

Blessed is the Man

In memoriam Dr. Richard Gaumer

From Psalm 1

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Flowing

Soprano Alto Tenor Bass

Bless - ed, bless - ed, bless - ed
mp >> *mp* >> *mp* >>

Violin I Violin II Viola 1 Viola 2 Cello 1 Cello 2 Contrabass

Bless - ed, bless - ed, bless - ed, bless - ed
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S — is the man, bless - ed, bless - ed, bless - ed is the man

A is the man, bless - ed, bless - ed, bless - ed is the man

T — is the man, bless - ed, bless - ed, bless - ed is the man

B is the man, bless - ed, bless - ed, bless - ed is the man

Vln. I — *mp* < >

Vln. II — *mp* < >

Vla. 1 — *mp* < >

Vla. 2 —

Vc. 1 — *mp* < >

Vc. 2 —

Cb. — *mp* < >

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Soprano (S) vocal line:

p

that walk - eth not in the coun - sel of the un - god - ly,

Alto (A) vocal line:

p

that walk - eth not in the coun - sel of the un - god - ly,

Tenor (T) vocal line:

p

that walk - eth not in the coun - sel of the un - god - ly, **p**

Bass (B) vocal line:

Nor stand - eth

Violin I (Vln. I) instrumental line:

p

Violin II (Vln. II) instrumental line:

mp > **p**

Cello 1 (Vcl. 1) instrumental line:

> **p**

Cello 2 (Vcl. 2) instrumental line:

p

Cello Bass (Cb.) instrumental line:

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Soprano (S) vocal line:

mp *cresc.*
 nor sit - eth in the seat of the scorn-ful,
mp *cresc.*

Alto (A) vocal line:

nor sit - eth in the seat of the scorn-ful,
cresc.

Tenor (T) vocal line:

in the way of sin - ners, *mp* *cresc.*
cresc.

Bass (B) vocal line:

in the way of sin - ners, *mp* *cresc.*

Violin I (Vln. I) musical line:

mp *cresc.*

Violin II (Vln. II) musical line:

> *cresc.*

Cello 1 (Vcl. 1) musical line:

mp *cresc.*

Cello 2 (Vcl. 2) musical line:

< > *mp* *cresc.*

Cello Bass (Cb) musical line:

< > *mp* *cresc.*

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S — of the scorn-ful, — in the seat of the scorn-ful; *f*

A — of the scorn - ful, in the seat of the scorn-ful; *f*

T 8 seat of the scorn - ful, in the seeat of the scorn-ful; *f*

B seat of the scorn - ful, in the seat of the scorn-ful; *f*

Vln. I

Vln. II *f* *mp*

Vla. 1 *f* *mf* *mp* >

Vla. 2 *f*

Vc. 1 *f* *mp*

Vc. 2 *f* *mp*

Cb. *f*

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Soprano (S) *p*
 Alto (A) *p*
 Tenor (T) *p*
 Bass (B) *p*

But his de - light is in the law of the Lord, his de - light is in the
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Vln. I *mf* *mp*
 Vln. II *p* *mp*
 Vla. 1 *p* *mp*
 Vla. 2 *pp* *p*
 Vc. 1 *pp* *p*
 Vc. 2 *pp* *p*
 Cb. *p*

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Soprano (S) voice part:

law of the Lord, *mf* and on his law doth he *p*

Alto (A) voice part:

law of the Lord, *mf* and on his law doth he *p*

Tenor (T) voice part:

⁸ law of the Lord, *mf* and on his law doth he *p*

Bass (B) voice part:

law of the Lord, *mf* and on his law doth he *p*

Violin I (Vln. I) instrument part:

mf dynamic with slurs and *p* dynamic with slurs

Violin II (Vln. II) instrument part:

mf dynamic with slurs

Viola 1 (Vla. 1) instrument part:

mf dynamic with slurs and *p* dynamic with slurs

Viola 2 (Vla. 2) instrument part:

mf dynamic with slurs and *p* dynamic with slurs

Cello (Vc. 1) instrument part:

mf dynamic with slurs and *p* dynamic with slurs

Cello (Vc. 2) instrument part:

mf dynamic with slurs and *p* dynamic with slurs

CDouble Bass (Cb.) instrument part:

mp dynamic with slurs and *p* dynamic with slurs

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S
A
T
B

med-i-tate day and night.

