

Nunc Dimittis

for SATB choir and organ

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Words: Luke 2:29-32*

Music: Philip Le Bas

Slow and stately ♩=38

SOPRANO:
ALTO:

My eyes, O Lord, have seen your

TENOR:
BASS:

Full Organ

ORGAN:

8

ff

light.

♩= Calm and flowing

Swell (with pedals)

f

pp

16

Tenors: **mp**

Lord, now let your ser - vant de - part in_ peace, ac - cor - ding to_ your word, ac -

* based on translations in the Church of England's *Book of Common Prayer* and *Common Worship*

Sopranos:

23

mf

For my eyes have seen your sal - va - tion, your sal - va -

cor - ding to your word.

29

tion, which you have pre-pared in the sight of ev-ry peo- ple.

36

mp

All: Lord, now let your ser - vant de - part in_ peace, ac - cor - ding to your word, ac -
 Lord, now let your ser vant de - part, de part in peace, ac - cor - ding to your

43 *mf*

cor - ding to your word. A light, a light to re-veal you, to re-veal you to the
word, ac - cor-ding to your word.

A light to re - veal you to the

49

na-tions, and to be the glo - ry of Is - ra - el your peo - ple.

na-tions, and to be the glo - ry of your peo - ple. *Add 16' pedals*

mp

55 *pp legato* *mp* My eyes, O Lord, have seen your light.

Lord, now let your ser - vant de - part in peace, ac - cor - ding to your word. Your

Lord, now let- your ser - vant de - part in peace.

(rehearsal only:)

62 *f* *ff* *f*

light! The light of your sal - va - tion re - veals you to the na - tions.

Full Organ

mp

68 to the Son, and to the Ho - ly Spi - rit,

Glo - ry be to the Fa - ther, to the Son, and Ho - ly Spi - rit, as it was in the be -

mf

73 *♩ = ♩ Slow and stately* *ff* *f*

gin - ning, is now and e - ver shall be. My eyes, O Lord,

80 *fff*

have seen your light.

88 *ff* *rit.*

A - men, a - men, a - men. A - men, a - men, a - men.

(rehearsal only:)

f

A - men, a - men.