Will He Heal Me?

An Easter Cantata

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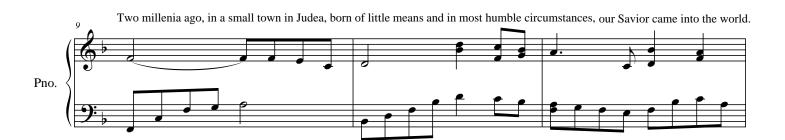
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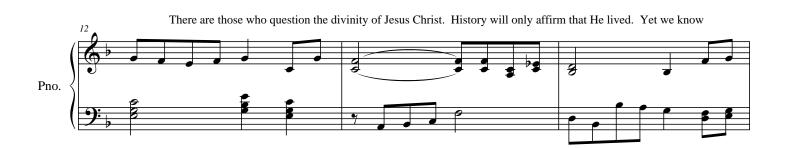
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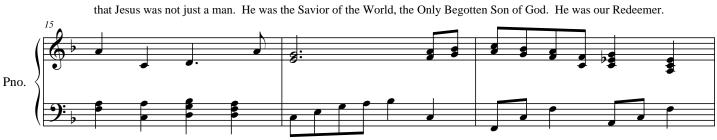


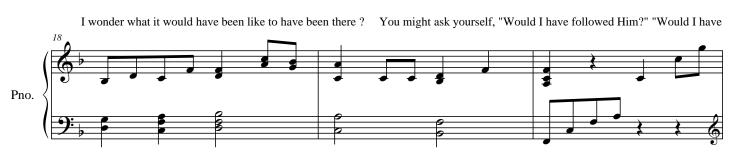




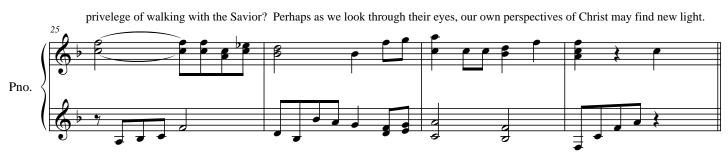








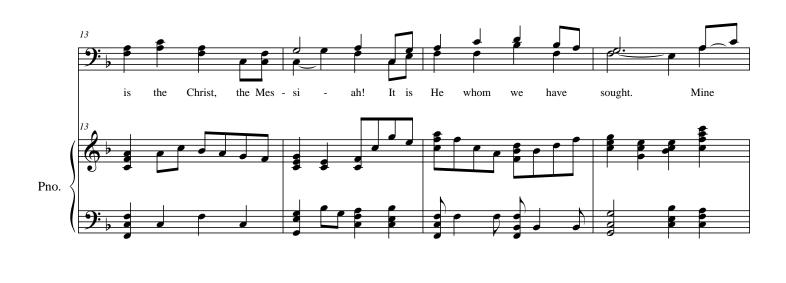


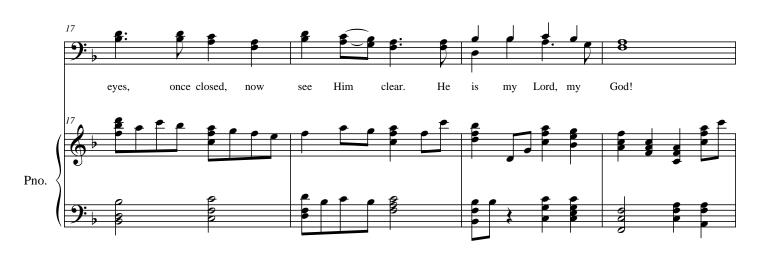


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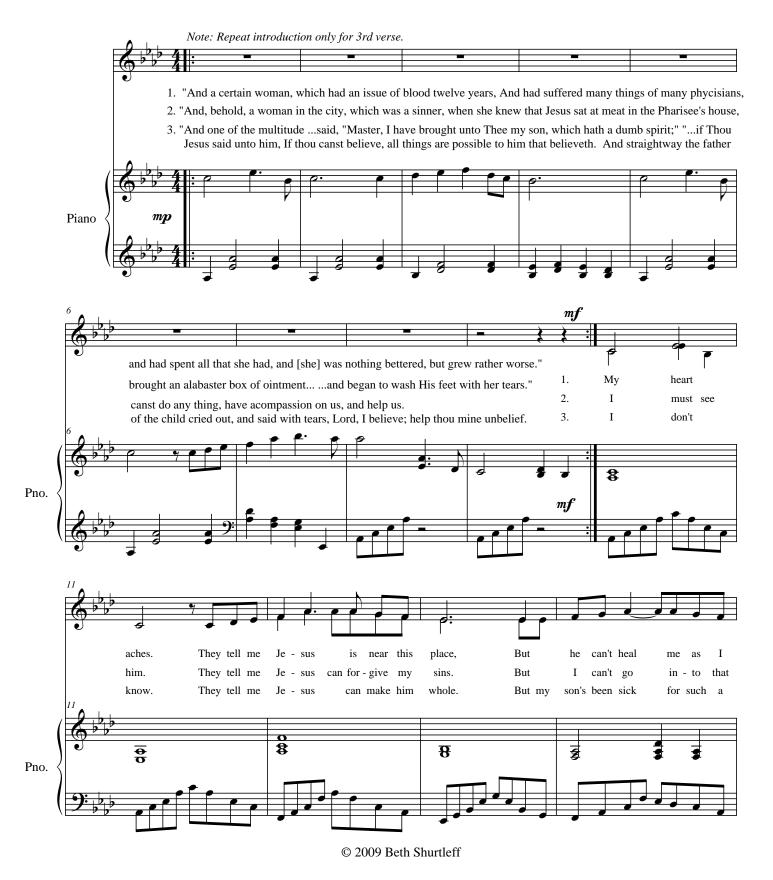


