

TO DONALD HUNT

In Evil
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(By the waters of Babylon)

A MOTET FOR DOUBLE CHOIR

Words from Psalm 137

Music by

HERBERT SUMSION

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Andante (♩ = c. 64), doloroso

Coro I
(or Decani)

S
A

T
B

By the

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p

p

Coro II
(or Cantoris)

S
A

Andante (♩ = c. 64), sempre legato

pp

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T
B

pp

* Sing the 'Ah' vowel with lips almost closed. The sound is to be continuous, so breathing must be organised sectionally, and copies marked accordingly.

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wa - ters of Ba - by - lon we sat down and wept.

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pp

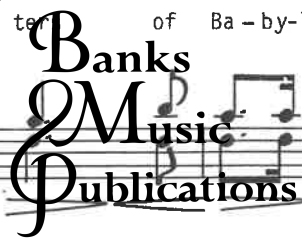
*Ah**

pp

p

dim.

By the wa - ters of Ba - by - lon we sat down, sat



dim.

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When we re-

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down, sat down and wept.

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poco rit.

Amp

mem-ber'd thee O Zi-on. By the wa-ters of

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poco rit.

A tempo

Ah

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Ba-by-lon we sat down and wept. Ah

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By the

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p *dim.*

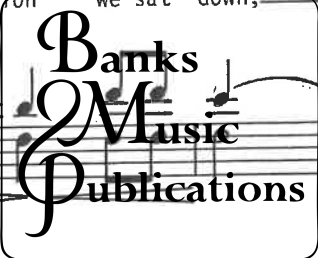
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p *dim.*

dim.

wa - ters of Ba-by-lon we sat down, sat down, sat

dim.



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mp



When we re - mem - ber'd thee 0 Zi - on.

mp



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mp



down and wept.

When we re -

mp



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p

rit.

p



Ah

As for our

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p



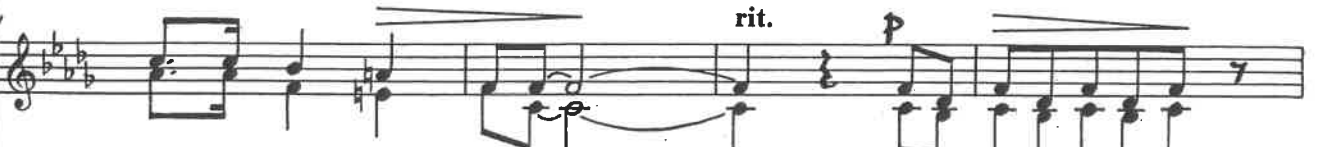
rit.

p

mem - ber'd thee 0 Zi - on.

Ah

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p

A tempo

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harps we hanged them up, up-on the trees that are there-

A tempo

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Ah

pp

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p

cresc.

in.

Ah

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p

cresc.

mp

3

cresc.

As for our harps we hanged them up, up-on the

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cresc.

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mf

For they that

dim.

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mf animato

trees, the trees that are there - in.

dim.

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cresc.

led us a - way cap - tive re - quired of us then a song, a song and

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cresc.

mp

Ah



mp

più animato

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mel - o - dy in our heav - i - ness.

più animato

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For they that led us a - way

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mf

accel.

Ah

mf

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accel. cresc. molto

cap - tive re - quired of us then a song, a song and mel - o - dy in our



f

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Sing us one of the songs of Zi - on,

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heav - i - ness. Sing us one of the songs of Zi -

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Sing us one of the songs of Zi - on, of

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- on, Sing us one of the songs of Zi -

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Sing us one of the songs of Zi -



dim.

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Zi-on, of Zi-on. How shall we sing the Lord's song,

dim.

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- on of Zi-on, of Zi-on. How shall we sing the

dim.

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How shall we sing the Lord's song In a strange land, In a

dim.

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Lord's song In a strange land, In a



rit. molto

mp

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strange land, In a strange, a

mp

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strange land, In a strange, a

rit. molto

mp

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strange land? If I for-get thee O Je - ru - sa - lem Let my

animato

mf

SOLO*

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mf

animato

mf

strange land?

Let my



mf

* Optional

Con fuoco (♩ = c.100)

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right hand for-get her cun-ning. — If I do not re-mem-ber thee Let my

SOLO*

mp

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Con fuoco (♩ = c.100)

ff

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right hand for-get her cun-ning. — Let my

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ff

tongue cleave to the roof, — Let my tongue cleave to the roof, — to the

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tongue cleave to the roof, — Let my tongue cleave to the roof, — to the



slentando

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roof of my mouth. Yea if I pre - fer not Je - ru - sa - lem in my

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roof of my mouth. Yea if I pre - fer not Je - ru - sa - lem in my

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rit. poco a poco.

mirth, in my mirth, in my mirth,

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rit. poco a poco

mirth, in my mirth, in my mirth,

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Tempo 1, doloroso (♩ = c. 64)

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my mirth.

my mirth.

Ah

By the wa - ters of Ba - by-lon we sat down and



poco rit.

a tempo

- mem-ber'd mee O Zi-on. By the wa - ters of

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poco rit.

a tempo

Ah

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Ba - by-lon we sat down and wept. Ah

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mp

By the



mp

p

dim.

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p

dim.

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wa - ters of Ba - by-lon we sat down, sat down, sat

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sat down and wept, sat

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down and wept, sat down and wept, sat



rit. poco a poco

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down and wept, wept, wept,

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wept, and wept, and wept,

rit. poco a poco

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down and wept, wept, wept,

wept, and wept, and wept,

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wept.

wept.

wept.

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wept.

pp