

Earth Song

Frank Ticheli

SATB Chorus, a Capella

With solemn reverence *p* (♩ = c 50)

1

Soprano

Sing, Be, Live,

Alto

Sing, Be, Live,

Tenor

Sing, Be, Live,

Bass

Sing, Be, Live,

6

S

See... This dark storm-y hour, The

A

See... This dark hour, The

T

See... This dark hour,

B

See... dark hour,

mp *mf* *mp*

11

S wind, it stirs. The scorched earth cries out in vain, in

A wind, it stirs. The scorched earth cries out in vain,

T wind, stirs. The scorched earth cries out in vain,

B wind, stirs. The scorched earth cries out in vain,

mf

16

S vain: O war and power, you blind and

A vain: war power you blind and

T vain: war power blind

B vain: war power blind

mf *mp*

20

mf *mf* *mp*

S blur. The_ torn_ heart_ cries_ out_ in pain, in_

mf *mp*

A blur. The torn heart cries out pain,

mf *mp*

T blur. The_ torn_ heart_ cries_ out_ pain,

mf *mp*

B blur. The torn heart cries out pain,

25

p

S pain. But mu - sic and sing - ing have been my re - fuge,

p

A pain. mu - sic and sing - ing have been my re - fuge,

p

T pain. mu - sic and sing - ing have been my re - fuge,

p

B pain.

29

S — and mu - sic and sing - ing shall be my light. —

A — and mu - sic sing - ing be my light. —

T — and mu - sic and sing - ing shall be my light. —

B — mu - sic sing - ing be my light. —

33

mf — *f* *ff* *p*

S — A light of song, — shin - ing strong: Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le -

mf — *f* *ff* *p*

A — A light of song, — shin - ing strong: Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le -

mf — *f* *ff* *p*

T — A light of song, — shin - ing strong: Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le -

mf — *f* *ff* *p*

B — A light of song, — shin - ing strong: Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le -

37

mp *f* *mp*

S lu - ia. Through dark - ness and pain and strife, I'll sing, I'll

mp *f* *p*

A lu - ia. Through dark - ness and pain and strife, sing,

mp *f* *p*

T lu - ia. Through dark - ness and pain and strife, I'll sing,

mp *f* *p*

B lu - ia. Through dark - ness and pain and strife, sing,

41

pp $\text{♩} = 30$

S Be, Live, See... Peace. Peace.

pp

A Be, I'll Live, See... Peace. Peace.

pp

T Be, Live, See... Peace. Peace.

pp

B Be, Live, See... Peace. Peace.

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Sopraan

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p *mp* *mf* *mp*

1 Sing, _____ Be, _____ Live, _____ See... _____ This dark_ storm-y hour, The

11 *mf* *mf* *mp*
wind, it_ stirs. The scorched earth cries out in vain, in_ vain: O war and pow-er, you

19 *mf* *mf* *mp* *p*
blind_ and blur. The torn_ heart cries out _____ in pain, in_ pain. But mu-sic and

27 *mf*
sing-ing have been my re - fuge, _____ and mu-sic and sing-ing shall be my light. _____ A

34 *f* *ff* *p* *mp*
light of song, _____ shin - ing _____ strong: Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia. Through

38 *f* *mp*
dark - ness and pain and _____ strife, I'll sing, I'll _____

41 *pp* *♩ = 30*
Be, _____ Live, _____ See... _____ Peace. Peace.

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Alt

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1 *p* *mp*

Sing, _____ Be, _____ Live, _____ See... _____ This dark _____ hour, _____ The

11 *mf*

wind, it stirs, _____ The scorched earth cries out in vain, _____ vain: _____ war _____

18 *mf* *mp* *p*

pow - er you blind and blur, _____ The torn heart cries out _____ pain, _____ pain, _____ mu - sic and

27 *mf*

sing - ing have been my re - fuge, _____ and mu - sic sing - ing be my light, _____ A light of song,

35 *f* *ff* *p* *mp*

shin - ing strong: Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia. Through

38 *f* *p*

dark - ness and pain and _____ strife, _____ sing, _____ Be, I'll _____

42 *pp* *♩ = 30*

Live, _____ See... _____ Peace. Peace.

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Tenor

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1 *p* *mp*

Sing, _____ Be, _____ Live, _____ See... _____ This dark _____ hour, _____ wind, _____

12 *mf*

stirs. The _____ scorched earth _____ cries _____ out in vain, _____ vain: _____ war _____

18 *mf* *mp* *p*

pow - er blind _____ blur. The torn _____ heart cries _____ out _____ pain, _____ pain. _____ mu - sic and

27 *mf*

sing - ing have been my re - fuge, _____ and mu - sic and sing - ing shall be my light. _____ A

34 *f* *ff* *p* *mp*

light of song, shin - ing strong: Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia. Through

38 *f* *p*

dark - ness and pain and _____ strife, I'll sing, _____

41 *pp* ♩ = 30

Be, _____ Live, _____ See... _____ Peace. Peace.

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Bas

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1 *p* *mp*

Sing, _____ Be, _____ Live, _____ See... _____ dark _____ hour, _____ wind, _____

12 *mf*

stirs. _____ The scorched earth cries out in vain, _____ vain: _____ war _____

18 *mf* *mp* 4

pow - er blind _____ blur. _____ The torn heart cries out _____ pain, _____ pain. _____

30 *mf* *f* *ff*

mu - sic sing - ing be my light. _____ A light of song, shin - ing strong: Al - le -

36 *p* *mp* *f* *p*

lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia. Through dark - ness and pain and _____ strife, _____ sing. _____

41 ♩ = 30 *pp*

Be, _____ Live, _____ See... _____ Peace. Peace.