

# JOHN HØYBYE

Requiem  
Light Shines in the Darkness  
Text: Edward Broadbridge

Coro (SSAATTBB) e Viola solo

Partitur / Full score

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## Vorwort

Edward Broadbridge schrieb die ursprüngliche Dichtung *Light Shines in the Darkness* im Gedenken an seine Frau Hanna, die nach 55 Jahren Ehe plötzlich im August 2022 in Griechenland verstarb. Der Text stellt Fragen an Gott, der erwidert, dass er bereits ein Licht geschickt hat, um in der Dunkelheit zu leuchten.

Im Rahmen eines Kompositionsauftrags für Viola solo und gemischten Chor schlug John Høybye vor, den traditionellen lateinischen Text hinzuzufügen und das Werk in ein zeitgenössisches Requiem zu verwandeln – komplett mit Samba, Clustern, „Sprechgesang“ und verschiedenen anderen modernen Elementen. Die Besetzung für Viola und Chor ist ungewöhnlich, hat sich aber für das Vermitteln der Dichtung als bemerkenswert effektiv erwiesen.

Das Werk wurde am 10. November 2024 in der Sct. Peders Kirke in Randers, Dänemark, vom Nordisk Vokalensemble unter der Leitung von Vibeke Bonde Persson uraufgeführt, zusammen mit der Viola-Virtuosin Susanja Nielsen.

Die sieben Sätze stehen für die sieben Tage der Schöpfung, das Licht in der Dunkelheit mit eingeschlossen. Die Rezitationstexte zu Beginn eines jeden Satzes sind nicht obligatorisch, können aber, wenn sie von den Chormitgliedern mit sorgfältiger Artikulation gesprochen werden, ein feierliches Gefühl der Erwartung erzeugen.

Edward Broadbridge & John Høybye  
im Januar 2025

## Foreword

Edward Broadbridge wrote the original poem, *Light Shines in the Darkness*, in memory of his wife Hanna who, after 55 years marriage, died suddenly in Greece in August 2022. The poem asks questions of God, who replies that He has already sent a light to shine in the darkness.

Responding to a commission for solo viola and mixed choir, John Høybye suggested that we add the traditional Latin text and make the work a contemporary requiem, complete with samba, clusters, ‘spoken song’ and various other modern elements. The constellation viola and choir is unusual, but has proved remarkably effective as a mediator of the poetry.

The work was premiered on 10 November 2024 in St. Peder’s Church, Randers, Denmark, performed by the Nordic Vocal Ensemble conducted by Vibeke Bonde Persson, together with the viola-virtuoso Susanja Nielsen.

The seven movements reflect the seven days of Creation, including light in darkness. The recitation texts at the beginning of each movement are not obligatory, but, when spoken with careful articulation by choir members, can create a solemn sense of expectation.

Edward Broadbridge & John Høybye  
January 2025

## Text (Edward Broadbridge)

### 1. Where the light shines ...

Where the light shines in the darkness,  
there is hope, however weak;  
where the light shines in the darkness,  
we are guided on to seek.

*Lux in tenebris lucet. Omnis vita lumen habet, omnis mors aculeum.  
(Light shines in the darkness. All life has a light, all death has a sting.)*

### 2. Speak to me, Lord

Speak to me, Lord, from your primeval past!  
"I am the first, I am the last."  
*Lux in tenebris lucet.*  
"Viola, oh tell me what secrets you keep,  
I would be wise as to why I must weep."

### 3. Dark cannot live with light

Dark cannot live with light,  
succumbing at the sight;  
it cannot understand  
God's son is close at hand.  
Dark cannot live with light.

It is within His scope;  
the sure and certain hope  
will vindicate belief,  
the ending of our grief.  
It is within His scope.

God's music in our ears,  
Viola, still our fears!  
You leave no room for doubt,  
your strings and bow sing out.  
God's music in our ears.

### 4. Oh, Viola, tell me ...

"Oh, Viola, tell me what secrets you keep,  
I would be wise as to why I must weep."  
*Lux in tenebris lucet.*  
"The secrets are mine! I shall not reveal;  
I give you a gift, a light that is real –  
to lighten your darkness."

### 5. All life has a light

All life has a light, all death has a sting.

*Dies irae, dies illa,*  
*solvet saeculum in favilla:*  
*teste David cum Sibylla.*  
*Quantus tremor est futurus,*  
*quando judex est venturus,*  
*cuncta stricte discussurus!*  
*Requiem aeternam dona eis Domine:*  
*Et lux perpetua luceat eis, quia pius es.*  
(This day, this day of wrath shall consume the world in ashes, as foretold David and the Sibyl. What trembling there shall be when the judge shall come to weigh everything strictly. Lord, grant them eternal rest, and let the perpetual light shine upon them, for Thou art good.)

### 6. Cum sanctis tuis

*Cum sanctis tuis in aeternum, quia pius es.*  
(With Thy saints forever, for Thou art good.)

### 7. Lux in tenebris lucet

Where the light shines in the darkness,  
there is hope, however weak;  
where the light shines in the darkness,  
we are guided on to seek.  
*Lux in tenebris lucet.*  
*Requiem aeternam dona eis Domine.*  
*Huic ergo parce Deus.*  
*Pie Jesu Domine. Amen.*  
(Light shines in the darkness.  
Lord, grant them eternal rest.  
Oh Lord, have mercy upon him [the human being].  
Gentle Lord Jesus. Amen.)

### 1. Wo das Licht scheint ...

Wo das Licht in der Dunkelheit scheint,  
gibt es Hoffnung, wie schwach auch immer;  
wo das Licht in der Finsternis leuchtet,  
werden wir auf die Suche geführt.

*Licht scheint in der Dunkelheit.*  
*Jedes Leben hat ein Licht, jeder Tod einen Stachel.*

### 2. Sprich zu mir, Herr

Sprich zu mir, Herr, aus deiner urzeitlichen Vergangenheit!  
"Ich bin der Erste, ich bin der Letzte."  
*Licht scheint in der Dunkelheit.*  
"Viola, o sag mir, welche Geheimnisse du birgst;  
ich möchte wissen, warum ich weinen muss."

### 3. Dunkelheit kann nicht im Licht leben

Dunkelheit kann nicht im Licht leben,  
sie verfällt bei seinem Anblick;  
sie kann nicht verstehen,  
dass Gottes Sohn ganz nah ist.  
Dunkelheit kann nicht im Licht leben.

Es liegt in seinem Ermessen;  
die sichere und gewisse Hoffnung  
wird den Glauben bekräftigen,  
das Ende unseres Kummers.  
Es liegt in seinem Ermessen.

Gottes Musik in unseren Ohren,  
Viola, stille unsere Ängste!  
Du lässt keinen Raum für Zweifel,  
deine Saiten und dein Bogen singen.  
Gottes Musik in unseren Ohren.

### 4. O Viola, sag mir ...

"O Viola, sag mir, welche Geheimnisse du birgst;  
ich möchte wissen, warum ich weinen muss."  
*Licht scheint in der Dunkelheit.*  
"Die Geheimnisse sind mein! Ich werde sie nicht preisgeben;  
ich gebe dir ein Geschenk, ein wahres Licht,  
um deine Dunkelheit zu erhellen."

