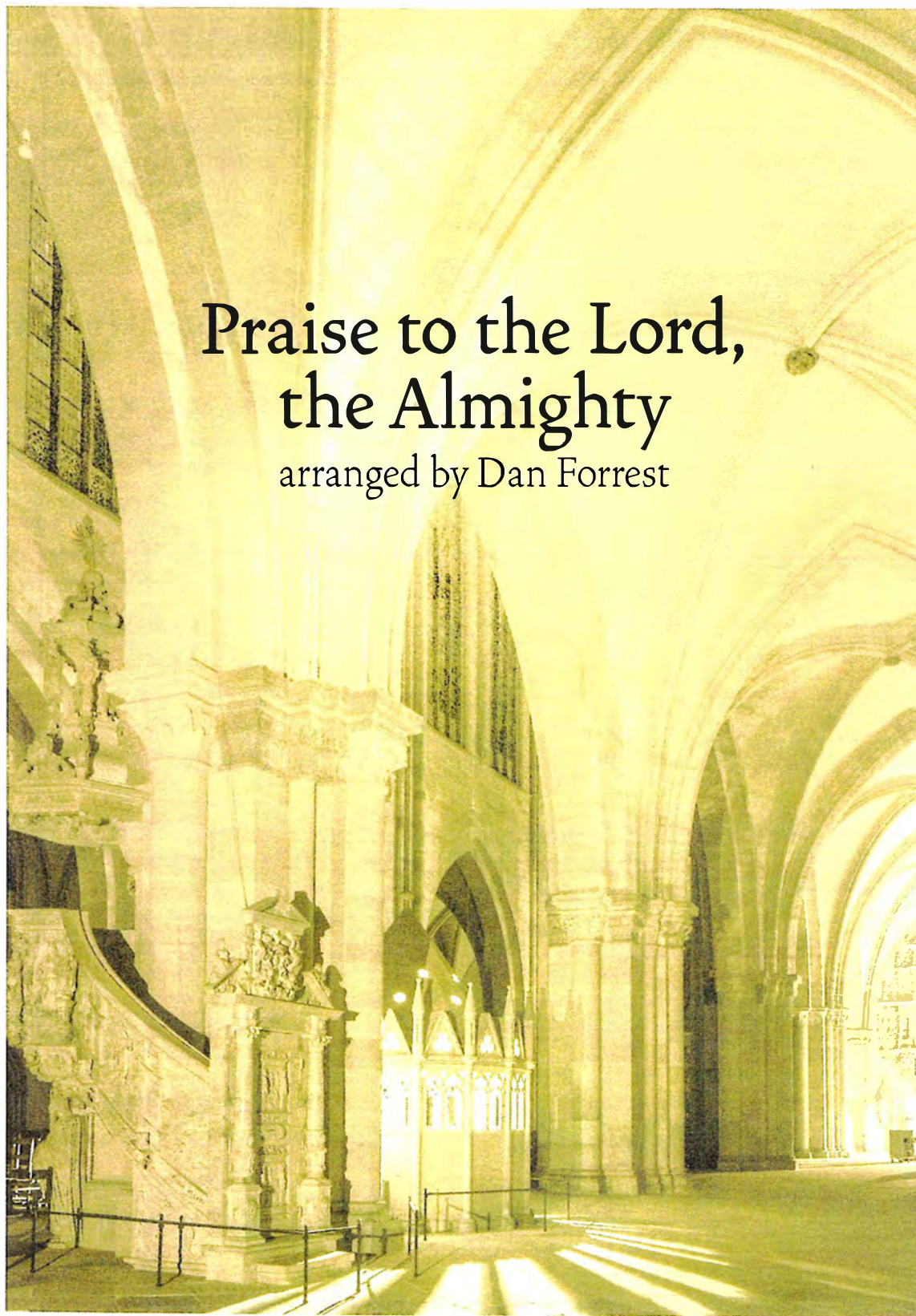




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Praise to the Lord, the Almighty

For SATB Choir with Piano and/or Organ, with optional Brass Sextet and Percussion or full Orchestra*

Joachim Neander, 1680
Tr. Catherine Winkworth, 1863

LOBE DEN HERREN
Arranged by DAN FORREST
(ASCAP)

Gioioso con moto ♩ = ca. 108

The musical score is written for piano and organ. It consists of four systems of music. The first system shows the beginning of the piece with a forte (f) dynamic and a tempo marking of 'Gioioso con moto' with a quarter note equal to approximately 108 beats per minute. The second system continues the melody and accompaniment. The third system features a change in the bass line and includes a 'poco rit.' (poco ritardando) marking. The fourth system concludes the piece with a final chord. The score includes various musical notations such as treble and bass clefs, time signatures, dynamics, and articulation marks.

*Full score and parts for 2 Trumpets, Horn, 2 Trombones, Tuba, Percussion, and Organ (BP2250A) or full orchestra (BP2250B) available for purchase. A separate Organ part (BP2250C) is also available.

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ff a tempo

11 12 13

(poco staccato)

mf

(Pedal sparingly)

14 15 16

cresc. poco a poco

17 18 19

20 21 22

poco rit.

