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*for SATB choir*





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duration 4'

scoring: SATB choir

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for Tom Hammond, in memoriam

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Andante ♩ = 66

*p* [optional solo]

Soprano

Per - haps one day the sun will shine a - gain, And I shall see that still the skies are blue, And

5

feel once more I do not live in vain, Al - though be - reft of You, al - though be - reft of

10

[tutti] *p* **A**

S You. Per - haps the gol - den mea - dows at my feet Will make the sun - ny hours of Spring seem

A Per - haps the gol - den mea - dows at my feet Will make the sun - ny hours of Spring seem

14

S gay, And I shall find the white May blos - soms sweet, Though you have passed a - way, though

A gay, And I shall find the white May blos - soms sweet, Though you have passed a - way, though

19

*mp* **B**

S You have passed a - way. Per - haps the sum - mer woods will shim - mer bright, And

A You have passed a - way. Per - haps the sum - mer woods will shim - mer bright, And

T Per - haps the sum - mer woods will shim - mer bright, And

B Per - haps the sum - mer woods will shim - mer bright, And

23

*mf* *mp*

S crim - son ro - ses once a - gain be fair, And au - tumn har - vest fields a rich de - light,

A crim - son ro - ses once a - gain be fair, And au - tumn har - vest fields a rich de - light,

T crim - son ro - ses once a - gain be fair, And au - tumn har - vest fields a rich de - light,

B crim - son ro - ses once a - gain be fair, And au - tumn fields a rich de - light,

27

*mf* *p* *mp*

S Al - though you are not there, al - though you are not there. Per -

A Al - though you are not there, al - though you are not there. Per -

T Al - though you are not there, al - though you are not there. Per -

B Al - though you are not there, al - though you are not there.

31

**C** *mf* *poco f*

S - haps some day I shall not shrink in pain To see the pas - sing of the dy - ing year, And

A - haps some day I shall not shrink in pain To see the pas - sing of the dy - ing year, And

T - haps some day I shall not shrink in pain To see the pas - sing of the dy - ing year, And

B I shall not shrink in pain To see the pas - ing of the dy - ing year, And

35

S  
lis - en to the Christ - mas songs a - gain, Al - though you can - not hear. *p*

A  
lis - en to the Christ - mas songs a - gain, Al - though you can - not hear. *p* *mf*

T  
lis - en to the Christ - mas songs a - gain, Al - though you can - not hear. *p* *mf*

B  
lis - ten to the Christ - mas songs a - gain, Al - though you can - not hear. *p* *mf*

39 **D**

S  
May joys re - new, There is one grea - test joy I shall not know A - *mf* *f* *mf*

A  
though kind Time may ma - ny joys re - new, There is one grea - test joy I shall not know A - *f* *mf*

T  
though kind Time may ma - ny joys re - new, There is one grea - test joy I shall not know A - *f* *mf*

B  
though kind Time may ma - ny joys re - new, *f*

43

S  
-gain, be - cause my heart for loss of You Was bro - ken long a - go. Per - *f* *p sub.* *Tempo I mp*

A  
-gain, be - cause my heart for loss of You Was bro - ken long a - go. *f* *p sub.*

T  
-gain, be - cause my heart for loss of You Was bro - ken long a - go. *f* *p sub.*

B  
be - cause my heart for loss of You long a - go. *mf* *f* *p*

*poco rall.....*