### 5. Jedes Leben hat ein Licht

Jedes Leben hat ein Licht, jeder Tod einen Stachel.  
*Tag des Zornes, jener Tag*  
*legt die Welt in glühende Asche,*  
*wie David und die Sibylle künden.*  
*Welch ein Beben wird herrschen,*  
*wenn der Richter kommt*  
*und alles streng überprüft!*  
*Gib ihnen die ewige Ruhe, Herr,*  
*und das ewige Licht leuchte ihnen, denn du bist mild.*

### 6. Bei deinen Heiligen

*Bei deinen Heiligen in Ewigkeit; denn du bist mild.*

### 7. Licht scheint in der Dunkelheit

Wo das Licht in der Dunkelheit scheint,  
gibt es Hoffnung, wie schwach auch immer;  
wo das Licht in der Finsternis leuchtet,  
werden wir auf die Suche geführt.  
*Licht scheint in der Dunkelheit.*  
*Gib ihnen die ewige Ruhe, Herr.*  
*O Gott, lass ihn [den Menschen], Gnade finden.*  
*Milder Herr Jesus. Amen.*

# Requiem

## Light Shines in the Darkness

Music: John Høybye (\*1939)  
Text: Edward Broadbridge (\*1944)

### 1. Where the light shines ...

**Rhythmically free**

Viola solo

Soprano I

Soprano II

Alto I

Alto II

Tenor I

Tenor II

Bass I

Bass II

\* Recitation (2 persons: female & male):  
 a) "Where the light shines in the darkness, there is hope, however weak."  
 b) "Where the light shines in the darkness, we are guided on to seek."

8       $\text{♩} = 66$   
 Va      dolce cantabile

14      poco rit.       $\text{♩} = 108$

18      molto rit.

Aufführungsdauer / Duration: ca. 20 min.

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The break is filled  
with great, beautiful  
reverberation!

Where the light shines in the dark-ness, where,  
where the light shines.

Where the light shines in the dark-ness, where,  
where the light shines.

Where the light shines in the dark-ness, where,  
where the light \_\_\_\_\_

Where the light shines in the dark-ness, where,  
where the \_\_\_\_\_

*p*

Where the light shines \_\_\_\_\_

*p*

Where the light \_\_\_\_\_

*p*

Where the \_\_\_\_\_

*p*

Where \_\_\_\_\_

*l'isivo cantabile*

33

*d = 80*

*poco rit.*

Va

S

A

T

B

*dolce espressivo*

Lu - cet in te - ne - bris.

*dolce espressivo*

*dolce espressivo*

Lux in te - ne - bris lu - cet. Om - nis vi - ta

*dolce espressivo*

Om - nis, om - nis mors a - cu - le - um.  
Om - nis, om - nis mors a - cu - le - um.  
lu - men ha - bet, om - nis, om - nis mors a - cu - le - um.  
lu - men ha - bet, om - nis, om - nis mors a - cu - le - um.

*p*

cax

*f mo*

*o (♩ = 66)*

*molto rit.*

*p*

Mm \_\_\_\_\_ Ooh \_\_\_\_\_ Ah \_\_\_\_\_ Mm \_\_\_\_\_

*p*

Mm \_\_\_\_\_ Ooh \_\_\_\_\_ Ah \_\_\_\_\_ Mm \_\_\_\_\_

*p*

Mm \_\_\_\_\_ Ooh \_\_\_\_\_ Ah \_\_\_\_\_ Mm \_\_\_\_\_

*p*

Mm \_\_\_\_\_ Ooh \_\_\_\_\_ Ah \_\_\_\_\_ Mm \_\_\_\_\_

*molto rit.*

12/8 4/4 4/4 4/4

*f*

(Mm) Ooh Mm

(Mm) Ooh Mm

(Mm) Ooh Mm

(Mm) Ooh Mm

*mf*

(Mm) Ooh Mm

(Mm) Ooh Mm

*mf*

(Mm) Ooh Mm

(Mm) Ooh Mm

(Mm) —— Mm

Ooh Mm

*d = 60*

59

4/4 8 4/4 8

Ah

Ah

Ah

Ah

63

solo / small group (Ah)

Ooh

Ooh

Ooh

Ooh

67

**p dolce espressivo**

Where the light shines in the dark - ness, there is hope, how - ev - er weak;

**p dolce espressivo**

Where the light in the dark - ness, there is hope, how - ev - er weak;

**p dolce espressivo**

Whe light spressivo

dark - ness, there is hope, how - ev - er weak;

**p**

Who light in the dark - ness, there is hope, how - ev - er weak;

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where the light shines in the dark - ness, we are guid - ed, guid - ed on to seek.

where the light shines, we are guid - ed, guid - ed on to seek.

where the light, the light shines, we are guid - ed, guid - ed on to seek.

where the light, the light shines, we are guid - ed, guid - ed on to seek.

