

Commissioned by the Lewis University A Cappella Choir, Dr. Lawrence Sisk, conductor

SUITE FOR EASTER

A SUCCESSION OF EARLY AMERICAN HYMNS FOR CHOIR AND 4-HAND PIANO

THE CROSS OF CHRIST. Swiftly ♩=144

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The musical score is for the hymn "The Cross of Christ" in 4/4 time, marked "Swiftly" with a tempo of 144 beats per minute. It is arranged for a four-part choir (Soprano, Alto, Tenor, Bass) and a four-hand piano (Primo and Secondo). The key signature has two flats (B-flat and E-flat). The lyrics "The" are placed under the final note of each vocal line. The piano accompaniment features a rhythmic pattern of eighth notes and triplets, with dynamics ranging from *f* (forte) to *mf* (mezzo-forte). The score includes measures 2, 3, and 4, with measure numbers 2, 3, and 4 indicated above the vocal staves. The piano parts include various articulations such as accents and slurs.

S
cross of Christ in - spires my heart to sing re - deem - ing grace; A - wake, my soul, and

A
cross of Christ in - spires my heart to sing re - deem - ing grace; A - wake, my soul, and

T
cross of Christ in - spires my heart to sing re - deem - ing grace; A - wake, my soul, and

B
cross of Christ in - spires my heart to sing re - deem - ing grace; A - wake, my soul, and

Pno. 1

Pno. 2

S
bear a part in my Re - deem - er's praise. Oh, who can be com - pared to Him Who

A
bear a part in my Re - deem - er's praise. Oh, who can be com - pared to Him Who

T
bear a part in my Re - deem - er's praise. Oh, who can be com - pared to Him Who

B
bear a part in my Re - deem - er's praise. Oh, who can be com - pared to Him Who

Pno. 1

Pno. 2

15 16 17 18 19

S died up - on the tree? This is my dear de - light - ful theme, that Je - sus died for

A died up-on the tree? This is my dear de - light - ful theme, that Je - sus died for

T died up - on the tree? This is my dear de - light - ful theme, that Je - sus died for

B died up - on the tree? This is my dear de - light - ful theme, that Je - sus died for

Pno. 1

Pno. 2

20 21 22 23 24

S me.

A me.

T me.

B me.

Pno. 1

Pno. 2

27 Same pulse (♩. = 146)

25 26 28

S

A *mf*
O, was it for crimes I had

T *mf* *melody*
O, was it for crimes I had

B *mf*
O, was it for crimes I had

27 Same pulse (♩. = 146)

Pno. 1
mp

Pno. 2
mp

29 30 31 32

S

A done, the Sav - ior was hail'd with a kiss! By Ju - das the trai - tor a -

T done, the Sav - ior was hail'd with a kiss! By Ju - das the trai - tor a -

B done, the Sav - ior was hail'd with a kiss! By Ju - das the trai - tor a -

Pno. 1

Pno. 2

33 *mp* 34 35 26

S
Was ev - er com - pas - sion like this?

A
lone, Was ev - er com - pas - sion like this?

T
8 - lone, Was ev - er com - pas - sion like this? *f* They made him a crown out of

B
lone, Was ev - er com - pas - sion like this? *f* They made him a crown out of

Pno. 1

Pno. 2

37 **WONDROUS LOVE.** 38 39 40

S
What won - d'rous love is this, oh my soul, oh my

A
mp
What won - d'rous love is this, oh my soul, oh my

T
8 thorns; They smote him and did him a - buse; They cloth'd him with crim-son, in

B
thorns; They _____ smote him and did him a - buse; _____ They cloth'd him with crim-son, in

Pno. 1

Pno. 2

41 42 43 44 $\text{♪} = \text{♪}$

S soul! What won - d'rous love is this, oh my soul! What

A soul! What won - d'rous love is this, oh my soul! What

T scorn, And hail'd him the King of the Jews.

B scorn, And hail'd him the King of the Jews, King of the Jews.