Vln. I
Vln. II
Vla. 1
Vla. 2
Vc. 1
Vc. 2
Cb.

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Soprano (S) voice part:

mp And he shall be like a tree,
cresc. And he shall be like a tree,
mf And he shall be like a tree,

Alto (A) voice part:

mp And he shall be like a tree,
cresc. And he shall be like a tree,
mf And he shall be like a tree,

Tenor (T) voice part:

cresc. he shall be like a tree,
cresc. he shall be like a tree,
mf he shall be like a tree,

Bass (B) voice part:

he shall be like a tree,
cresc. he shall be like a tree,
mf he shall be like a tree,

Violin I (Vln. I) instrument part:

mf

Violin II (Vln. II) instrument part:

mp cresc.
mf

Viola 1 (Vla. 1) instrument part:

mp cresc.
mf

Viola 2 (Vla. 2) instrument part:

p cresc.
mf

Cello (C) instrument part:

cresc.
mf

Bassoon (Cb.) instrument part:

cresc.
mf

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S he shall be like a tree plant - ed by the riv - ers,

A tree, plant - ed by the riv - ers of wa - ter, by the riv -

T 8 tree plant - ed by the riv - ers of wa - ter, by the

B by the riv - ers of wa - ter, the riv - ers of wa -

Vln. I

Vln. II

Vla. 1

Vla. 2

Vc. 1

Vc. 2

Cb.

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78 by the riv - ers of wa - ter.

S by the riv - ers of wa - ter.

A - ers, the riv - ers of wa - ter.

T 8 ric - ers, the riv - ers of wa - ter.

B ter, the riv - ers of wa - ter.

Vln. I

Vln. II

Vla. 1

Vla. 2

Vc. 1

Vc. 2

Cb.

The musical score consists of two systems of music. The top system features four vocal parts (Soprano, Alto, Tenor, Bass) and the bottom system features seven instrumental parts (Violin I, Violin II, Viola, Cello, Double Bass, and a second Double Bass part). The vocal parts sing a four-line phrase starting with 'by the riv - ers of wa - ter.' The instrumental parts play eighth-note patterns with various dynamics (e.g., *mp*, *mf*) and slurs. Measure numbers 78 and 8 are indicated at the beginning of each system. The vocal parts continue their line with 'ers, the riv - ers of wa - ter.' and 'ric - ers, the riv - ers of wa - ter.' respectively. The instrumental parts continue their eighth-note patterns throughout the measures.

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Soprano (S) vocal line:

- Measures 1-7: Rests.
- Measure 8: Dynamics: **p**.
- Measure 9: Vocal line begins with "And he shall be like a tree," followed by a melodic line with eighth-note patterns.
- Measure 10: Dynamics: **cresc.**
- Measure 11: Dynamics: **mp**.

Alto (A) vocal line:

- Measures 1-7: Rests.
- Measure 8: Dynamics: **p**.
- Measure 9: Vocal line continues with "And he shall be like a tree," followed by a melodic line with eighth-note patterns.
- Measure 10: Dynamics: **cresc.**
- Measure 11: Dynamics: **mp**.

Tenor (T) vocal line:

- Measures 1-7: Rests.
- Measure 8: Dynamics: **p**.
- Measure 9: Vocal line continues with "And he shall be like a tree," followed by a melodic line with eighth-note patterns.
- Measure 10: Dynamics: **cresc.**
- Measure 11: Dynamics: **mp**.

Bass (B) vocal line:

- Measures 1-7: Rests.
- Measure 8: Dynamics: **p**.
- Measure 9: Vocal line continues with "And he shall be like a tree," followed by a melodic line with eighth-note patterns.
- Measure 10: Dynamics: **cresc.**
- Measure 11: Dynamics: **mp**.

Violin I (Vln. I) instrumental line:

- Measures 1-7: Rests.
- Measure 8: Dynamics: **p**.
- Measure 9: Rests.
- Measure 10: Dynamics: **p**.
- Measure 11: Dynamics: **p**.

Violin II (Vln. II) instrumental line:

- Measures 1-7: Rests.
- Measure 8: Dynamics: **p**.
- Measure 9: Rests.
- Measure 10: Dynamics: **p**.
- Measure 11: Dynamics: **mp**.