## 2. Speak to me, Lord

**Samba feeling**  $\text{♩} = 108-112$

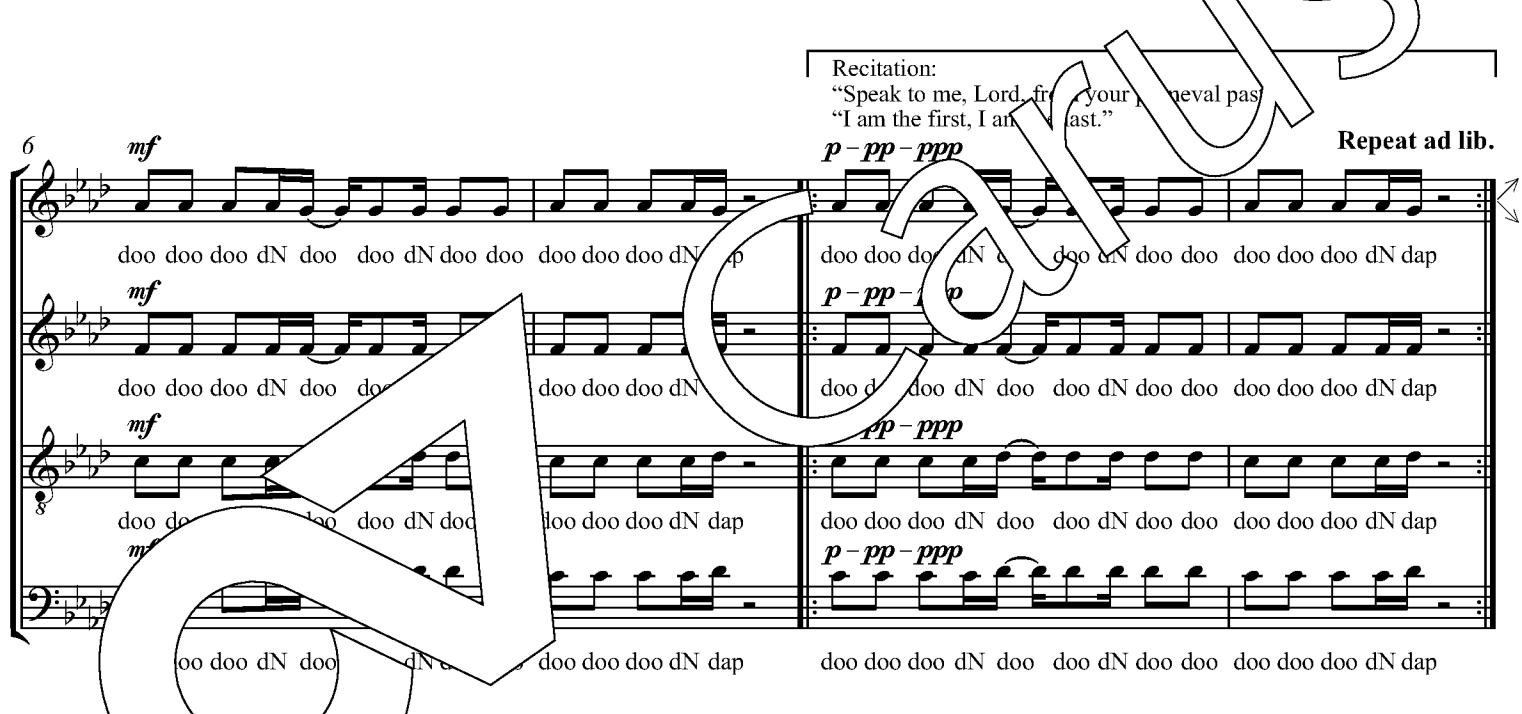
Viola solo 

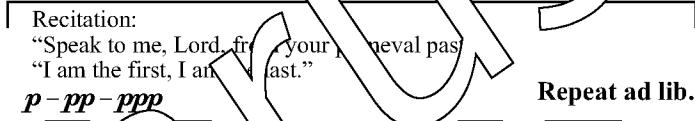
Soprano I, II 

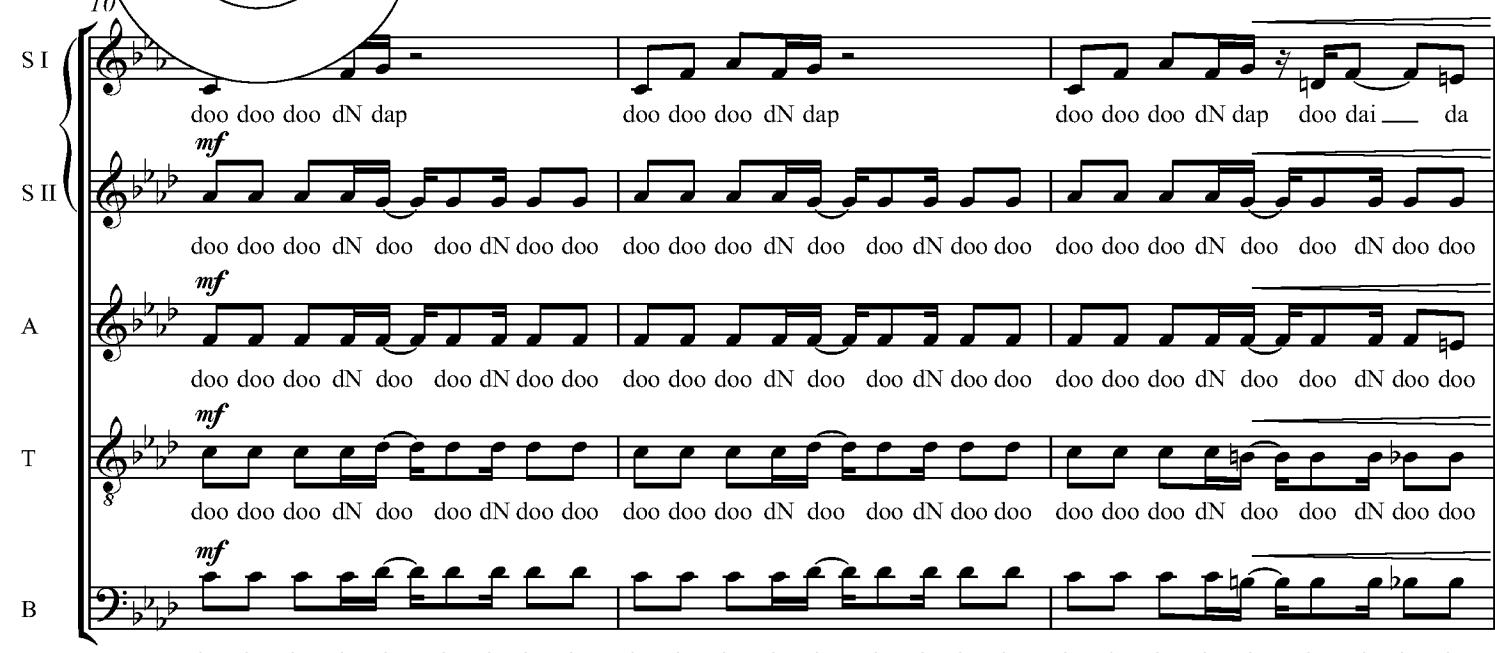
Alto 

Tenor I, II 

Bass 

6 

Recitation:  
 "Speak to me, Lord, fr... your carnival pas..."  
 "I am the first, I am the last."  
**p - pp - ppp**   
**Repeat ad lib.** 

10 

13

doo doo doo dN dap      dap dai\_ da dap dai\_ da doo dN doo dN dap doo dai\_dN dap      Ah  
doo doo doo dN dap      dap dai\_ da dap dai\_ da doo dN doo dN dap doo dai\_dN dap      Ah  
doo doo doo dN dap      dap dai\_ da dap dai\_ da doo dN doo dN dap doo dai\_dN dap      Ah  
doo doo doo dN dap      dap dai\_ da dap dai\_ da doo dN doo dN dap doo dai\_dN dap      Ah  
doo doo doo dN dap      dap dai\_ da dap dai\_ da doo dN doo dN dap doo dai\_dN dap      Ah  
doo doo doo dN dap      dap dai\_ da dap dai\_ da doo dN doo dN dap doo dai\_dN dap      Ah

17

Va

mf

mf

doo doo doo dN doo doo dN doo doo doo dN dap      doo doo doo dN doo doo dN doo doo  
mf

mf

doo doo doo dN doo doo doo dN doo doo doo dN doo doo doo dN doo doo doo  
p

mf

doo doo doo dN doo doo doo dN doo doo doo dN doo doo doo  
p

mf

doo doo doo dN doo doo doo dN doo doo doo dN doo doo doo

20

mf

doo doo doo dN dap      doo doo doo dN dap

mf

doo doo doo dN dap      doo doo doo dN doo doo dN doo doo doo  
mf

doo doo doo dN dap      doo doo doo dN doo doo dN doo doo dN doo doo  
mf

doo doo doo dN dap      doo doo doo dN doo doo dN doo doo dN doo doo  
mf

doo doo doo dN dap      doo doo doo dN doo doo dN doo doo dN doo doo

do doo doo dN dap doo dai da doo doo doo dN dap  
doo doo doo dN dap doo dai da doo doo doo dN dap  
doo doo doo dN doo doo doo doo doo dN dap  
doo doo doo dN doo doo dN doo doo doo dN dap  
doo doo doo dN doo doo dN doo doo doo dN dap

*f* *p*

*f* *p*

*f* *p*

*f* *p*

*f* *p*

doo doo doo dN doo doo dN doo doo doo dN dap  
dai - da - dap - dai - da - dap - dai - da -  
dap - dai - da - dap - dai - da -  
dap - dai - da - dap - dai - da -  
dap - ai - da - lap - dai - da -

do doo doo dN dap An —  
doo dN doo doo dN dap Ah —  
dai - da - dap - Ah — Take a step forward  
N doo dN doo dai - dN dap lux in te - ne - bris - lu lu lu - cet  
doo dN doo dN dap doo dai - dN dap Ah —  
doo dN doo dN dap doo dai - dN dap Ah —

*p*

*f*

*mf*

*p*

A lux in te - ne - bris lu lu lu lux in te - ne - bris lu lu lu - cet lux in te - ne - bris lu lu lu

*mp*

*mf*

*Take a step forward*

TI te - te - te - ne - bris te - ne - bris te - ne - bris

32 *mf* Take a step forward

S I      lux in te - ne - bris lu lu - cet lux in te - ne - bris lu lu lu lu lu

S II

A      lux in te - ne - bris lu lu lu - cet lux in te - ne - bris lu lu lu

T I      *mp* te te - ne - bris te - ne - bris te - ne - bris

T II

B

34 *mp*

lux in te - ne - bris lu lu - cet lux in te - ne - bris lu lu lu

lux in te - ne - bris lu lu lu et lux in te - ne - bris lu lu lu

te te - ne - bris te - ne - bris te - ne - bris

*mf* Take a

lu in te te - ne - bris te te te te te te lu lu

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lux in te - ne - bris lu lu - cet lux in te - ne - bris lu lu lu

