

Hope

a Christmas Eve Anthem
for Mixed Voices with Piano accompaniment*

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Andante ♩ = 52 *very sustained mp*

Soprano & Alto

Tenor & Bass

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Piano* *legato p*

Gath - er here you

wea - ry who have jour - neyed this night; you are not a -

* The original accompaniment is scored for Brass Quintet, Timpani, Piano, and Organ.
Instrumental parts are available separately.
An arrangement of the accompaniment is also available for Piano and Organ.

(A)

lone now, you have aid in your flight. Man - y who were

8

8

wea - ry, who were called then, choos - ing nei - ther time nor place; the

12

12

man - y who were wea - ry, too, are wea - ry this night.

15

15

(B)

Hum

19

SOLO *singing melody*

19

Hum

24

24

(C)

Hum

28

mp *cresc.*

28

Hum

32

32

very sustained *mp* **D**

Com - fort to the wea - ry is a gift of God's

36

very sustained *mp*

(accompaniment)

36

love. When, then, will this com - fort, will this rest come from a -

40

marc.

mp *p*

40

(E)

mf

bove? Man - y who are wea - ry, who have jour - neyed, jour - ney

44

mf

marc.
mp

mf mp

44

cresc. *poco rit.* *a tempo*
mf

on as - sured to know that Je - sus, too, was wea - ry — as He

48

marc. *poco rit.* *a tempo*
cresc. *f* *p*
(no break)

48

(F)

mf dim. *p* *pp* *poco rit.*

jour - neyed in life; yet there is hope.

51

mf dim. *p* *pp* *poco rit.*
mp

51