

for my grandfather
ELEGY

Daniel Elder
Based on "Taps"

Horace Lorenzo Trim

Daniel Adams Butterfield, 1831-1901

Molto quiete $\text{♩} = 60$

S *ppp* *p* *ppp*
Day is done, gone the

A *ppp* *p* *ppp*
Day is done, gone the

T *ppp* *p* *ppp*
Day is done, gone the

B *ppp* *p* *ppp*
Day is done, gone the

for rehearsal only

p *pp* *mp*
sun from the lakes,

p *pp* *mp*
sun from the lakes,

p *pp* *mp*
sun from the lakes,

p *pp* *mp*
sun from the lakes,

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13 *pp* *mp* *p*

from the hills, from the

pp *mp* *p*

from the hills, from the

pp *mp* *p*

from the hills, from the

pp *mp* *p*

from the hills, from the

13 E g# f#

19 *mf* *pp sempre*

sky. All

mf *pp* *p*

sky. All is well,

mf *p*

sky. All is well,

mf *p*

sky. All is well,

19 A C# E A

25

ppp *p* *lamentare*

is well: God is nigh.

pp *ppp* *p* *lamentare*

Safe - ly rest: God is nigh.

pp *ppp* *p* *lamentare*

Safe - ly rest: God is nigh.

pp *ppp* *p* *lamentare*

Safe - ly rest: God is nigh.

25

Poco meno mosso $\text{♩} = 56$

31 *pp* *niente* *p*

hum Oo,

pp *pp* *p*

hum Oo,

pp *sotto voce* *pp* *p*

hum Oo,

pp *sotto voce* *pp* *p*

hum Oo,

31

37 *Soprano solo I* *mp come una tromba*
Fad - ing light _____ dims the sight and a star

Soprano solo II *p come un eco*
Fad - ing light _____ dims the sight _____ and a

Soprano solo III *p come un eco*
Fad - ing light _____ dims the sight

37 *S*

A

T

B

37

42 *mf*
gems the sky, gleam-ing bright. From a - far, draw - ing

mp
star gems the sky, gleam-ing bright. From a - far, draw -

mp
and a star gems the sky, gleam-ing bright. From a - far,

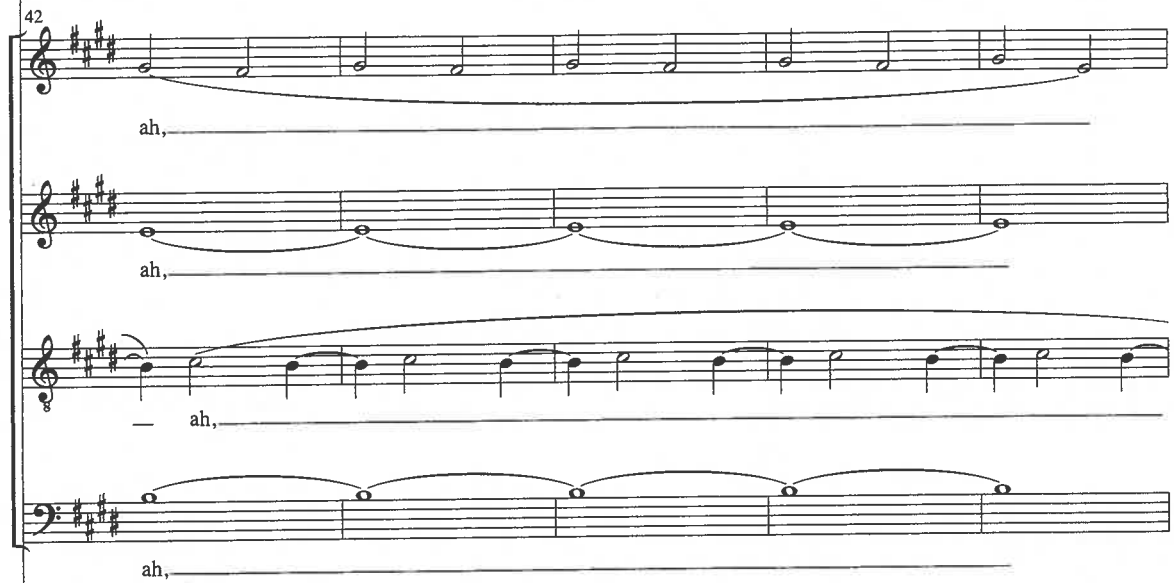


42
ah, _____

ah, _____

ah, _____

ah, _____



42



47 *mp* *niente*
nigh, _____ falls the night. _____
p *niente*
ing nigh, _____ falls the night. _____
p *niente*
draw - ing nigh, _____ falls the night. _____

47
oo. _____
p come un eco
oo. _____ Falls the
oo. _____
pp
oo. _____

47

Tempo I $\text{♩} = 60$

52 *come un eco*
pp

Falls the night, falls the night.

pp *p lamentare*

night, falls the night.

pp *p lamentare*

Nigh.

p lamentare

Nigh.

52

58 *pp* *ppp* *p*

Thanks and praise

pp *ppp* *p*

hum Thanks and praise

pp *ppp* *p*

hum Thanks and praise

pp *ppp* *p*

hum Thanks and praise

58

65 *pp* *mp* *mf*

for _____ our days _____ neath _____ the sun, _____

for _____ our days _____ neath _____ the sun, _____

for _____ our days _____ neath _____ the sun, _____

for _____ our days _____ neath _____ the sun, _____

65

72 *ppp* *p* *ppp*

neath _____ the stars, _____ neath _____ the

neath _____ the stars, _____ neath _____ the

neath _____ the stars, _____ neath _____ the

neath _____ the stars, _____ neath _____ the

72

78

sky. As we go, this we

sky. As we go: this we

sky. As we go, this we

sky. As we go, this we

78

85

know: God is nigh,

God is nigh,

know: God is nigh,

know: God is nigh,

85

91 *pp* *pp*

nigh. _____ hum _____

pp *pp*

nigh. _____ hum _____

pp *pp*

nigh. _____ hum _____

pp *pp*

nigh. _____ hum _____

97 *pppp* *pppp*

hum _____ hum _____

pppp *pppp*

hum _____ hum _____

pppp *pppp*

hum _____ hum _____

pppp *pppp*

hum _____ hum _____