*mf* Take a step forward

lux in te - ne - bris te te te - ne - bris te te te

lux in te - ne - bris lu lu lu - cet lux in te - ne - bris lu lu lu

te te - ne - bris te - ne - bris te - ne - bris

*mp*

lux in te te - ne - bris te te te te te te lu lu

Va

lux in te - ne-bris lu lu - cet lux in te - ne-bris  
lu lu lu lu lu lu lu lu

lux in te - ne-bris te te te - ne-bris te - ne-bris  
lu lu lu lu lu lu lu lu

te te - ne - bris te - ne-bris  
lu lu lu lu lu lu lu lu

*mf Take a step forward*

lux in te - ne-bris te te te - ne-bris  
lu lu lu lu lu lu lu lu

40  $\text{♩} = 100$ 

42 A kind of chase: Chorus and violins alternate "going on" – two bars at a time.

lux in te - ne-bris lu lu - cet lux in te - ne-bris  
lu lu lu lu lu lu lu lu

lux in te - ne-bris te te te - ne-bris te - ne-bris  
lu lu lu lu lu lu lu lu

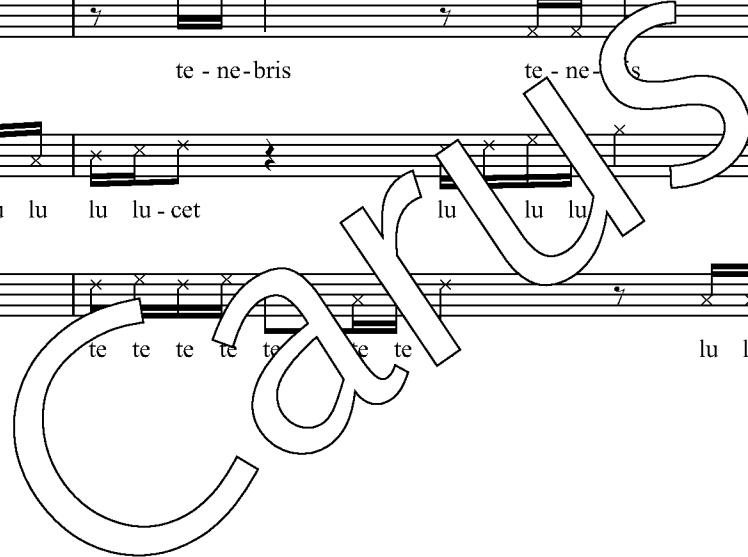
lux in te - ne-bris lu lu - cet lux in te - ne-bris  
lu lu lu lu lu lu lu lu

te - ne - bris te - ne-bris  
lu lu lu lu lu lu lu lu

lu lu lu lu lu lu lu lu

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Mute song or ***ppp*** (consonants only)



lux in te - ne-bris lu lu - cet lux in te - ne-bris lu lu lu  
Mute song or ***ppp*** (consonants only)  
lux in te - ne-bris te te te - ne-bris te te te  
Mute song or ***ppp*** (consonants only)  
lux in te - ne-bris lu lu lu - cet lux in te - ne-bris lu lu lu  
Mute song or ***ppp*** (consonants only)  
te te te - ne - bris te - ne-bris te - ne -  
Mute song or ***ppp*** (consonants only)  
lu lu lu lu lu lu lu - cet lu lu lu  
Mute song or ***ppp*** (consonants only)  
lux in te te te te - ne-bris lu lu

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***mp*** as before (mm. 42-43)  
lux in te - ne-bris lu lu lu lu  
***mp*** as before (mm. 42-43)  
lux in te - ne-bris te te te - ne-bris te te te  
***mp*** as before (mm. 42-43)  
lux in te - ne-bris lu lu lu - cet lux in te - ne-bris lu lu lu  
***mp*** as before (mm. 42-43)  
te te te - ne - bris te - ne-bris te - ne-bris  
***mp*** as before (mm. 42-43)  
lu lu lu lu lu lu lu - cet  
***mp*** as before (mm. 42-43)  
lux in te te te te - ne-bris te te te te te te lu lu

Mute song or **ppp** (consonants only)

lux in te - ne-bris lu lu - cet lux in te - ne-bris lu lu lu lu

Mute song or **ppp** (consonants only)

lux in te - ne-bris te te te - ne-bris te te te te

Mute song or **ppp** (consonants only)

lux in te - ne-bris lu lu - lu lu - cet lux in te - ne-bris lu lu lu

Mute song or **ppp** (consonants only)

te te te - ne - bris te - ne-bris te - ne-bris

Mute song or **ppp** (consonants only)

lu - cet

Mute song or **ppp** (consonants only)

lux in te te te te - ne-bris te te te te te te lu lu

**mp**

la - te - ne-bris cet lux in te - ne-bris lu lu lu lu

**mp as before**

lux in te - ne-bris te te te - ne-bris te te te

**mp as before**

lux in te - ne - bris lu lu lu - cet lux in te - ne-bris lu lu lu

**mp as before**

te te te - ne - bris te - ne-bris te - ne-bris

**mp as before**

lu - cet

**mp as before**

lux in te te te te - ne-bris te te te te te te lu lu

Mute song or ***ppp*** (consonants only)

lux in te - ne-bris lu lu - cet lux in te - ne-bris lu lu lu lu

Mute song or ***ppp*** (consonants only)

lux in te - ne-bris te te te - ne-bris te te te

Mute song or ***ppp*** (consonants only)

lux in te - ne-bris lu lu lu - cet lux in te - ne-bris lu lu lu

Mute song or ***ppp*** (consonants only)

te te te - ne - bris te - ne-bris te - ne - is

Mute song or ***ppp*** (consonants only)

lu lu

Mute song or ***ppp*** (consonants only)

lux in te te te te - ne-bris te te te te - ne - is lu lu

doo doo doo dN doo doo dN doo doo doo dN dap doo doo doo dN doo doo dN doo doo doo dN dap

***f*** doo doo doo dN doo doo dN doo doo dN dap doo doo doo dN doo doo dN doo doo dN dap

***f*** doo doo doo dN doo doo dN doo doo dN dap doo doo doo dN doo doo dN doo doo dN dap

***f*** doo doo doo dN doo doo dN doo doo dN dap doo doo doo dN doo doo dN doo doo dN dap

***p*** doo doo doo dN doo doo dN doo doo dN dap doo doo doo dN doo doo dN doo doo dN dap

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do doo doo dN dap doo dai — da doo doo doo dN dap  
 dap dai da dap dai da doo dN doo dN dap doo dai — dN dap

f p f p f p f p

doo doo doo dN doo doo doo doo doo dN dap dap dai da dap dai da doo dN doo dN dap doo dai — dN dap

doo doo doo dN doo doo doo doo doo dN dap dap dai da dap dai da doo dN doo dN dap doo dai — dN dap

doo doo doo dN doo doo doo doo doo dN dap dap dai da dap dai da doo dN doo dN dap doo dai — dN dap

doo doo doo dN doo doo doo doo doo dN dap dap dai da dap dai da doo dN doo dN dap doo dai — dN dap

doo doo doo dN doo doo doo doo doo dN dap dap dai da dap dai da doo dN doo dN dap doo dai — dN dap

doo doo doo dN doo doo doo doo doo dN dap dap dai da dap dai da doo dN doo dN dap doo dai — dN dap

65

Speak to me, to me, Lord, — from  
 Speak to me, to me, Lord, — from

your pri - me - val past.

your pri - me - val past.

