

Soon as I heard my Father say

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Text: Isaac Watts, on Ps 27

BELGROVE. C.M. Psalm 27. Dr. Watts.

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Let not thy face be hid from me, Nor frown my soul a - way;
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My faint - ing flesh had died with grief, Had not my soul be - liev'd

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seek, I'll seek my Fa-ther's face, I'll seek my Fa-ther's face.
a, in a dis-tress-ing day, in a dis-tress-ing day.
all, and all my need sup-ply, and all my need sup-ply.
was, nor was my hope de-ceiv'd, nor was my hope de-ceiv'd.

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Notes:

The original order of parts is Tenor - Alto - Air - [Bass]: the alto part is printed in the treble clef an octave above sounding pitch in the source.

Only the first verse of the text is given in the source: selected subsequent verses have been added editorially.