

# Two Psalm Texts

## II. Preserve Me, O God

*for Soprano Solo, SATB Chorus (divisi) unaccompanied*

Psalm 16:1 (ESV)

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Mystically ♩ = c. 69

Soprano Solo

Pre - serve me, O God, for in you I take ref - uge.

5

S *pp* Pre - serve me, pre - serve me, pre - serve me, pre -

*pp* Pre - serve me, pre - serve me,

A *pp* Pre - serve me, pre - serve

T *pp* Pre - serve me,

B *pp* Pre - serve me,

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9 serve me, pre - serve me, pre - serve me, pre -

pre - serve me, pre - serve me, pre - serve me,

me, pre - serve me, pre - serve me, pre - serve

pre - serve me, O God, pre - serve me, O God, pre - serve me,

pre - serve me, O God, pre - serve me, O God, pre - serve me,

12

Sop. Solo *mp* Pre - serve me, O God,

S *p* serve me, O God,

A *p* me, O God,

T *p* pre - serve me, O God, pre - serve

B *p* pre - serve me, O God, pre - serve

\* The soprano soloist's music is not included in the keyboard reduction.

15

Pre - serve me, — O God, —

me, O God, — pre - serve me, O God, —

me, O God, — pre - serve me, O God, —

*pp*

*pp*

*pp*

*pp*

*pp*

*pp*

19 With ardor (♩ = 69)

*unis. mf*

*mf*

*mf* stagger breathe

*unis. mf* stagger breathe

Ah, —

Ah, —

With ardor (♩ = 69)

for in you I

for in you I

Ah, —

Ah, —

22

take ref - uge, \_\_\_\_\_ for in

take ref - uge, \_\_\_\_\_ for in

Musical score for measures 22-24. It features two vocal staves with lyrics, a piano accompaniment with a treble and bass clef, and a bass line. The music is in 8/8 time and includes a key signature change from one flat to two flats between measures 23 and 24.

25

you I take ref - uge, \_\_\_\_\_

you I take ref - uge, \_\_\_\_\_

Musical score for measures 25-28. It features two vocal staves with lyrics, a piano accompaniment with a treble and bass clef, and a bass line. The music is in 8/8 time and includes a key signature change from two flats to one flat between measures 27 and 28.

28

ref - uge, in you

ref - uge, in you

31

Sop. Solo for in you I take

S I take ref - uge, *f*

A *p* *um.* I take ref - uge, *f*

T take ref - uge, *f*

B take ref - uge, *f*

35

ref - uge, I take ref - uge,

ref - uge, ref - uge,

ref - uge, ref - uge,

ref - uge, ref - uge,

ref - uge, ref - uge,

ref - uge, ref - uge,

39 With calm (♩ = 69)

*f* *sempre dim.*

*f* *sempre dim.*

*f* *sempre dim.*

*f* *sempre dim.*

in you I take ref - uge, I take

in you I take ref - uge, I take

in you I take ref - uge, I take

in you I take ref - uge, I take

With calm (♩ = 69) in you I take ref - uge, I take

48 *mp* *p*

Sop. Solo Pre - serve me, O God, for in you I take ref - uge.

S *p* *pp unis.*  
ref - uge.

A *p* *pp*  
ref - uge.

T *p* *pp*  
ref - uge.

B *p* *pp*  
ref - uge.

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Preserve me, O God, for in you I take refuge.

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