68

Lord, — O Lord. — I am the first, I am, I am — the last.  
 Lord, — O Lord. — I am the first, I am, I am — the last.

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Speak to me, to me, Lord, from  
Speak to me, to me, Lord, from  
Speak to me, to me, Lord, from  
Speak to me, to me, Lord, from

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your pri - me - val past. Lord, O Lord. I am the fir - I am the last.  
your pri - me - val past. Lord, O Lord. I am first, am, I am the last.  
your pri - me - val past. Lord, O Lord. I am first, I am, I am the last.  
your pri - me - val O Lord. I am the first, I am, I am the last.

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ritardando

80

Vi - o - la, Vi - o - la, oh tell me, tell me what se - crets you  
Vi - o - la, Vi - o - la, oh tell me, tell me what se - crets you  
Vi - o - la, Vi - o - la, oh tell me, tell me what se - crets you  
Vi - o - la, Vi - o - la, oh tell me, tell me what se - crets you

*ritardando*

keep, what se - crets you keep.  
keep, what se - crets you keep.  
keep, what se - crets you keep.  
keep, what se - crets you keep.

*pato, d'attuale*

I would be wise as to why I must weep, I would be wise as to why I must weep. Mm \_\_\_\_\_  
 I would be wise as to weep, I would be wise as to why I must weep. Mm \_\_\_\_\_  
 I would be wise as to why I must weep, I would be wise as to why I must weep. Mm \_\_\_\_\_  
 I would be wise as to why I must weep, I would be wise as to why I must weep. Mm \_\_\_\_\_

*molto rall.*

### 3. Dark cannot live with light

**Quiet and dreamy**  
*Rhythmically free*

Viola solo      *mp*

5      *J = 66*

Recitation: *dolce e cantabile*

"Dark cannot live with light, succumbing at the sight;  
it cannot understand God's son is close at hand."

9

13

Va

S

A

T

B

16

1. Dark can - not live with light,      suc - cumb-ing at the sight; it can - not  
can - not live with light,      suc - cumb-ing at the sight; it can - not  
can - not live with light,      suc - cumb-ing at the sight; it can - not  
can - not live with light,      suc - cumb-ing at the sight; it can - not  
un - der-stand      God's son is close at hand.      Dark can - not live with light.  
un - der-stand      God's son is close at hand.      Dark can - not live with light.  
un - der-stand      God's son is close at hand.      Dark can - not live with light.  
un - der-stand      God's son is close at hand.      Dark can - not live with light.

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Ooh \_\_\_\_\_ Ooh \_\_\_\_\_ d(i)m dm

Ooh \_\_\_\_\_ Ooh \_\_\_\_\_ d(i)m dm

Ooh \_\_\_\_\_ Ooh \_\_\_\_\_ d(i)m dm

Ooh \_\_\_\_\_ Ooh \_\_\_\_\_ d(o)m dm dm dm

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dm dm dm dm dm

poco rit.

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dm dm dm dm dm

poco rit.

31 *a tempo*

31 *a tempo*

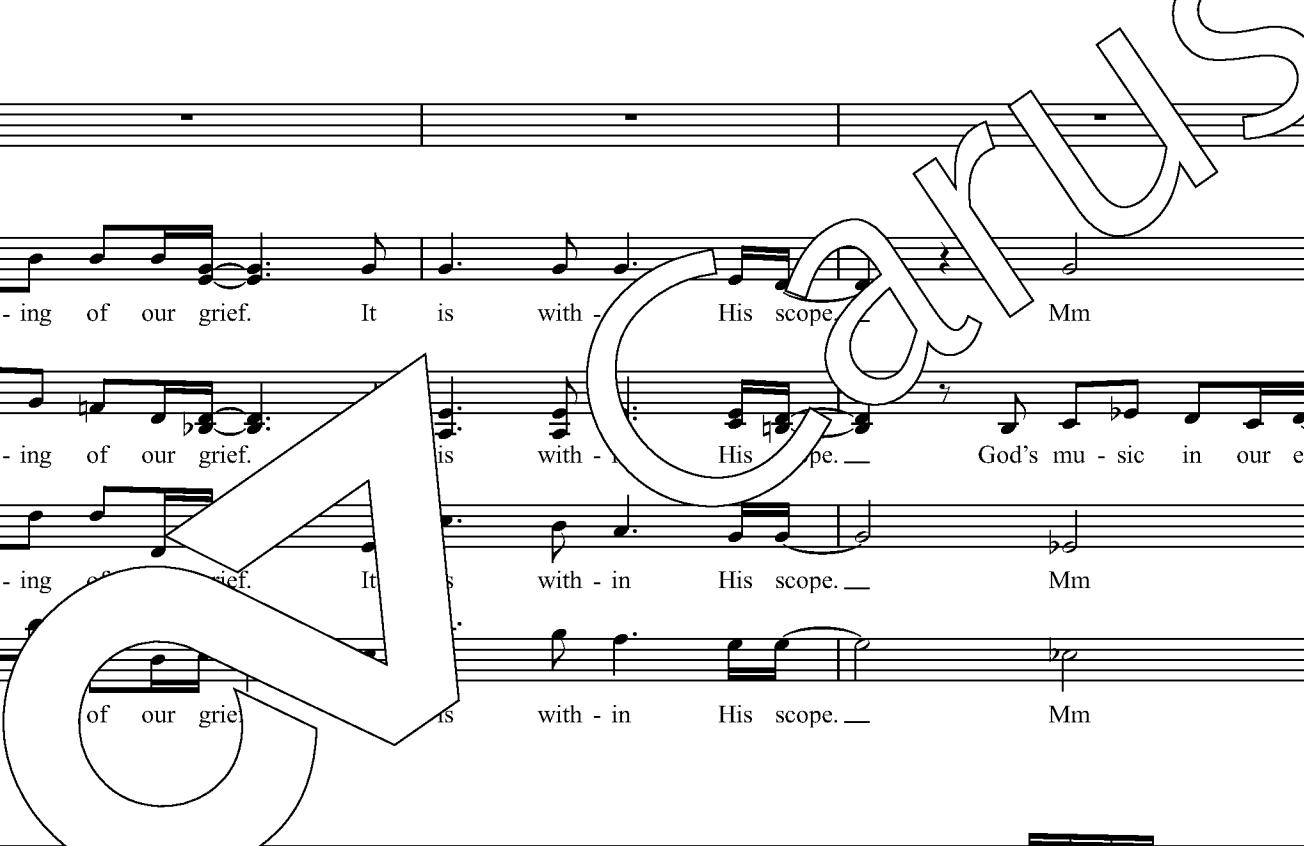
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2. It

2. It

the sure and cer - tain hope will vin - di - cate be - lief, the  
 the cer - tain hope will vin - di - cate be - lief, the  
 is with - in His scope; the sure and cer - tain hope will vin - di - cate be - lief, the  
 is with - in His scope; the sure and cer - tain hope will vin - di - cate be - lie the

end - ing of our grief. It is with - His scope. Mm  
 end - ing of our grief. is with - His scope. God's mu - sic in our ears,-  
 end - ing of our grief. It is with - in His scope. Mm  
 end - of our grie is with - in His scope. Mm



solo or small group (Ah) 3  
 still - our fears! dm dm dm dm  
 — Vi - o - la, still - our fears! dm dm dm dm  
 pp  
 — Vi - o - la, still - our fears! dm dm dm dm  
 pp  
 — Vi - o - la, still - our fears! dm dm dm dm