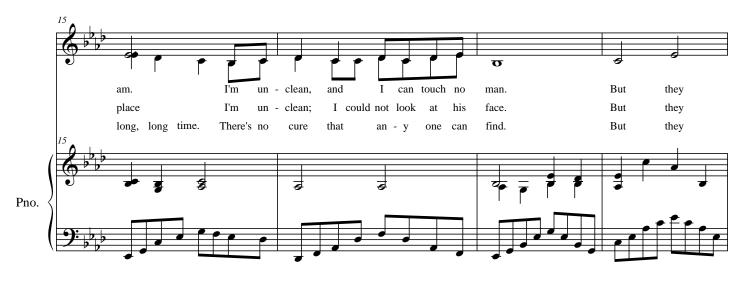
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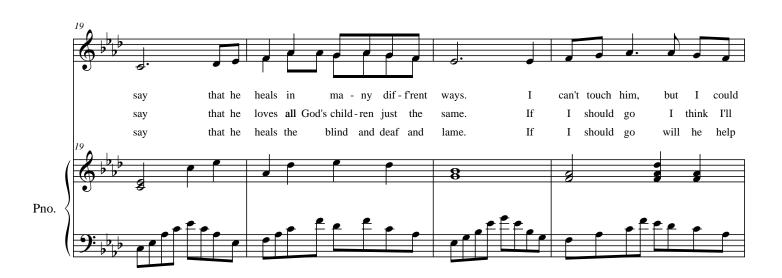
This song is for three soloists, two female (verses 1 and 2) and one male (verse 3).

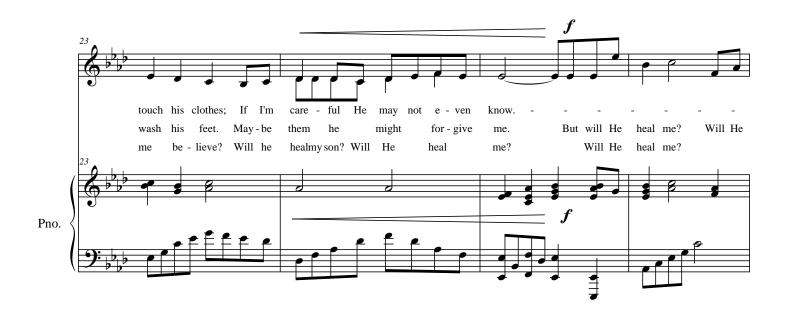
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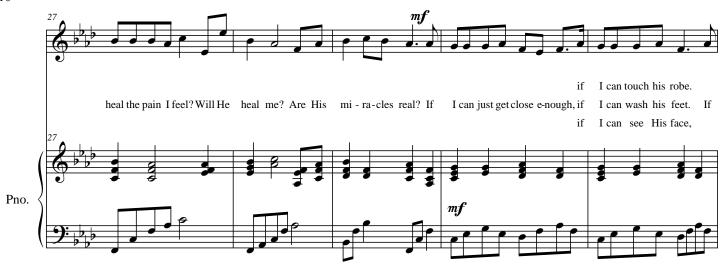
With an underlying intensity - not too fast

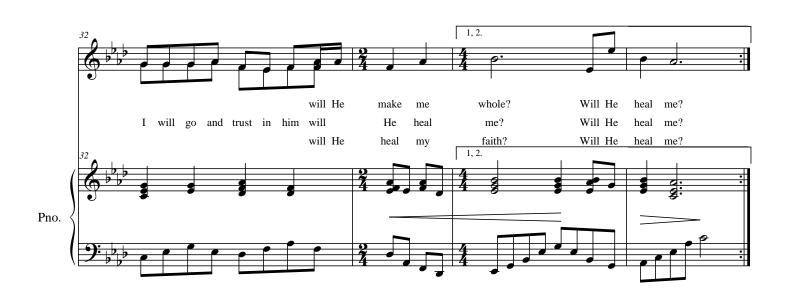






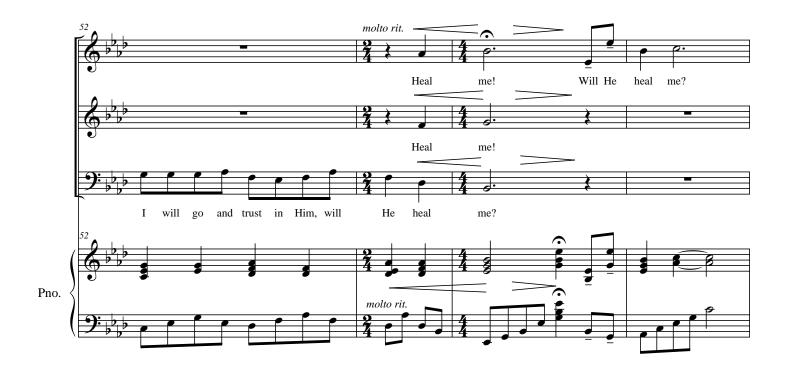








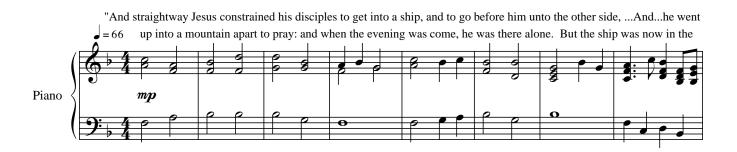






Interlude

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midst of the sea, tossed with waves: for the wind was contrary. And in the fourth watch of the night Jesus went unto them, walking on the sea. And when the disciples saw him walking on the sea, they were troubled, saying, It is a spirit; and they cried out for fear. But



straightway Jesus spake unto them, saying, Be of good cheer; it is I; be not afraid. And Peter answered him and said, Lord, if it be thou, bid me come unto thee on the water. And he said, Come. And when Peter was come down out of the ship, he



walked on the water, to go to Jesus. But when he saw the wind boisterous, he was aafraid; and beginning to sink, he cried, saying, Lord, save me. And immediately Jesus stretched forth his hand, and caught him, and said unto him, O thou of little afaith, wherefore didst