23 24 25

f a tempo

Praise to the Lord, the Al -

f a tempo

2

f a tempo

26 *Red. ad lib.* 27

might - y, the King of cre - a -

28 29 30

tion! O my soul, praise him, for

2

simile

31 32 33

he is thy health and sal - va -

34 35 36

tion! All ye who hear,

detached

mf

37 38 39

now to his tem - ple draw near,

40 41 42

join me in glad a - do - ra -

Measures 43-45: Vocal melody in treble clef and piano accompaniment in bass clef. The key signature has one flat (B-flat). Measure 43 starts with a half note G4, quarter note A4, and half note B4. Measure 44 continues with half note C5, quarter note D5, and half note E5. Measure 45 concludes with a half note F5 and a whole note G5. The piano accompaniment consists of chords in the right hand and single notes in the left hand.

Measures 43-45: Piano accompaniment for the vocal section. Measure 43 features a half note G4 in the right hand and a half note G2 in the left hand. Measure 44 features a half note A4 in the right hand and a half note A2 in the left hand. Measure 45 features a half note B4 in the right hand and a half note B2 in the left hand. The piano part includes various articulations like accents and slurs.

tion!

Measures 46-49: Vocal melody in treble clef and piano accompaniment in bass clef. The key signature has one flat (B-flat). Measure 46 starts with a half note G4, quarter note A4, and half note B4. Measure 47 continues with half note C5, quarter note D5, and half note E5. Measure 48 concludes with a half note F5 and a whole note G5. The piano accompaniment consists of chords in the right hand and single notes in the left hand.

Measures 46-49: Piano accompaniment for the vocal section. Measure 46 features a half note G4 in the right hand and a half note G2 in the left hand. Measure 47 features a half note A4 in the right hand and a half note A2 in the left hand. Measure 48 features a half note B4 in the right hand and a half note B2 in the left hand. Measure 49 features a half note C5 in the right hand and a half note C2 in the left hand. The piano part includes various articulations like accents and slurs.

Measures 50-53: Vocal melody in treble clef and piano accompaniment in bass clef. The key signature has one flat (B-flat). Measure 50 starts with a half note G4, quarter note A4, and half note B4. Measure 51 continues with half note C5, quarter note D5, and half note E5. Measure 52 concludes with a half note F5 and a whole note G5. The piano accompaniment consists of chords in the right hand and single notes in the left hand.

Measures 50-53: Piano accompaniment for the vocal section. Measure 50 features a half note G4 in the right hand and a half note G2 in the left hand. Measure 51 features a half note A4 in the right hand and a half note A2 in the left hand. Measure 52 features a half note B4 in the right hand and a half note B2 in the left hand. Measure 53 features a half note C5 in the right hand and a half note C2 in the left hand. The piano part includes various articulations like accents and slurs.

Poco meno mosso ♩ = ca. 104

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Two empty musical staves, one for the treble clef and one for the bass clef, spanning measures 53 and 54. The key signature has one flat (B-flat).

Poco meno mosso ♩ = ca. 104

(RH continue poco staccato)

Musical notation for measures 54, 55, and 56. The right hand (RH) continues with a staccato melody. The left hand (LH) has a sustained chord in measure 54, then moves to a new chord in measure 55, and continues with a moving line in measure 56. A *mf* (mezzo-forte) dynamic marking is present in measure 55. Measure numbers 54, 55, and 56 are indicated below the staves.

Two empty musical staves, one for the treble clef and one for the bass clef, spanning measures 57 and 58. The key signature has one flat (B-flat).

Musical notation for measures 57, 58, and 59. The right hand (RH) continues with a staccato melody. The left hand (LH) has a sustained chord in measure 57, then moves to a new chord in measure 58, and continues with a moving line in measure 59. Measure numbers 57, 58, and 59 are indicated below the staves.

Two empty musical staves, one for the treble clef and one for the bass clef, spanning measures 60 and 61. The key signature has one flat (B-flat).

Musical notation for measures 60, 61, and 62. The right hand (RH) continues with a staccato melody. The left hand (LH) has a sustained chord in measure 60, then moves to a new chord in measure 61, and continues with a moving line in measure 62. Measure numbers 60, 61, and 62 are indicated below the staves.

SA *mf*

Praise to the Lord, who o'er all things so

The first system of the vocal part (Soprano and Alto) is in G major, 4/4 time. It begins with a half note G4, followed by a half note A4, then a half note B4. The fourth measure contains a half note G4 with a fermata, followed by a half note A4 with a second ending bracket. The fifth measure is a half note G4, and the sixth measure is a half note F#4. The system ends with a double bar line.

63

The piano accompaniment for the first system consists of two staves. The right hand plays a continuous eighth-note pattern: G4, A4, B4, A4, G4, F#4, E4, D4. The left hand plays a half-note pattern: G3, B2, D3, F#2, G2, B1, D2, F#1. The system ends with a double bar line.

won - drous - ly reign eth,

The second system of the vocal part continues the melody. It begins with a half note G4, followed by a half note A4, then a half note B4. The fourth measure contains a half note G4 with a fermata, followed by a half note A4 with a second ending bracket. The fifth measure is a half note G4, and the sixth measure is a half note F#4. The system ends with a double bar line.