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dm dm dm  
dm dm dm

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3. God's mu - sic in our ears, Vi - o - la, still our fears! You leave no  
mu - sic in our ears, Vi - o - la, still our fears! You leave no  
mu - sic in our ears, Vi - o - la, still our fears! You leave no  
3. God's mu - sic in our ears, Vi - o - la, still our fears! You leave no

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**più mosso** ♩ = 100

**f** Bach: Cantata BWV 140 "Wachet auf..."

**p dolce**

solo or small group (Ah)

room for doubt, your strings and bow sing out. — God's mu - sic in our ears. — God's mu - sic  
**p light stacc.**

room for doubt, your strings and bow sing out. — God's mu - sic in our ears. — God's mu - sic  
**p light stacc.**

room for doubt, your strings and bow sing out. — God's mu - sic in our ears. — God's mu - sic  
**p light stacc.**

room for doubt, your strings and bow sing out. — God's mu - sic in our ears. — God's mu - sic  
**p light stacc.**

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in our ears. *Vi - o - la, still our fears!* You leave no room for doubt, your

*light stacc.*

in our ears. *Vi - o - la, still our fears!* You leave no room for doubt, your

*light stacc.*

in our ears. *Vi - o - la, still our fears!* You leave no room for doubt, your

*light stacc.*

in our ears. *Vi - o - la, still our fears!* You leave no room for doubt, your

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strings and bow sing out. God's mu - sic in our ears. *God's mu - sic*

strings and bow sing out. *God's mu - sic* in our ears. *God's mu - sic*

strings and bow sing out. *God's mu - sic* in our ears. *God's mu - sic*

strings and bow sing out. *God's mu - sic* in our ears. *God's mu - sic da da*

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*molto rall.*

da da dam da doo - i doo - i da doo - i ooh

da da dam da doo - i doo - i da da da da da da da da da doo - i ooh

da da dam da doo - i doo - i da da da da da da da da da doo - i ooh

da da dam da doo - i doo - i da da da da da da da da da doo - i ooh

#### 4. Oh, Viola, tell me ...

$\text{♩} = 140 / 144$

Viola solo      *p*

Recitation:  
“Oh, Viola, tell me  
what secrets you keep.”

Soprano I

Soprano II

Alto I      *p*      *mp*

Alto II      *p*

Tenor

Bass

10

se - crets you keep, \_\_\_\_\_ what se - crets you keep. \_\_\_\_\_  
 se - crets you keep, \_\_\_\_\_ what se - crets you keep. \_\_\_\_\_

*mf*

Oh, Vi - o - la, \_\_\_\_\_ tell me what

Vi -

Vi -

**pp**

Oh, Vi - o - la, tell me what se - crets you

**pp**

Oh, Vi - o - la, tell me what se - crets you

**pp**

Oh, Vi - o - la, tell me what se - crets you

se - crets you keep.

Oh, Vi - o - la.

**meno mosso** ♩ = 108

tell me what se - crets you keep. I would,

o - la, tell me what se - crets you keep. I would be wise as to

keep, tell me what se - crets you keep. I would,

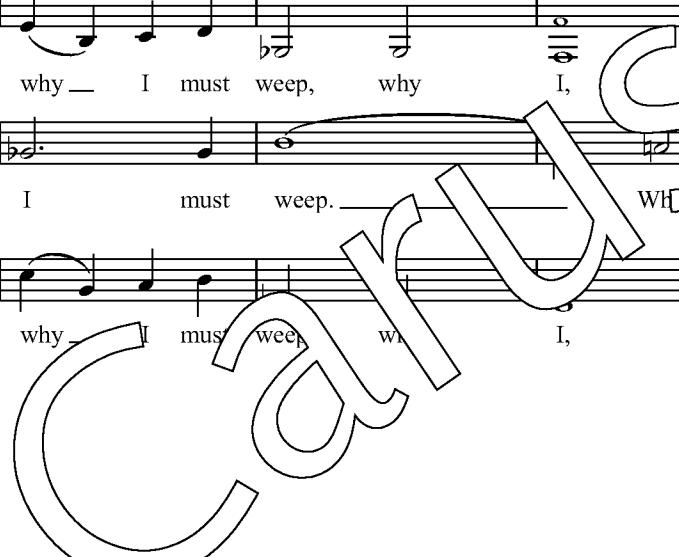
keep, tell me what se - crets you keep. I would,

keep, tell me what se - crets you keep. I would be wise as to

tell me what se - crets you keep. I would

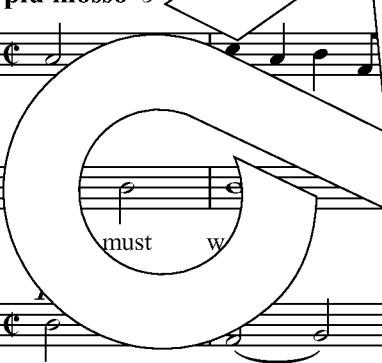
**f**

I would be wise as to why  
 why I must weep, I must weep. Why  
 — I would be wise as to why I must weep, why I,  
 — I would be wise as to why I must weep, why I,  
 why I must weep, I must weep. Wh



*espressivo*

must w Vi - o - la, tell me, tell me what se - crets you  
 I must weep. Vi - o - la, tell me, tell me what se - crets you  
 I must weep. Vi - o - la, tell me, tell me, tell me what se - crets you  
 I must weep. Vi - o - la, tell me, tell me, tell me what se - crets you  
 I must weep. Vi - o - la, tell me, tell me, tell me what se - crets you  
 I must weep. Vi - o - la, tell me, tell me.



solo or small group (sing "I" as in "wise")

*p dolce*

keep. I would be wise \_\_\_\_\_ as to why, as to why I must weep. Lux in te - ne - *p*

keep. I would be wise \_\_\_\_\_ as to why, as to why I must weep. Lux in te - ne - *mf*

keep. I would be wise \_\_\_\_\_ as to why \_\_\_\_\_ I must weep. Lux in te - ne - *mf*

keep. I would be wise \_\_\_\_\_ as to why \_\_\_\_\_ I must weep. Lux in te - ne -

I would be wise \_\_\_\_\_ as to why \_\_\_\_\_ I must weep. Lux in te - ne -

I would be wise \_\_\_\_\_ as to why \_\_\_\_\_ I must weep. Lux in te - ne -

I would be wise \_\_\_\_\_ as to why \_\_\_\_\_ I must weep. Lux in te - ne -

*p*

bris set, lux Ooh \_\_\_\_\_ ooh

bris lu - cet, lux. Ooh \_\_\_\_\_ ooh *mf*

bris lu - cet, lux. Ooh \_\_\_\_\_ The *mf*

bris lu - cet, lux. Ooh \_\_\_\_\_ The

*p*

bris lu - cet, lux. Ooh \_\_\_\_\_

*p*

bris lu - cet, lux. Ooh \_\_\_\_\_

56 **più mosso**  $\text{♩} = 83$ 

Va —

S —

A  $\text{♩}$  *se-crets are mine! — I shall not re - veal,* *shall not re - veal.* *I send you a gift, — a*

T  $\frac{8}{8}$  *Ooh —*

B  $\text{♩}$  *Ooh —*

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*send you a gift, — a light, light — that al, a light — that is*

*light, ooh* *I send you a gift, — a*

*I send you a gift, — a* *I send you a gift, — a*

70 *molto rit.* *like a small echo*  
*Solo (remote)*

*real — to light - en your dark - ness, to light - en your dark - ness.*

*Solo (remote)*

*gift to light - en your dark - ness, to light - en your dark - ness.*

*Solo (remote)*

*gift — to light - en your dark - ness, to light - en your dark - ness.*

*Solo (remote)*

*gift — to light - en your dark - ness, to light - en your dark - ness.*

## 5. All life has a light

**Agitato** ♩ = 136

Viola solo

Soprano I

Soprano II

Alto I

Alto II

Tenor I

Tenor II

Bass I

Bass II

sim.