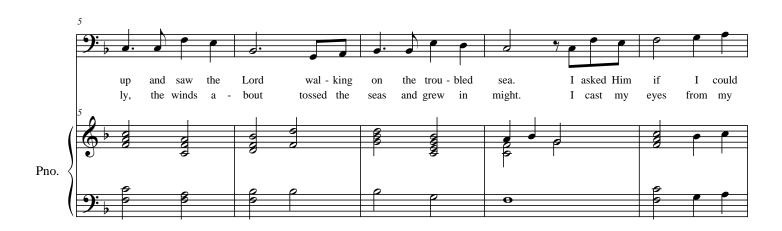


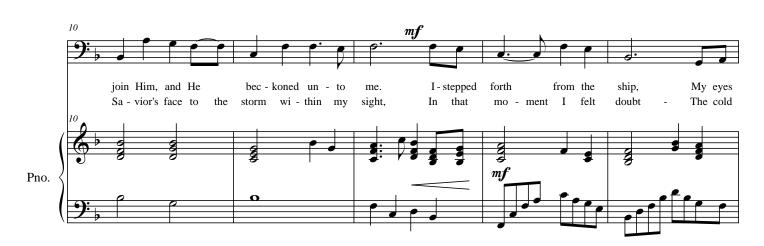
Baritone Solo (with optional choir on last chorus)

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A bit faster than interlude. Smoothly.





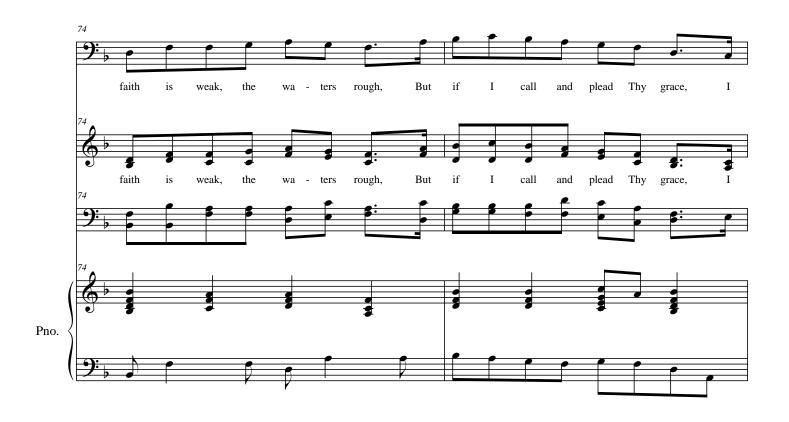




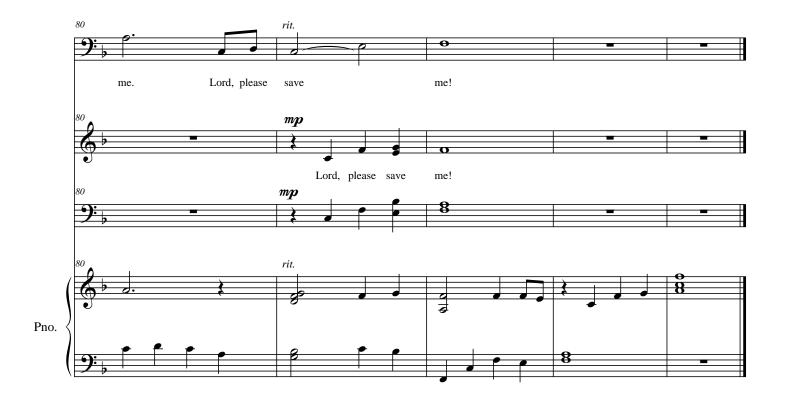








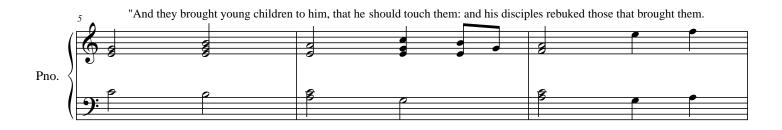


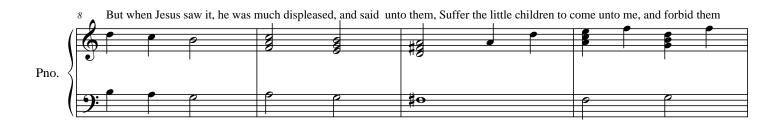


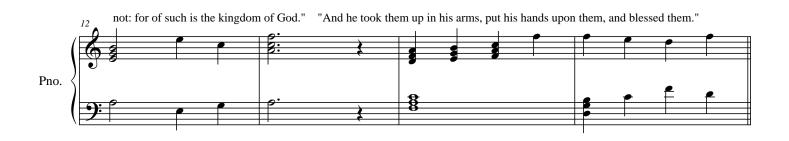
Interlude

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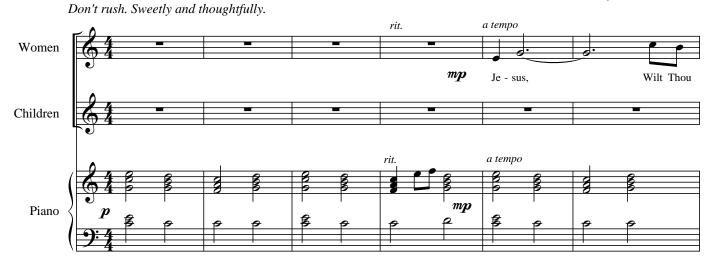


