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Eternal Father

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Moderato

Soprano I *mf*
E - ter - nal Fa - - ther who didst all cre - ate,

Soprano II *mf*
E - ter - nal Fa - - ther who didst all cre - ate,

Alto *mf*
E - ter - nal Fa - - ther who didst all cre - ate,

Tenor *mf*
E - ter - nal Fa - - ther who didst all cre - ate,

Bass I *mf*
E - ter - nal Fa - - ther who didst all cre - ate,

Bass II *mf*
E - ter - nal Fa - - ther who didst all cre - ate,

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p
in whom we live and to whose bo - - - som move,

p
in whom we live and to whose bo - - - som move,

p
in whom we live and to whose bo - - - som move,

p
in whom we live and to whose bo - som move,

p *mf*
in whom we live and to whose bo - som move, to

p
in whom we live and to whose bo - som move,

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loud prai-ses sound, its loud prai-ses sound at heav'n's high gate. *ff*

loud prai-ses sound, its prai - ses sound at heav'n's high gate. *ff*

loud prai-ses sound, its loud prai - ses sound at heav'n's high gate. *ff*

loud prai - ses sound, till its prai - ses sound at heav'n's high gate. *ff*

loud prai - ses sound at heav'n's high gate. *ff*

loud prai - ses sound, its prai - ses sound at heav'n's high gate. *ff*

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Per - fect thy *p*

Per - fect thy king - - dom in our pass - ing state, *p*

Per - fect thy king - - dom in our pass - ing state, *p*

Per - fect thy king - dom in our pass - ing state, *p*

Per - fect thy *p*

Per - fect thy king-dom in our pass - ing state, *p*

king - - dom in our pass - - - ing state, that
 per - fect thy king - dom in our pass - - ing state,
 per - fect thy king - - dom in our pass - - ing state,
 per - fect thy king - dom in our pass - - ing, pass - ing state,
 king - dom in our pass - ing state, in our pass - ing state,
 per - fect thy king - - dom in our pass - - ing state,

here on earth, that here on earth thou mayst as well ap -
 thou mayst as well ap -
 that here on earth, that here on earth thou mayst ap -
 thou mayst as well ap -
 that here on earth, that here on earth thou mayst as well ap -
 that here on earth, that here on earth

f prove our ser - - - vice *p* as thou own - est theirs a -
 prove our ser - - - vice *f* as thou own - est theirs a -
 prove our ser - - - vice *f* as thou own - est theirs a -
 prove our ser - - - vice *f* as thou own - est theirs a -
 mayst ap prove our ser - vice *f* as thou own - est theirs a -
 thou mayst ap-prove our ser - vice *f* as thou own - est theirs a -

f bove, whose joy we e - cho, whose joy we e - cho, whose joy
f bove, whose joy we e - cho, whose joy we e - cho, whose joy
f bove, whose joy we e - cho, whose joy
f bove, whose joy we e - cho, whose joy we e - cho, whose
f bove, whose joy we e - cho, whose joy we e - cho, whose
f bove, whose joy we e - cho, whose joy we e - cho, whose

we e - cho, and in pain a - wait.

we e - cho, and in pain a - wait.

joy we e - cho, and in pain a - wait.

joy we e - cho, and in pain a - wait.

joy we e - cho, and in pain a - wait.

joy we e - cho, and in pain a - wait.

Poco animato

Grant bo-dy and soul each day their dai - ly bread: _____

Grant bo-dy and soul each day their dai - ly bread: _____

Grant bo-dy and soul each day their dai - ly bread: _____

Grant bo-dy and soul each

Grant bo-dy and soul each

Grant bo-dy and soul each

And should in

And should in spite of grace, *cresc.*

And should in spite of grace, *cresc.* in

day their dai - ly bread: And should in spite of grace, *cresc.* in

day their dai - ly bread: And should in spite of grace, *cresc.* in

day their dai - ly bread: And should in spite of

cresc. spite of grace fresh woe be - gin, e'vn as our an - -

of grace fresh woe be - gin, e'vn as our an - -

spite of grace fresh woe be - gin, e'vn as our an - -

spite of grace fresh woe be - gin, e'vn as our

spite of grace fresh woe be - gin, e'vn as our

grace fresh woe, fresh woe be - gin, e'vn as our

- ger soon _____ is past and dead, _____
 - ger soon is past, _____ past _____ and dead, be
 - ger soon _____ is past, _____ is past and dead, be
 an - - ger soon is past, _____ is past and dead, be
 an - - ger soon is past, is past and dead, be
 an - - ger soon _____ is past _____ and dead, be

be thy re - mem - - - brance mor - tal of our sin:
 thy re - mem - - - brance mor - tal of our sin:
 thy re - mem - - - brance mor - tal
 thy re - mem - - - brance mor - tal
 thy re - mem - - - brance mor - tal of our sin,
 thy re - mem - - - brance mor - tal of our sin,

be thy re - mem - brance mor - tal of our sin:

be thy re - mem - brance mor - tal, mor - tal of our sin:

be thy re - mem - brance mor - tal of our sin:

be thy re - mem - brance mor - tal of our sin:

Molto tranquillo

By thee in paths of peace, in paths of

By thee in paths of peace, in paths of peace

By thee in paths, by thee in paths of

By thee in paths, by thee in paths of

By thee in paths of peace, by thee in paths of

By thee in paths of peace, in paths of peace thy

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peace thy sheep be led, by thee in paths of

thy sheep be led,

peace thy sheep be led, by thee in paths of

peace thy sheep be led, by thee in paths of

peace thy sheep be led, by thee in paths of

sheep be led,

pp

pp

pp

pp

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peace thy sheep be led, and in the vale, and in the vale

thy sheep be led, and in the vale

peace thy sheep be led, and in the vale, and in the

peace thy sheep be led, and in the vale, and in the

peace thy sheep be led, and in the vale, and in the

thy sheep be led, and in the vale, and in the

p

pp

p

p

p

pp

p

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of ter - - ror,
of ter - - ror,
vale of ter - - ror, and in the vale
vale of ter - - ror, and in the vale, the vale
vale of ter - ror, and in the vale, and in the vale, the
vale of ter - ror, and in the vale, and in the

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of ter - ror,
of ter - ror, and in the vale of ter - ror,
of ter - ror, and in the vale of ter - ror,
of ter - ror, and in the vale of ter - ror,
vale of ter - ror, and in the vale of ter - ror,
vale of ter - ror, and in the vale of ter - ror,

pp com - fort-ed, com - fort-ed, com - fort-ed,

pp com - fort - ed, com - fort - ed,

pp com - fort - ed, com - fort - ed, com - fort -

pp com - fort - ed, com - fort - ed, com - fort -

com - fort -

pp com - - - - fort - ed. *rit.*

pp in the vale of *poco* ter - - - - ror com - - - - fort - ed.

poco ed, in the vale of *poco* ter - - - - ror com - - - - fort - ed.

poco ed, in the vale of *poco* ter - - - - ror com - - - - fort - ed.

poco ed, in the vale of *poco* ter - - - - ror com - - - - fort - ed.

pp com - - - - fort - ed.