Pno. 1

Pno. 2

45 46 47 48 49

S won - d'rous love is this, That caused the Lord of _ bliss to

A won - d'rous love is this, That caused _ the Lord of bliss

T

B

Pno. 1

Pno. 2

50 51 52 53 54

S bear the dread - ful curse for my soul, for my soul, To bear the dread - ful

A to bear the dread - ful curse for my soul, To bear the dread - ful

T

B

Pno. 1

Pno. 2

55 56 57 58 59

S curse for my soul.

A curse for my soul.

T

B

Pno. 1

Pno. 2

LENA.
Andante (Chorale) 71

69 70 72 73 74 75

S See the Lord of glo-ry dy-ing! See him gasp-ing! Hear ___ him cry-ing! See his bur - den'd

A See the Lord of glo-ry dy-ing! See him gasp-ing! Hear him cry-ing! See his bur - den'd

T See the Lord of glo-ry dy-ing! See him gasp-ing! Hear him cry-ing! See his bur - den'd

B See the Lord of glo-ry dy-ing! See him gasp-ing! Hear ___ him cry-ing! See his bur - den'd

LENA.
Andante (Chorale) 71

rit. mp

Pno. 1

rit. mp

Pno. 2

76 77 78 79 80 81

S bo-som heave! _____ Look, ye sin-ners, ye that hung him: Look how deep your sins_ have_ stung him, Dy - ing

A bo-som heave! _____ Look, ye sin-ners, ye_ that_ hung him: Look how deep your sins have_ stung him, Dy - ing

T bo-som heave! _____ Look, ye sin-ners, ye that hung him: Look how deep your sins have stung him, Dy - ing

B bo-som heave! _____ Look, ye sin-ners, ye_ that hung him: Look how deep your sins have stung him, Dy - ing

82 *rit.* **83** *a tempo* 84 85 86

S sin - ners, look and live.

A sin - ners, look and live.

T sin - ners, look and live.

B sin - ners, look and live.

Pno. 1 **83**

Pno. 2 *mp*

88 EASTER ANTHEM. (Wm. Billings)
Allegretto (♩ = c. 108)

87 *mf* 89 90 91 92 93

S And did he rise? And did he

A *mf* And did he rise? And did he

T *mf* And did he rise? And did he rise?

B *mf* And did he rise? And did he rise?

88 EASTER ANTHEM. (Wm. Billings)
Allegretto (♩ = c. 108)

Pno. 1 *tr.* *acc.* *tr.*

Pno. 2 *acc.*

94 95 *f* 96 97 98 99 *10mf* 101

S rise? Did he rise? Did he rise? Hear it, ye na - tions!

A rise? Did he rise? Did he rise? Hear it, ye na - tions!

T Did he rise? Did he rise?

B Did he rise? Did he rise?

Pno. 1 *f*

Pno. 2 *f* *mf*

102 *f* 103 *mp* 104 105 106 107 *f* 108 109 110

S Hear it, O ye dead! He rose, He rose! He rose! He

A Hear it, O ye dead! He rose, He rose! He burst, he

T Hear it, O ye dead! He rose, He rose! He burst the bars of death!

B Hear it, O ye dead! He rose, He rose! He rose! He burst the bars of death! He

Pno. 1 *f*

Pno. 2 *f*

S
burst the bars of death! He burst the bars of death! And tri-umph'd_ o'er, And

A
burst the bars of death! He burst the bars of death! And tri - umph'd_ o'er, And

T
He_ burst_ the bars of death! And_ tri - umph'd_ o'er, And

B
burst the bars of death! He burst the bars of death! And tri-umph'd_ o'er, And

mp *ff* *mp* *ff* *mp* *ff*

Pno. 1

Pno. 2

S
tri - umph'd_ o'er the grave._____ Hal_

A
tri - umph'd o'er the grave._____ The Lord_ is ris - en in deed!_ (ris'n_)

T
tri - umph'd_ o'er_ the grave._____ Hal_

B
tri - umph'd o'er the grave._____ Hal_

f *mf* *f* *f*

Pno. 1

Pno. 2

122 *Swiftly* - 144

126 127 128 129 130 131 132 133

S le - lu - jah! The Lord is ris - en in deed! Hal - le - lu - - - jah!