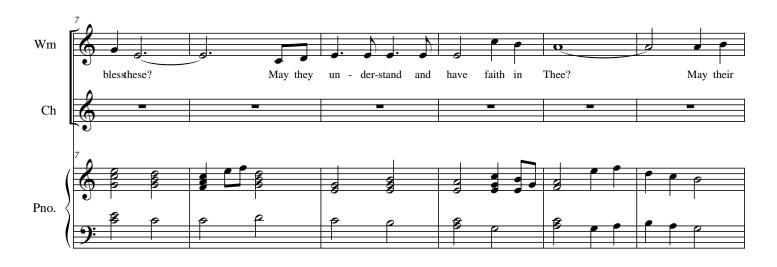


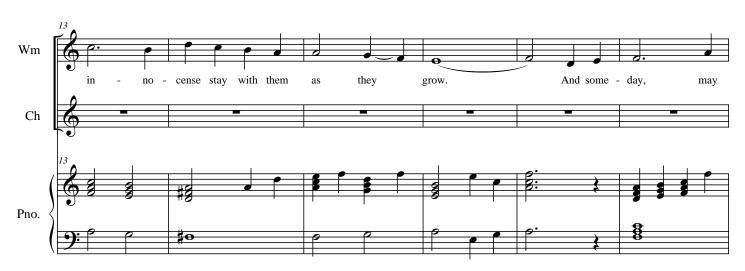
Jesus, Wilt Thou Bless These?

Women's and Children's Chorus

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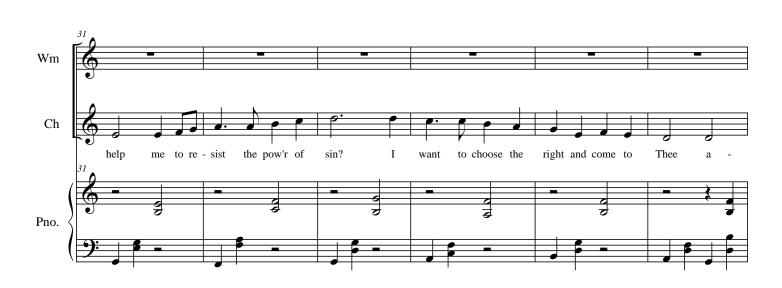


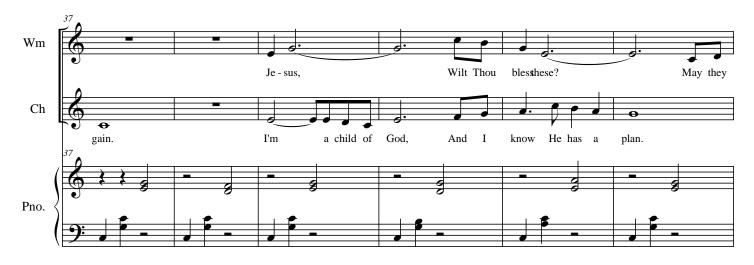


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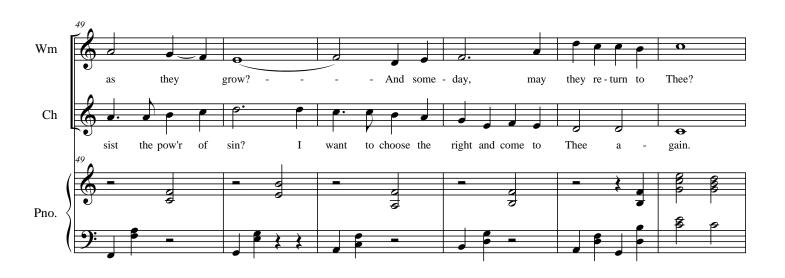


