

Earth Song

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SATB Chorus, a cappella

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With solemn reverence (♩ = c. 50)

p

Soprano
Alto
Tenor
Bass

Sing, Be, Live,

Keyboard
(for rehearsal only)

p

With solemn reverence (♩ = c. 50)

6

ten. , *mp* (♩ = c. 63) *mf* *mp*

See... This dark storm-y hour, The

ten. , *mp*

See... This dark hour, The

ten. , *mp*

See... This dark hour,

ten. *div.* , *unis. mp*

See... dark hour,

6

ten. , (♩ = c. 63) *mp*

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Duration: c. 3 minutes

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mf

wind, it stirs. The scorched earth cries out in

mf

wind, it stirs. The scorched earth cries out in

mf

wind, stirs. The scorched earth cries out in

mf

wind, stirs. The scorched earth cries out in

div.

unis.

11

mf

15

mf *mp*

vain, in vain: O war and pow-er, you blind and

vain, vain: war pow-er you blind and

vain, vain: war pow-er blind

vain, vain: war pow-er blind

15

20 *mf* blur. The torn heart cries out in

mf blur. The torn heart cries out

mf blur. The torn heart cries out

mf blur. The torn heart cries out

20 *mf*

24 *mp* pain, in pain. But mu-sic and sing-ing have been my re-fuge,—

mp pain, pain. mu-sic and sing-ing have been my re-fuge,—

mp pain, pain. mu-sic and sing-ing have been my re-fuge,—

mp pain, pain.

24 *mp* *p* (dolce)

29

And mu - sic and sing - ing shall be my light. *div.*

And mu - sic sing - ing be my light.

8 And mu - sic and sing - ing shall be my light.

p (dolce)

mu - sic sing - ing be my light.

29

33

mf *unis.* A light of song, shin - ing strong: *ff* Al - le - lu - ia! *p (echo)* Al - le -

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37 *mp* *f* *mp*

lu - ia. Through dark - ness and pain and strife, I'll sing, I'll

mp *f* *p*

lu - ia. Through dark - ness and pain and strife, sing,

mp *f* *p*

lu - ia. Through dark - ness and pain and strife, I'll sing,

div. *mp* *f* *p* *unis.*

lu - ia. Through dark - ness and pain and strife, sing,

37

41 *rit. to end* *ten.* *pp*

Be, Live, See... Peace. Peace.

mf *ten.* *pp*

Be, I'll Live, See... Peace. Peace.

div. *ten.* *pp*

Be, Live, See... Peace. Peace.

div. *ten.* *pp*

Be, Live, See... Peace. Peace.

41 *mf* *rit. to end* *ten.* *pp*