*Tenors and basses possibly with choreography,  
e.g. a hand gesture towards the light.*

Et lux,

Et lux,

Et lux,

Et lux in te-ne-bris lu - cet,

et lux in te-ne-bris lu - cet, lux in te-ne-bris lu - cet, lux in te-ne-bris lu - cet,

et lux in te-ne-bris lu - cet, lux in te-ne-bris lu - cet, lux in te-ne-bris lu - cet,

lux,

et lux in te-ne-bris lu - cet, lux in te-ne-bris lu - cet,

Ba da da Ba da da Ba da Ba da da Ba da  
Ba da da Ba da da Ba da Ba da da Ba da  
Ba da da Ba da da Ba da Ba da da Ba da  
Ba da da Ba da da Ba da Ba da da Ba da  
Ba da da Ba da da Ba da Ba da da Ba da Ba da lux in te - nbris cet, lux in te - ne-bris lu - cet,

doo dN doo dN dap  
lux in te - ne - bris lu - cet, lux in te - ne - bris lu - cet,  
lux in te-ne-bris lu - cet, lux in te - ne - bris lu - cet,

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All life has a light, a light, a light.

All life has a light, a light, a light.

All life has a light, a light, a light.

All life has a light, a light, a light.

B's and d's with excessive articulation (without voice)

lux in te-ne-bris lu - cet, lux in te-ne-bris lu - cet, B d d B d d B d B d d B d d B d B d

B d d B d d B d B d d B d B d d B d B d d B d B d d B d B d

B d d B d d B d B d d B d B d d B d B d d B d B d

23

p

dN

doo dN doo dN dap

All death has a sting, a sting, a

p

B d d B d d B d B d d B d lux in te-ne-bris lu - cet, lux in te-ne-bris lu - cet,

B d d B d d B d B d d B d lux in te-ne-bris lu - cet, lux in te-ne-bris lu - cet,

B d d B d d B d B d d B d lux in te-ne-bris lu - cet, lux in te-ne-bris lu - cet,

B d d B d d B d B d d B d lux in te-ne-bris lu - cet, lux in te-ne-bris lu - cet,

V V

sting.

sting.

sting.

sting.

*f*

*p*

lux in te-ne-bris lu - cet, lux in te-ne-bris lu - cet. Ba da da Ba da da Ba da Ba da d d d d d d d

*f*

*p*

lux in te-ne-bris lu - cet, lux in te-ne-bris lu - cet. Ba da da Ba da da Ba da Ba da d d d d d d

*f*

*p*

lux in te-ne-bris lu - cet, lux in te-ne-bris lu - cet. Ba da da Ba da da Ba da Ba da da Ba d d d d d d

*f*

*p*

lux in te-ne-bris lu - cet, lux in te-ne-bris lu - cet. Ba da da Ba da da Ba da da Ba da da Ba d d d d d d

*mf*

light, a light, a light. la la la la la la la la la la

*p* *p*

life has a light, a light, a light. la la la la la la la la la la

*mf*

All death has a sting, a sting, a sting.

*mf*

All death has a sting, a sting, a sting.

g g g g g g g g g

g g g g g g g g g

g g g g g g g g g

g g g g g g g g g

36

*p*

*f*

da da

*p*

*f*

da da

*p*

*f*

da da

*p*

*f*

da da da da da da da da da - da da

*S*

*C*

*A*

*L*

*Y*

39

*sub. p*

*mp*

*mf*

*f*

di Ba da da Ba da da Ba da Ba da

*sub. f*

*mf*

*f*

di Ba da da Ba da da Ba da Ba da

*sub. p*

*mf*

*f*

di Ba da da Ba da da Ba da Ba da

*sub. p*

*mf*

*f*

di Ba da da Ba da da Ba da Ba da

*S*

*C*

*A*

*L*

*Y*

13

do dN doo dN doo dN dap  
do dN doo dN doo dN dap  
di di di di di di di di  
di di di di di di di di  
di di di di di di di di  
All life has a light, a light, a light.  
All life has a light, a light, a light.  
All life has a light, a light, a light.  
All life has a light, a light, a light.  
doo dN doo dN doo dN dap  
doo dN doo dN doo dN dap

13

p  
da da da  
da da da da da da da da da da da  
da da da da da da da da da da  
Di - es i - rae, di - es il - la,  
Di - es i - rae, di - es il - la,  
All death has a sting, a sting, a sting.  
All death has a sting, a sting, a sting.  
All death has a sting, a sting, a sting.  
All death has a sting, a sting, a sting.

G.P.

sol-vet sae-clum in fa - vil - la:  
Te - ste Da - vid cum Si - byl - la.  
sol-vet sae-clum in fa - vil - la:  
Te - ste Da - vid cum Si  
Te - ste Da - vid  
Te - ste Da - vid cum  
Te - ste Da - vid  
Te - ste Da - vid cum  
Te - s  
Te - s

cun-cta stri-cte dis-cus-su-rus!  
Quan-tus tre-mor est fu - tu - rus, quan-do ju-dex est ven-tu - rus,  
Re-qui-em ae - ter-nam do - na  
Re-qui-em ae - ter-nam do - na

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*mf*

Re - qui - em ae - ter - nam do - na e - is Do - mi - ne

*p*

e - is Do - mi - ne. da da

*p*

e - is Do - mi - ne. da da

65 *mf*

*mf*

Re - qui - em ae - ter - nam do - na do - mi - ne,

*mf*

Re - qui - em ae - ter - nam do - na e - do - mi - ne,

Do - mi - ne: \_\_\_\_\_ Et lux per -  
S I + II ooh

*p*

Re - qui - em ae - ter - nam do - na ooh

*p*

Re - qui - em ae - ter - nam do - na e - is Do - mi - ne. Re - qui - em ae - ter - nam. ooh

*p*

Re - qui - em ae - ter - nam do - na e - is Do - mi - ne. Re - qui - em ae - ter - nam. ooh

*p*

Re - qui - em ae - ter - nam do - na e - is Do - mi - ne. Re - qui - em ae - ter - nam. ooh

*p*

Re - qui - em ae - ter - nam do - na e - is Do - mi - ne. Re - qui - em ae - ter - nam. ooh

*p*

Re - qui - em ae - ter - nam do - na e - is Do - mi - ne. Re - qui - em ae - ter - nam. ooh

allargando

Solo 2 (sing "ooh")

70 (Solo)

pe - tu - a, et lux — per - pe - tu - a lu - ce - at e - is, qui - a pi - us

Mm ooh Mm ooh

**χισ**

77 *a tempo*

Va

Tut.

es.