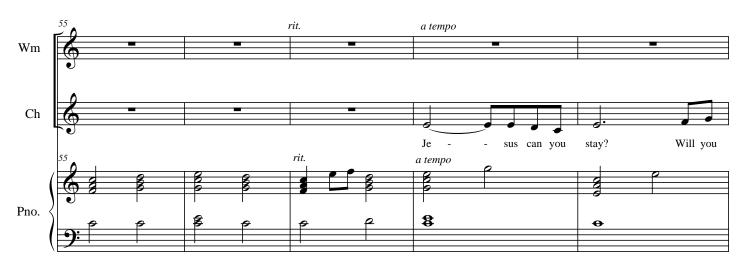






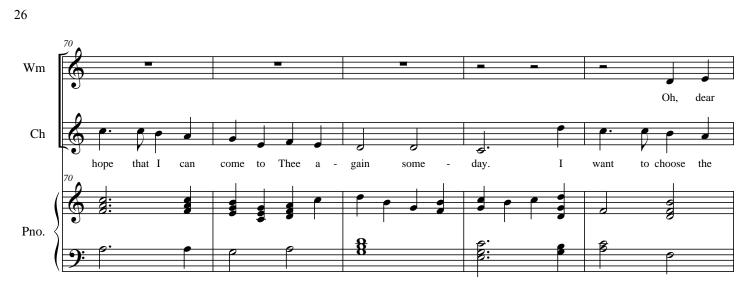


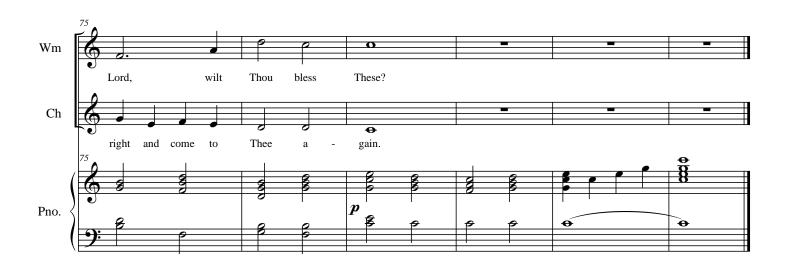






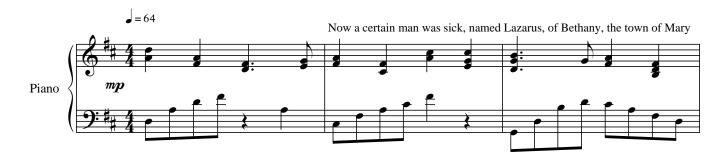






Interlude

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and her sister Martha. Therefore his sisters sent unto him, saying, Lord, behold, he whom thou lovest is sick.

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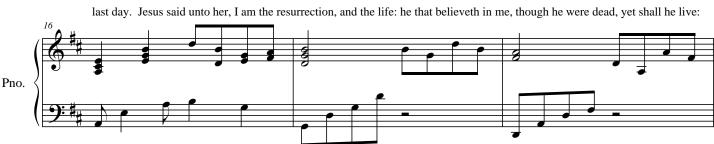
Then when Jesus came, he found that he had lain in the grave four days already. Then Martha, as soon as she heard that Jesus



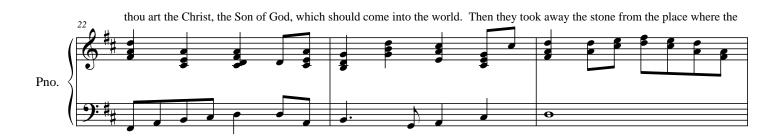
was coming, went and met him: Then said Martha unto Jesus, Lord, if thou hadst been here, my brother had not died.

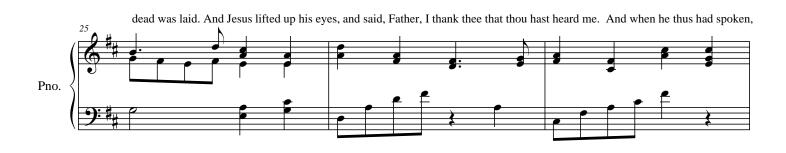


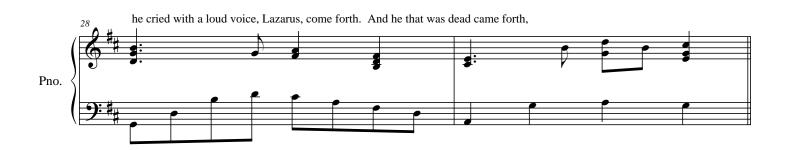
Jesus saith unto her, Thy brother shall rise again. Martha saith unto him, I know that he shall rise again in the resurrection at the



And whosoever liveth and believeth in me shall never die. Believest thou this? She saith unto him, Yea, Lord: I believe that





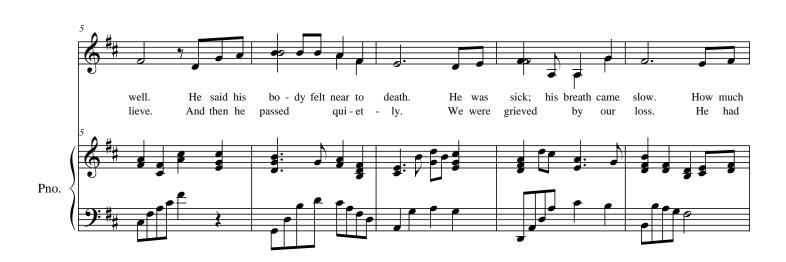


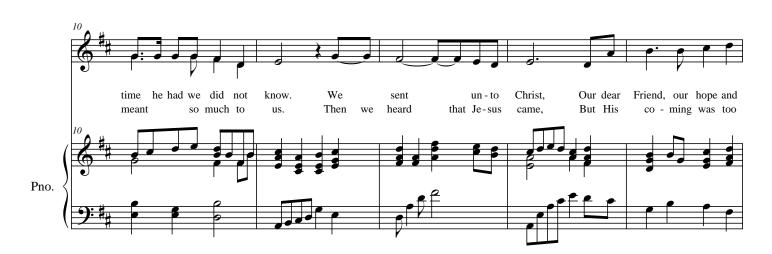
Raising Razarus

A duet for two medium sopranos representing Martha and Mary

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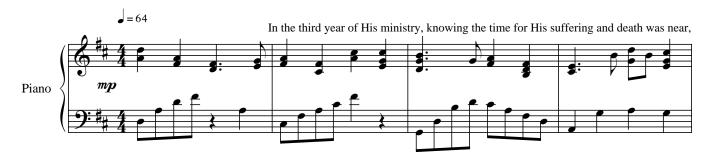




Interlude

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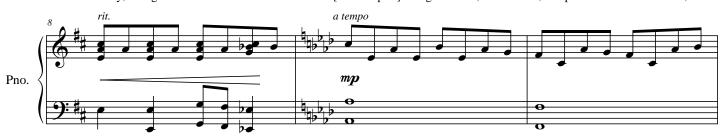
Text also from Zech. 9:9 and Matt 21: 7-9



