, Why as she - pherd he should seek the wan - derers,

B

p *mp*

on men soul Or, Why as she - pherd hr should seek the wan - derers,

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14

S *mf* *mp*
To bring them back, they know not how nor when, But this know

A *mf* *mp*
To bring them back, they know not how nor when, But this I know

T *mf* *mf*
To bring them back, they know not how nor when, But this I know

B *mf* *mp*
To bring them back, they know not how nor when, But this I know

18

S
that he was born of Ma - ry, When beth -lehem's man - ger was his on - ly home,

A
that he was born of Ma - ry, When beth -lehem's man - ger was his on - ly home,

T
that he was born of Ma - ry, When beth -lehem's man - ger was his on - ly home,

B
that he was born of Ma - ry, When beth -lehem's man - ger was his on - ly home

22

S *mf* *f* *p*
And that he lived at Na - za - reth and la - boured; And so the sa - vior, sa -

A *mf* *f* *p*
And that he lived at Na - za - reth and la - boured; sa - vior, sa - vior,

T *f* *p*
And that he lived at Na - za - reth and la - boured; savior

B *mf* *f* *p*
And that he lived at Na - za - reth and la - boured; sa - vior, sa -

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accelerando 3
mf

26

S
vior of the world has come. Oo, Oo I can - not tell,

A
of world has come, come. I can - not tell,

T
of world has come come. I can - not tell,

B
vior of the wo-rld has come. I can - not tell,

29

S
how si - lent - ly he su - ffered, As with his peace he graded

A
how si - lent - ly he su - ffered, As with his peace he graded

T
how si - lent - ly he su - ffered, As with his peace he graded

B
how si - lent - ly he su - ffered, As with his peace he graded

32

S
this place of tears, Nor how the heart up - on the cross

A
this place of tears, Nor how the heart up - on the cross

T
this place of tears, Nor how the heart up - on the cross

B
this place of tears, Nor how the heart up - on the cross

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35

a tempo

S
was bro - ken, the crown of pain to three and thir - ty years.

A
was bro - ken the crown of pain to three and thir - ty years.

T
was bro - ken the crown of pain to three and thir - ty years.

B
was bro - ken the crown of pain to three and thir - ty years.

38

poco rall.

a tempo

S
But this I know, he heals the bro - ken heart - ed, and stays our sin

A
But this I know he heals the bro - ken heart - ed and stays our sin

T
But this I know, he heals the bro - ken heart - ed and stays our sin

B
But this I know, he heals the bro - ken heart - ed and stays our sin

42

S
and clams our lur - king fear, And lifts the bur - den from hea - vy la -

A
and clams our lut - king fear And lifts the bur - den from hea - vy la -

T
and claims our lur - king fear, And lifts the bur - den from hea - vy la

B
and claims our lur - king fear, And lifts the bur - den from hea - vy la -

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S den, for still the Sa-vior, Sa-viour of the world, is here. Oo,

A den, for still the Sa-vior, Sa-viour of the world, is here. Oo

T den, still the Sa-vior, Sa-viour of the world, is here. Oo,

B den, for still the Sa-vior, Sa-viour of the world, is here. Oo,

den, still the sa-vior, Sa-viour of the world, is here. Oo,

50 **Moderato** (♩ = 86)

S I can - not tell, how he will win the na - tions, How

A I can - not tell, Oo

T I can - not tell,

B I can - not tell,

54

S he will claim, his earth ly he ri tage, How sa - tis -

A will claim,

T with claim,

B claim,

Oo

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6
57

S
fy the needs and as - pi - ra - tions, of east and west, _____

A
Ah _____ Oo, east and west, _____

T
8 Ah _____ east and west, _____

B
Ah _____ east and west, _____

60

S
_____ of sin - ners and of sage. But this know all flesh shall see his glo -

A
_____ of sin - ners and of sage. But this I know all flesh shall see his glo -

T
8 _____ of sin - ners and of sage. But this I know all flesh shall see his glo -

B
_____ of sin - ners and of sage. But this I know all flesh shall see his glo -

64

S
ry, And he shall reap the har - vest he has sown, _____ And some glad day,

A
ry, And he shall reap the har - vest he has sown, _____ And some glad day,

T
8 ry, And he shall reap the har - vest he has sown, _____ And some glad day

B
ry, And he shall reap the har - vest he has sown _____ And some glad day

mp *mf* *f*

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68 *p*
 S his sun will shine in splen - dor, When Sa - vior sa vior, of
 A in splen - dor will - shine sa - vior, Sa - vior
 T in splen - dor he will shine Sa -
 B in splen - dor he'll shine Sa - vior, Sa -

71 *mf*
 S the wor - ld is known. I can - not tell, how all the lands shall wor -
 A I can - not tell, shall wor -
 T vior of the world I can - not tell wor -
 B vior of the

75 *mf*
 S ship, when at his bid - ing e - very storm is stilled,
 A ship, when at his bid - ing e - very storm is stilled,
 T ship when at his bid - ing e - very storm is stilled,
 B when at his bid

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8

78

S Or who can say, how great the tri - bu - la - tion, when all

A Or who can say, how great the tri - bu - la - tion when all

T Or who can say, how great the tri - bu - la - tion when all

B Or who can say, how great the tri - bu - la - *poco rit.* all

81

S our hearts, with love for him are filled. But this I know, the skies

A our hearts, with love for him are filled. this I know the skies

T our hearts, with love for him are filled. But this I know, the skies

B our hearts, with love for him are filled. But this I know, the skies

85

S shall sound his pra - ises, Ten thou - sand thou - sand hu - man voi -

A shall sound his pra - ises, Ten thou - sand thou - sand hu - man voi -

T shall sound his pra - ises, Ten thou - sand thou - sand hu - man voi -

B shall sound his pra - ises, Ten thou - sand thou - sand hu - man voi -

a tempo

88

S
ces sing,, _____ And earth to heaven, _____ and heaven to earth will an -

A
ces sing, _____ And earth to heaven, _____ and heaven to earth will an -

T
8 ces sing, _____ And earth to heaven, _____ and heaven to earth will ans -

B
ces sing, _____ And earth to heaven, _____ and heaven to earth will ans -

91

S
swer, At last the Sa vior, Sa viour of the world, is King! Oo, _____
legato
cresc.

A
swer, At last the Sa -vior, Sa viour of the world, is King! Oo, _____
cresc.

T
8 wer last the Sa vior, Sa viour of the world, is King! Oo, _____
cresc.

B
wer, At last the Sa -vior, Sa viour of the world, is King! Oo, _____
cresc.

95

S
dim.

A
dim.

T
8 *dim.*

B
dim.