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(1825-64)

The way is long and dreary

Sir Arthur Sullivan
(1842-1900)

Andante non troppo lento $\text{♩} = 72$ 5

Alto
p The way is long and drea-ry, The path is bleak and bare; Our feet are worn and wear-y, But

Tenor
p The way is long and drea-ry, The path is bleak and bare; Our feet are worn and wear-y, But

Bass
p The way is long and drea-ry, The path is bleak and bare; Our feet are worn and wear-y, But

Accomp.
p

10

S
f O

A
mf we will not des - pair; *p* More hea - vy was Thy bur - den. More de - so - late Thy way,

T
mf we will not des - pair; *p* More hea - vy was Thy bur - den, More de - so - late Thy way,

B
mf we will not des - pair; *p* More hea - vy was Thy bur - den, More de - so - late Thy way,

Accomp.
mf *p* *f*

15

dim.

S Lamb of God, _____ *p* O Lamb of God, who tak-est The sin of the

A *p* O Lamb of God, who tak - est The sin of the world a - way, Have

T *p* O Lamb of God, who tak - est The sin of the world a - way, Have

B *p* O Lamb of God, who tak - est The sin of the world a - way, Have

dim.

20

cresc.

S world__ a - way, Have mer- _____ *f* cy *p* up - on us.

A *cresc.* mer- _____ cy on *f* us, *p* up - on us.

T *cresc.* mer - cy on *f* us, *p* up - on us.

B *cresc.* mer - cy on *f* us, *p* up - on us.

cresc.

f *p*

25

A *p* The snows lie thick a - round us, In the dark and gloom-y night; And the tem-pest wails a -

T *p* The snows lie thick a - round us, In the dark and gloom-y night, And the tem-pest wails a -

B *p* The snows lie thick a - round us, In the dark and gloom-y night, And the tem-pest wails a -

p *cresc.*

30

A *p* bove us, And the stars have hid their light; *p* But black-er was the dark-ness Round Cal-va-ry's

T *p* bove us, And the stars have hid their light; *p* But black-er was the dark-ness Round Cal-va-ry's

B *p* bove us, And the stars have hid their light; *p* But black-er was the dark-ness Round Cal-va-ry's

p *cresc.*

35

40

dim.

S *f* O Lamb of God, _____ *p* O Lamb of God, who tak-est The

A Cross that day, _____ *p* O Lamb of God, who tak - est The sin of the world a -

T Cross that day, _____ *p* O Lamb of God, who tak - est The sin of the world a -

B Cross that day, _____ *p* O Lamb of God, who tak - est The sin of the world a -

dim.

45

cresc.

S sin of the world a - way, Have mer- *f* cy *p* up - on us.

A way, Have mer- *cresc.* cy on *f* us, *p* up - on us.

T way, Have mer- *cresc.* cy on *f* us, *p* up - on us.

B way, Have mer - cy on *cresc.* *f* us, *p* up - on us.

f *p*

50 *cresc.*

A Our hearts are faint with sor-row, *f* Hea-vy and sad to bear; For we dread the bit-ter

T *cresc.*
Our hearts are faint with sor-row, *f* Hea-vy and sad to bear; For we dread the bit-ter

B *cresc.*
Our hearts are faint with sor-row, *f* Heav-y and sad to bear; For we dread the bit-ter

55 *dim.* 60

A mor-row, But we will not des - pair; Thou know-est all our an-guish, And Thou wilt bid it

T *dim.*
mor-row, But we will not des - pair; Thou know-est all our an-guish, And Thou wilt bid it

B *dim.*
mor-row, But we will not des - pair; Thou know-est all our an-guish, And Thou wilt bid it

65

dim.

f O Lamb of God, _____ *p* O Lamb of God, who tak - est a -

dim.

cease; _____ *p* O Lamb of God, who tak - est The sin of the world a -

dim.

cease; _____ *p* O Lamb of God, who tak - est The sin of the world a -

dim.

cease; _____ *p* O Lamb of God, who tak - est The sin of the world a -

70

cresc.

way _____ the sin of the world, _____ O Lamb of *f* God, who tak - est a -

cresc.

way, the sin of the world, O Lamb of *f* God, who tak - est a -

cresc.

way, the sin of the world, O Lamb of *f* God, who tak - est a -

cresc.

way, the sin of the world, O Lamb of *f* God, who tak - est a -

75

dim.

S way the sin of the world, Give us Thy *p* peace,

A way the sin of the world, Give us Thy *p* peace,

T way the sin of the world, Give us Thy *p* peace, O Lamb of

B way the sin of the world, Give us Thy *p* peace,

dim.

p

80

S O Lamb of God, *pp* Give us Thy peace.

A O Lamb of God, *pp* Give us thy peace.

T God, Lamb of God, *pp* Give us Thy peace.

B O Lamb of God, *pp* Give us Thy peace.

p

pp