Christ prepared for His entry into Jerusalem, in preparation for the passover. In fulfillment of Zechariah's prophecy, He entered



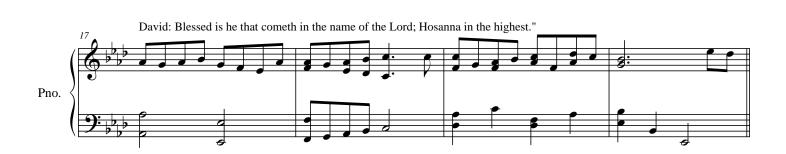
the city, riding on "a colt the foal of an ass." "And [the disciples] brought the ass, and the colt, and put on them their clothes, and



they set Him thereon. And a very great multitude spread their garments in the way; others cut down branches from the trees,

and strawed them in the way. And the multitudes that went before, and that followed, cried, saying, Hosanna to the Son of

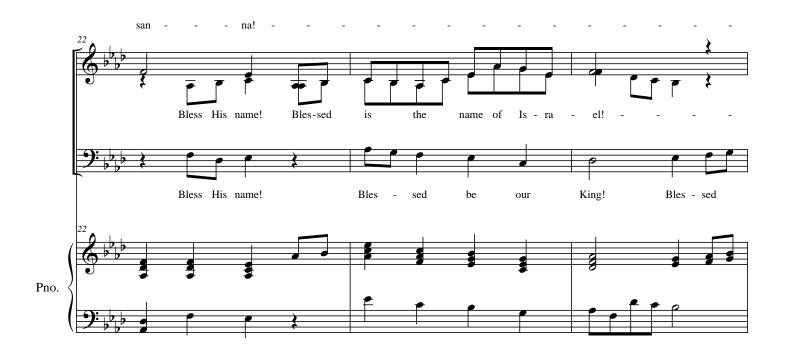
















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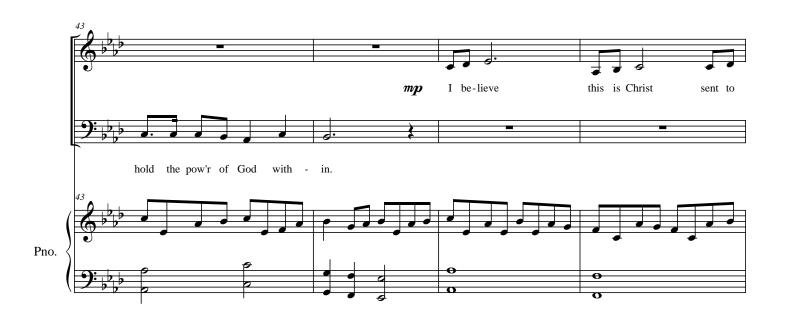
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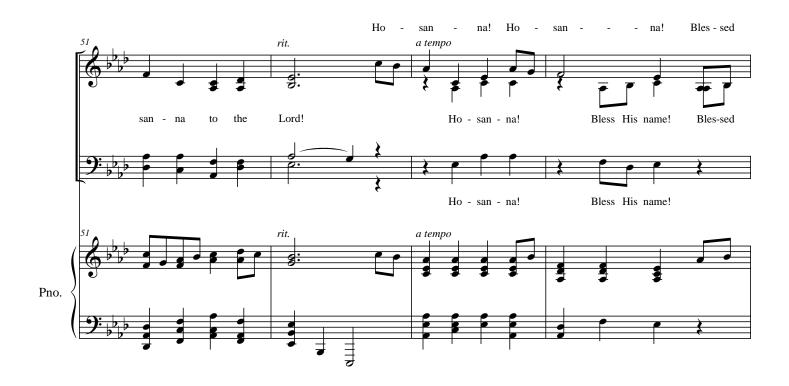
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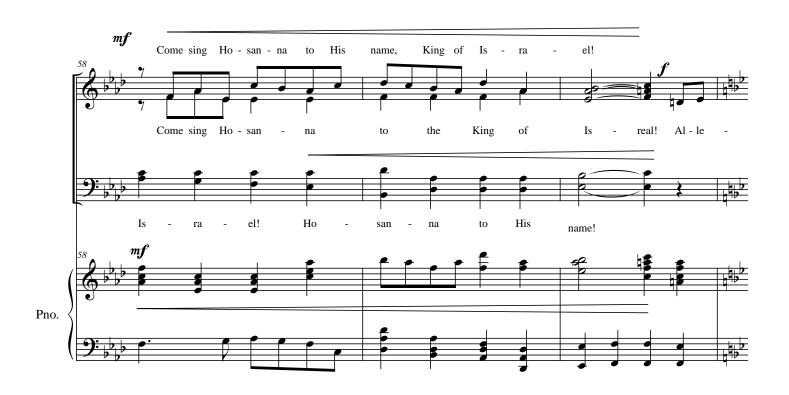
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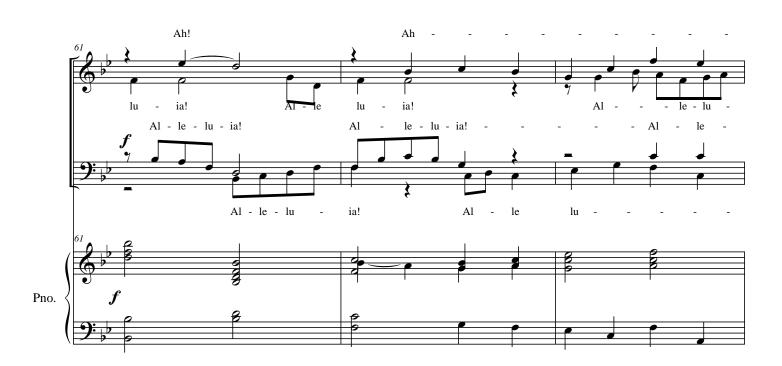