Mm ooh Mm ooh Mm

**χισ**

## 6. Cum sanctis tuis

**Rhythmically with power and intensity**  $\text{♩} = 120$

Viola solo

Soprano I

Soprano II

Alto I

Alto II

Tenor

Bass

A II

T

Cum sanctis tu - is in ae - ter num,  
cum sanctis tu - is in ae - ter -  
num, cum sanctis  
san - etis tu - is in ae - ter - num, cum sanctis  
cum sanctis tu - is, cum sanctis tu - is in ae -  
ter - num, cum sanctis tu - is, cum sanctis  
ter - num, cum sanctis tu - is in ae - ter - num, cum sanctis  
Cum sanctis tu - is in ae - ter - num,

9

*p*

*f*

13

Va

SI

S II

AI

A II

T

B

*Cum sanctis tu - is, cum sanctis tu - is, cum sanctis tu - is in ae - ter - num,*

*Cum sanctis tu - is, cum sanctis tu - is, cum sanctis tu - is in ae - ter - num,*

*Cum sanctis tu - is in ae - ter - num, cum sanctis tu - is,*

*f*

*CUM SANCTIS TU - IS*

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*CUM SANCTIS TU - IS*

*tu - is in ae - ter - num, cum sanctis tu - is in ae - ter -*

*cum sanctis tu - is in ae - ter - num, cum sanctis*

*cum sanctis tu - is in ae - ter - num, cum sanctis*

*cum sanctis tu - is in ae - ter - num, cum sanctis*

*cum sanctis tu - is in ae - ter - num, cum sanctis*

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Cum san - - etis tu - is in ae - ter - num,  
num, cum sanctis tu - is, cum sanctis  
tu - is in ae - ter - num,  
tu - is in ae - ter - num,  
tu - - is in ae - ter - num, cum sanctis

*Carus*

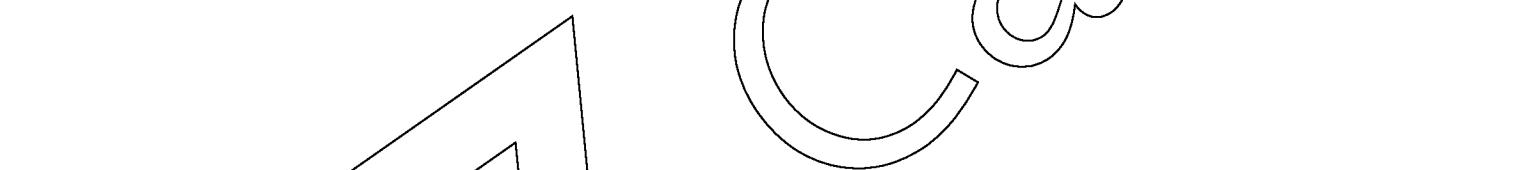
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cum sanctis tu - is in ae - ter - num,  
tu - is in ae - ter - num, cum sanctis tu - is in ae -  
tu - is in ae - ter - num, cum sanctis tu - is in ae -  
tu - is in ae - ter - num, cum sanctis tu - is in ae -  
tu - is in ae - ter - num, cum sanctis tu - is in ae -

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poco rit.

Cum san - etis tu - is in ae - ter - num,  
 cum sanctis tu - is in ae -  
 cum sanctis tu - is, cum sanctis tu - is in ae - ter - num, cum sanctis  
 ter - num, in ae - ter - num, cum sanctis tu - is in ae - ter - num, cum sanctis  
 ter - num, in ae - ter - num, cum sanctis tu - is in ae - ter - num, cum sanctis  
 ter - num, in ae - ter - num, cum sanctis tu - is in ae - ter - num, cum sanctis  
 ter - num, in ae - ter - num, cum sanctis tu - is in ae - ter - num, cum sanctis  
 ter - num, in ae - ter - num, cum sanctis tu - is in ae - ter - num, cum sanctis



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f

ter - - qui - a pi - - - us es.  
 tu - is in ae - ter - num, qui - a pi - - - us es.  
 tu - is in ae - ter - num, qui - a pi - - - us es.  
 tu - is in ae - ter - num, qui - a pi - - - us es.  
 tu - is in ae - ter - num, qui - a pi - - - us es.



## 7. Lux in tenebris lucet

Gentle, with sensitivity  $\text{♩} = 72$

Viola solo      *mp freely*

Possible recitation (2 persons: female & male):  
 a) "Where the light shines in the darkness, there is hope, however weak."  
 b) "Where the light shines in the darkness, we are guided on to seek."

Soprano I, II      *mf*  
 Where the light shines in the dark-ness,  
*mp*

Alto I, II  
 There is hope, how-  
*mp*

Tenor  
 There is h, how-  
*mp*

Bass  
 There n, hope, how-  
*poco rit.* *a tempo*  
*pizz.*

6  
 there is hope, how - ev - er weak; where the light shines  
 ev - er weak; dn dn  
 ev - er weak; dn dn  
 - er weak; dn dn  
*poco rit.* *a tempo*  
*pizz.*

Va

S in the dark - ness, we are guid - ed, we are guid - ed, we are guid - ed on to seek,

A I dn dn dn Ah dn dn

A II dn dn dn dn dn Ah dn dn

T dn dn dn Ah dn dn

B dn dn dn Ah seek dn dn dn

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on to seek, on to seek, we are guid-ed on to seek. Lux in te - ne -  
 dn dn dn to seek. Lux in te - ne -  
 dn dn dn on to seek. Lux in te - ne -  
 dn dn dn on to seek. Lux in te - ne -  
 dn dn dn dn on to seek. Lux in - ne -

23

poco rit. a ten  
 bris lu - cet, lux in te - ne - bris lu - cet.  
 bris lu - cet lux in te - ne - bris lu - cet.  
 bris lux in te - ne - bris lu - cet.  
 bris u - cet, lux in te - ne - bris lu - cet.

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Where the light shines in the dark-ness,  
 Where the light shines in the dark-ness,

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there is hope, how - ev - er weak; we are guid - ed on to  
 there is hope, how - ev - er weak; we are guid - ed on to  
 where the light shines in the dark-ness, we, we are guid - ed,  
 where the light shines in the dark-ness, we, we are guid - ed,

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seek, to seek, to seek, on to seek, on to seek, we are  
 seek, to seek, to seek, to seek, we are  
 we are guid-ed, we ar *mf* to seek, we are guid-ed on  
 we are to seek, we are guid-ed on

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guid-ed on to seek, dn dn dn — dn dn dn — dn dn dn —  
 guid-ed on to seek, dn dn dn — dn dn dn — dn dn dn —  
 to seek, dn dn dn — dn dn dn — dn dn dn — dn  
 to seek, dn dn dn — dn dn dn — dn dn dn — dn

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*p*

ooh ooh ooh

*mf*

where the light shines in the dark-ness, we are guid - ed on to seek, ooh

*p*

ooh ooh we are guid - ed on to seek.

*p*

ooh ooh we are guid - ed on to seek.

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Lux in te - ne - bris lu - cet, lux in te - ne - bris,

Lux in te - ne - bris lu - cet, lux in te - ne - bris

Lux in te - ne - bris lu - cet, lux in te - ne - bris

Lux, lux, lux in te - ne - bris, *poco rit.*

in te - ne - bris lu - cet, lux in te - ne - bris lu - cet. Ah

lux in te - ne - bris lu - cet. Ah

lux in te - ne - bris lu - cet. Ah

lux in te - ne - bris lu - cet. Ah

*a tempo**sub. p*

Ah ooh

*mp*

Re - qui - em ae - ter - nam do - na e - is Do - mi - ne.

*sub. p*

Ah ooh Hu - ic er - go par - ce De - us. Pi - e Je - su

*sub. p*

Ah ooh Hu - ic er - go par - ce De - us. Pi - e Je - su

82 *poco rit.*      *a tempo*      *poco rit.*

8  
Do - mi - ne.      dyn      dyn      dyn      dyn      dyn

Do - mi - ne.      d(o)n dn      dn dn      dn dn      dn dn      dn dn

89

Ah      A - - - men, a - - - men,

Ah      A - - - men, - - - men,

A - - - men, a - - - men, a - - - men,

95

Va      olo / small group

S      a - - - men.

SI      a - - - men.

S II      a - - - men.

AI      a - - - men.

A II      a - - - men.

T      a - - - men.

B      a - - - men.

SB