66

67

68

The piano accompaniment for the second system continues the eighth-note pattern in the right hand and the half-note pattern in the left hand. The system ends with a double bar line.

shel - ters thee un - der his

The third system of the vocal part continues the melody. It begins with a half note G4, followed by a half note A4, then a half note B4. The fourth measure contains a half note G4 with a fermata, followed by a half note A4 with a second ending bracket. The fifth measure is a half note G4, and the sixth measure is a half note F#4. The system ends with a double bar line.

69

70

71

The piano accompaniment for the third system continues the eighth-note pattern in the right hand and the half-note pattern in the left hand. The system ends with a double bar line.

sus - tain

wings, yea, so gen - tly sus - tain

72 73 74

eth!

eth!

mf TB

Hast thou not seen

75 76 77

unis.

how thy de - sires e'er have been,

78 79 80

have been grant - ed in what he or -

81 82 83

unis.

dain eth?

84 85 86 87

bell-like

mp

rit.

88 89 90

rit.

Espressivo $\text{♩} = \text{♩}$

11

SOPRANO

mp *espress. e legato*

Praise to the Lord, who doth

ALTO

mp *espress. e legato*

Praise to the Lord, who doth

TENOR

mp *espress. e legato*

Praise to the Lord who doth

BASS

mp *espress. e legato*

Espressivo $\text{♩} = \text{♩}$

Praise to the

p

91

92

93

94

pros - per thy work and de - fend thee!

pros - per thy work, de - fend thee, sure - ly his

pros - per thy work and de - fend thee!

Lord, the Lord, de - fend thee!

95

96

97

98

His good - ness, mer - cy shall dai - ly,
 good - ness, good - ness and mer - cy dai - ly at -
unis.
 Sure - ly good - ness and mer - cy shall dai - ly at -
 Sure - ly his good - ness, mer - cy, dai - ly at -

99 100 101 102

poco rit. *unis.*
 dai - ly at - tend thee, a - new
poco rit.
 tend thee. Pon - der a - new
poco rit.
 tend thee. Pon - der a - new
poco rit.
 tend thee. Pon - der a - new

103 104 105 106

a tempo

what the Al - might - y can do, _____

a tempo

what the Al - might - y can do, _____

a tempo

what the Al - might - y can do, _____

a tempo

what the Al - might - y can do, _____

a tempo

mp

107 108 109 110

poco a poco cresc. e accel.

If with his love,

poco a poco cresc. e accel.

If with his love, love he be -

poco a poco cresc. e accel.

If with his love, if with his love

poco a poco cresc. e accel.

With his love, _____

poco a poco cresc. e accel.

111 112 113 114

if with his love, if he be -
 friends thee with his love, he be - friends, thee
 with his love, his love be - friends,
 with his love, with his love,

115 116 117 118

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friends, with his love.
 with his love.
 with his love.
 with his love.

119 120 121

Tempo I, Gioioso con moto ♩ = ca. 108

friends, with his love.
 with his love.
 with his love.
 with his love.

119 120 121

122 123 124

(poco staccato) *cresc. poco a poco*

mf

125 126 127

(Pedal sparingly)

128 129 130 131

f

132 133 134

poco rit.

135 136 137

SOPRANO *ff a tempo*

ALTO *ff a tempo*

TENOR *ff a tempo*

BASS *ff a tempo*

Praise! Praise to the Lord,

138 139 140

Lord, Praise to the Lord,

Praise to the Lord, Praise to the

Lord, Praise to the Lord,

Praise to the Lord, Praise to the

141 142 143

poco rit.

Praise ² to the Lord! _____

poco rit.

Lord, _____ to the King of cre - a - tion!

poco rit.

Praise ² to the Lord! _____

poco rit.

Lord, _____ to the King of cre - a - tion!

poco rit.

144 145 146

Slightly broader ♩ = ca. 104

ff SOPRANOS, TENORS

Praise! Praise to the Lord! _____

ff ALTOS, BASSES, +opt. CONGREGATION.

Praise to the Lord! _____ O let all that is

Slightly broader ♩ = ca. 104

ff

simile

147 148 149

Praise to the Lord! All that hath
in me a - dore him!

150 151 152

life, come now with
All that hath life and breath, come now with

153 154 155

praise be - fore him! Let the a -
prais - es be - fore him!

156 157 158

men, let the a - men, his

Let the a - men sound from his

159 160 161

peo - ple a - gain. Glad - ly a -

peo - ple a - gain. Glad - ly for -

162 163 164

poco rit.

dore, a - dore him!

ev - er a - dore him!

165 166 167

a tempo

SA unis. *mf* cresc.

(- Cong.)

TB *mf* cresc.

A - men,

mp cresc.

168 169 170 171

poco rit.

men, *poco rit.*

A - men,

ff a tempo

men!

ff a tempo

poco rit.

f

ff a tempo

172 173 174

175 176 177