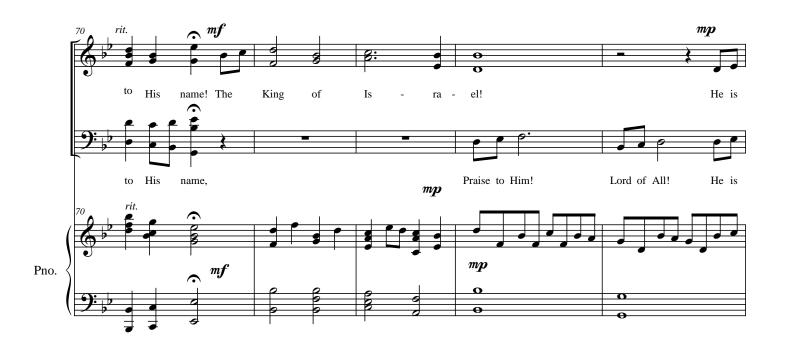


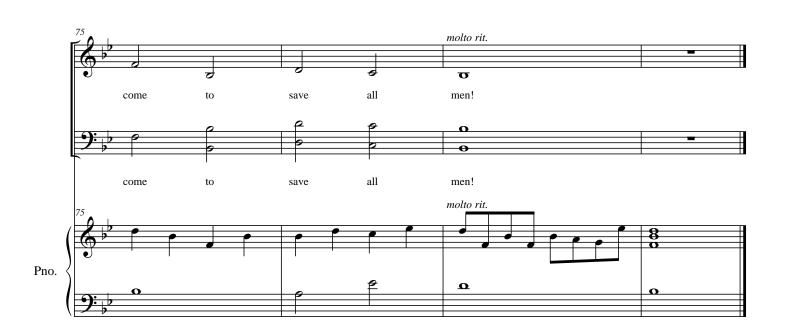












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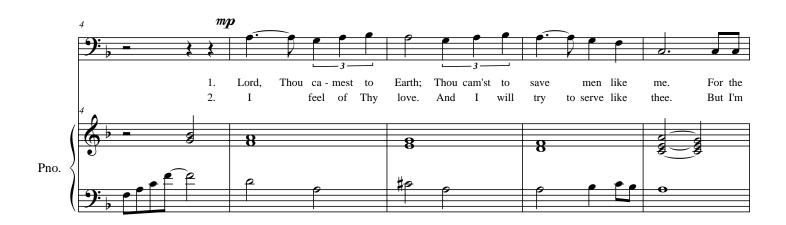


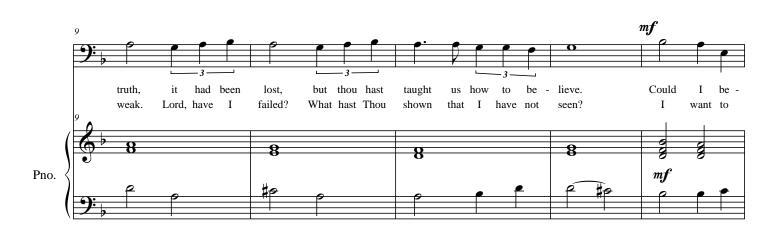
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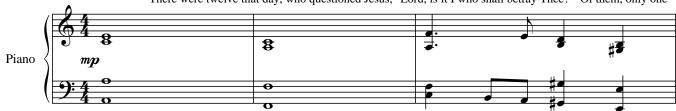


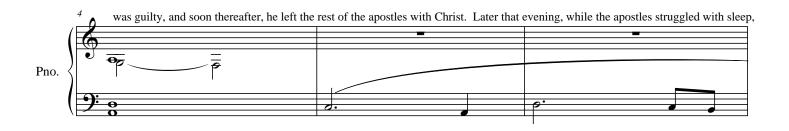


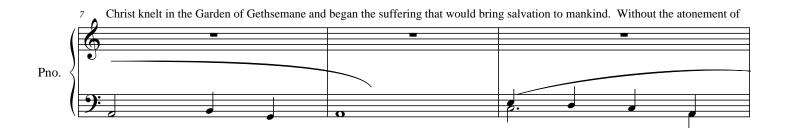
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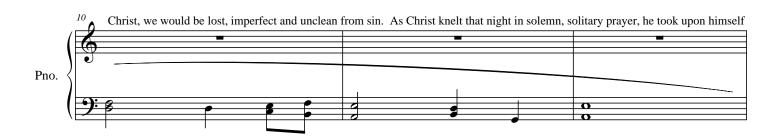
Slowly, with mourning

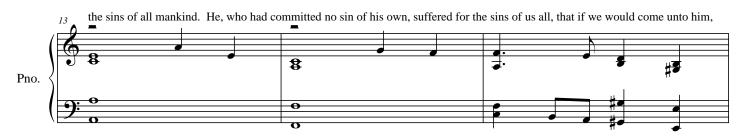
There were twelve that day, who questioned Jesus, "Lord, is it I who shall betray Thee?" Of them, only one











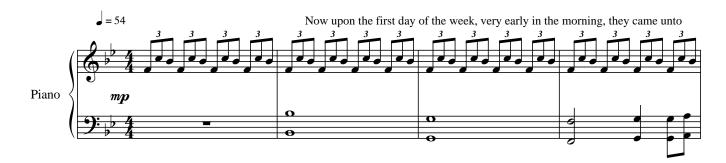






Interlude

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the sepulchre, bringing the spices which they had prepared, And they found the stone rolled away from the sepulchre. And they



entered in, and found not the body of the Lord Jesus. And it came to pass, as they were much perplexed thereabout, behold, two men



stood by them in shining garments: And...they said unto them, Why seek ye the living among the dead? He is not here, but is risen:

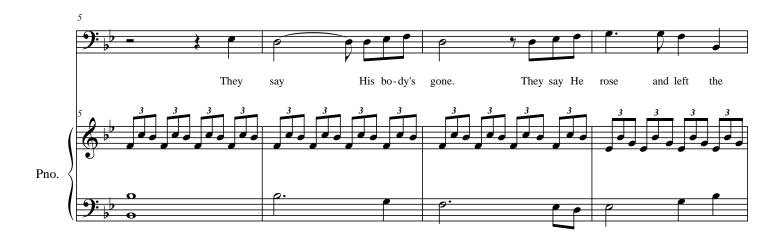


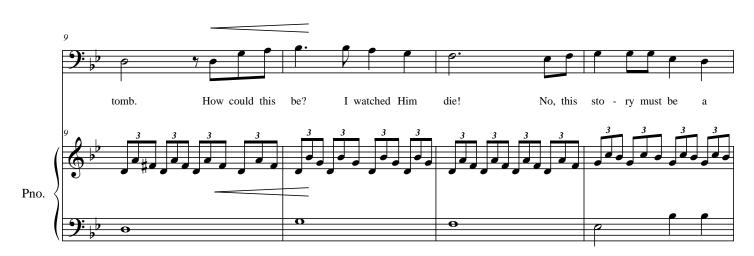
And [they] returned from the sepulchre, and told all these things unto the eleven, and to all the rest. And their words seemed to them as idle tales, and they believed them not.



My Rord, St Ss Thee!



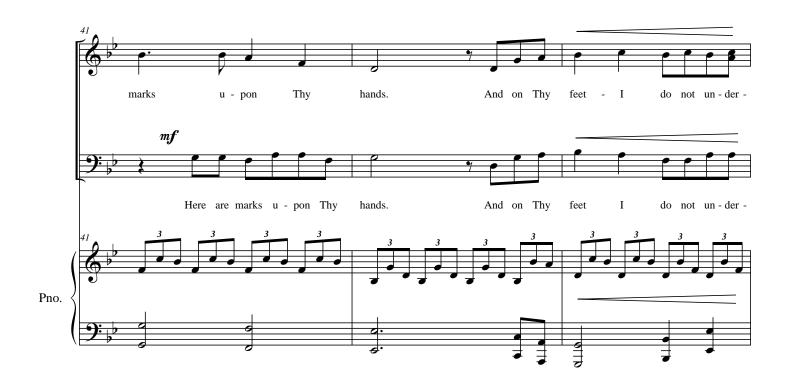




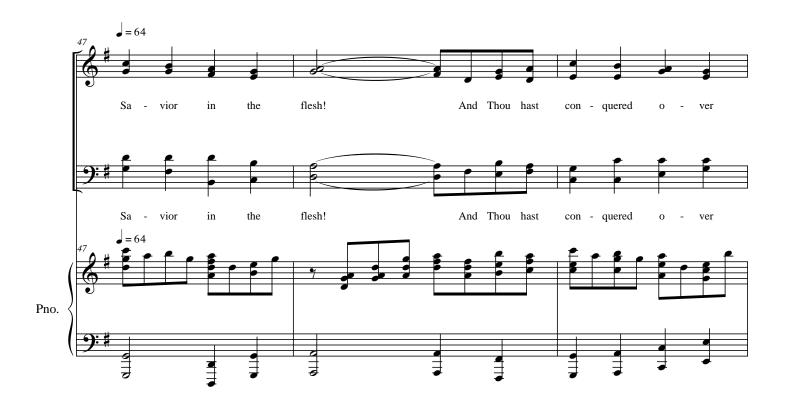
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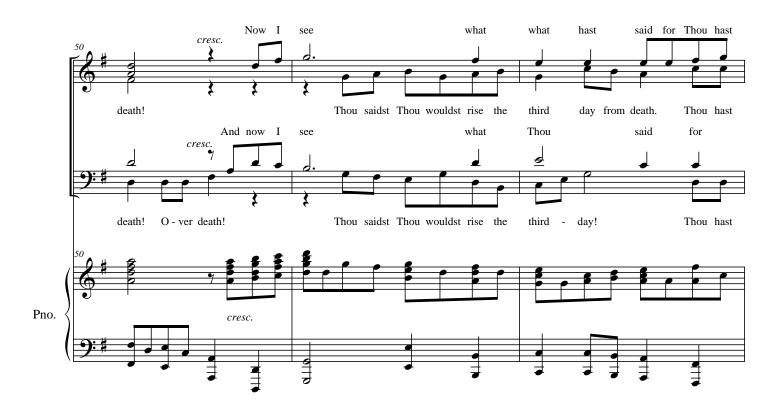














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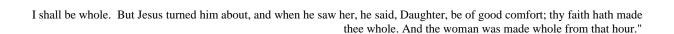


Flute

- 1. "And, behold, a woman, which was diseased with an issue of blood twelve years, came behind him, and touched the hem of his garment: For she said within herself, If I may but touch his garment,
- 3. "And one of the multitude ...said, "Master, I have brought unto Thee my son, which hath a dumb spirit;" "...if Thou canst do any thing, have acompassion on us, and help us.



Flute



Jesus said unto him, If thou canst believe, all things are possible to him that believeth. And straightway the father of the child cried out, and said with tears, Lord, I believe; help thou mine unbelief.