Viola 1 (Vla. 1) instrumental line:

- Measures 1-7: Rests.
- Measure 8: Dynamics: **pp**.
- Measure 9: Dynamics: **p**.
- Measure 10: Dynamics: **p**.
- Measure 11: Dynamics: **cresc.**

Viola 2 (Vla. 2) instrumental line:

- Measures 1-7: Rests.
- Measure 8: Dynamics: **pp**.
- Measure 9: Dynamics: **p**.
- Measure 10: Dynamics: **p**.
- Measure 11: Dynamics: **cresc.**

Cello 1 (Vc. 1) instrumental line:

- Measures 1-7: Rests.
- Measure 8: Dynamics: **p**.
- Measure 9: Dynamics: **p**.
- Measure 10: Dynamics: **p**.
- Measure 11: Dynamics: **cresc.**

Cello 2 (Vc. 2) instrumental line:

- Measures 1-7: Rests.
- Measure 8: Dynamics: **pp**.
- Measure 9: Dynamics: **p**.
- Measure 10: Dynamics: **p**.
- Measure 11: Dynamics: **cresc.**

CDouble Bass (Cb.) instrumental line:

- Measures 1-7: Rests.
- Measure 8: Dynamics: **p**.
- Measure 9: Dynamics: **p**.
- Measure 10: Dynamics: **p**.
- Measure 11: Dynamics: **cresc.**

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Soprano (S) vocal line:

mf And he shall be like a tree,
cresc. like a
 he shall be like a tree, and he shall be
mf like a tree, a tree plant-ed by the
cresc.

Alto (A) vocal line:

be like a tree, a tree plant-ed by the
cresc.

Tenor (T) vocal line:

mf he shall be like a tree like a tree
cresc.

Bass (B) vocal line:

mf tree, and he shall be like a tree plant-ed
cresc.

Violin I (Vln. I) musical line:

mf cresc.

Violin II (Vln. II) musical line:

cresc. *mf* cresc.

Cello 1 (Vcl. 1) musical line:

mf cresc.

Cello 2 (Vcl. 2) musical line:

mf cresc.

Bassoon (Cb.) musical line:

mf (bass note) cresc.

* Play the low E-flat if the bass has a low-C extension.

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tree plant-ed by the riv - ers of wa - - **f** ter, by the riv -

S 101 like a tree plant - ed by the riv - ers of wa - - **f** ter, by the

A riv - - ers of wa - - ter, the riv - - ers of wa - -

T 8 plant - ed by the riv - - ers of wa - - **f** ter, the riv - - ers of wa - -

B by the riv - - ers of wa - - ter, plant - ed by the

Vln. I 101

Vln. II

Vla. 1

Vla. 2

Vc. 1

Vc. 2

Cb.

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 S: ers, by the riv - - ers, the riv - - ers of wa - - ter.
 riv - - ers of wa - - ter, by the riv - - ers of wa - - ter.
 A: ter, the riv - - ers, the ri - vers, the riv - - ers of wa - - ter.
 T: 8 ter, the riv - - ers, the riv - - ers, the riv - - ers of wa - - ter.
 B: riv - - ers, by the riv - - ers, by the riv - - ers of wa - - ter.

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 Vln. I:
 Vln. II:
 Vla. 1:
 Vla. 2:
 Vc. 1:
 Vc. 2:
 Cb:

Poco sostenuto

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Soprano (S): A tree plant-ed by riv - ers, by riv - ers of wa -

Alto (A): A tree plant-ed by riv - ers, by riv - ers of wa -

Tenor (T): A tree plant-ed by riv - ers, by riv - ers of wa -

Bass (B): A tree plant-ed by riv - ers, by riv - ers of wa -

Poco sostenuto

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Vln. I

Vln. II

Vla. 1

Vla. 2

Vc. 1

Vc. 2

Cb.

Rit.

123

S

A

T

B

ter.

ter.

ter.

123

Soprano (S)

Alto (A)

Tenor (T)

Bass (B)

ter.

ter.

ter.

Rit.

Vln. I

Vln. II

Vla. 1

Vla. 2

Vc. 1

Vc. 2

Cb.

123

123

Vln. I

Vln. II

Vla. 1

Vla. 2

Vc. 1

Vc. 2

Cb.