A Ha - le - lu - jah! Hal - le - lu - - - jah!

T le - lu - jah! The Lord is ris - en in deed! Hal - le - lu - - - jah!

B le - lu - jah! Hal - le - lu - - - jah!

Pno. 1

Pno. 2

134 135 136 137 138 139 140 141

S

A

T

B sturdy
Now is Christ ris - en from the dead, And be - come the first-fruit of them that slept.

Pno. 1

Pno. 2

142 143 144 145 146 147 148

S Now is Christ ris - en from the dead, the first - fruit of them that

A Now is Christ ris - en from the dead, the first - fruit of them that

T Now is Christ ris - en from the dead, and be - come the first - fruit of them that

B Now is Christ ris - en from the dead, and be - come the first - fruit of them that

142

Pno. 1

Pno. 2

149 150 *f* 151 152 153 154

S slept. And be - come the first-fruit of them that slept.

A slept. The first-fruit of them that slept.

T slept. The first-fruit of them that slept.

B slept. The first-fruit of them that slept.

Pno. 1

Pno. 2

buoyantly
6/8 + 3/4

156
HOPE.

155 157 158

S Sing praise! The tomb is void Where the Re - deem - er

A Sing praise! The tomb is void Where the Re - deem - er

T Sing praise! The tomb is void Where the Re - deem - er

B Sing praise! The tomb is void Where the Re - deem - er

Pno. 1

Pno. 2

159 160 161 162

S lay; Sing of our bonds de - stroyed, Our dark - ness turned to

A lay; Sing of our bonds de - stroyed, Our dark - ness turned to

T lay; Sing of our bonds de - stroyed, Our dark - ness turned to

B lay; Sing of our bonds de - stroyed, Our dark - ness turned to

Pno. 1

Pno. 2

171 172 173 175

S — Our hope is with him there. All hail the pow'r of

A — Our hope is with him there. All hail the pow'r of

T — Our hope is with him there.

B — Our hope is with him there.

Pno. 1

Pno. 2

174 CORONATION.

176 177 178 179 180

S Je - sus' name! Let an - gels pros - trate_ fall;

A Je - sus' name! Let an - gels pros - trate_ fall;

T — — — — — Bring forth the roy - al di - a - dem and_

B — — — — — Bring forth the roy - al di - a - dem and_

Pno. 1

Pno. 2

181 182 183 184 185

S Bring forth the roy - al di - a - dem and crown him

A Bring forth the roy - al di - a - dem and crown him

T crown him Lord of all, Bring forth the roy - al di - a - dem and crown him

B crown him Lord of all, Bring forth the roy - al di - a - dem and crown him

Pno. 1

Pno. 2

188 CORONATION / THE CROSS OF CHRIST.

186 187 189 190 191

S Lord of all. Oh, that with yon - der sa - cred

A Lord of all. Oh, that with yon - der sa - cred

T Lord of all. Oh, that with yon - der sa - cred

B Lord of all. Oh, that with yon - der sa - cred

188 CORONATION / THE CROSS OF CHRIST.

Pno. 1

Pno. 2

R.H. etc.

202 203 204 205 206

S — And — crown him Lord of

A — And — crown him Lord of

T — And — crown him Lord of

B — And — crown him Lord of

Pno. 1

Pno. 2

207 208 209 210

S all. — — — —

A all. — — — —

T all. — — — — Al - le-lu - - -

B all. — — — — Al - le-lu - - -

Pno. 1

Pno. 2

211 212 213

S Al - le - lu - - - - ia!

A Al - le - lu - - - - ia!

T ia!

B ia!

Pno. 1

Pno. 2

214 215 216 217

S A - - - - men!

A A - - - - men!

T Al - le - lu - - - - ia! A - - - - men!

B Al - le - lu - - - - ia! A

Pno. 1

Pno. 2