

# This is the day

Words from  
Psalm 118, 148, 91, 121 and 27

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**Brightly**  $\text{♩} = 60$   
**4**

S *mf* This is the day, the day which the

8 S Lord hath made: we will re-joice and be glad in it.

13 **A** S *mf* This is the day, the day which the Lord hath made: we will re-  
A *mf* This is the day, the day which the Lord hath made: we will re-  
T B This is the day, the day which the Lord hath made: we will re-

18 S *f* joyce and be glad in it, this is the day. *mf* *mf*  
A *f* joyce and be glad in it, this is the day. *mf* *mf*  
T B joyce and be glad in it. this is the day. O

23 **B** T B praise the Lord of heav'n: praise him in the height. Preise him, all ye an-gels of his:

27

S A

Praise him, sun and moon: praise him, all ye

*f*

T B

praise him, all his host. Praise him, sun and moon: praise him, all ye

31

S A

stars and light, let them praise the Name\_ of the Lord;

*mf*

T B

stars and light, let them praise the Name\_ of the Lord;

35

*dolce* **C**

S

For he shall give his an - gels chargeo-ver thee: to keep thee in all thy ways,

*p*

42

*mp*

S

to keep thee in all thy ways.

*p*

*poco rall.*

T

to keep thee in all thy ways, to keep thee in all thy ways.

$\text{♩} = 54$  **Poco meno mosso** 3

47 **D** *p* *legato* *mp*

T B

The Lord him - self is thy kee - per: the Lord is thy de - fence u - pon thy right

$\text{♩} = 92$

52

S A

*mp* *mf* *mp*

So that the sun shall not burn thee by day: nei - ther the moon by night. —

T B

hand; So that the sun shall not burn thee by day:

$\text{♩} = 92$  **E** **Poco meno mosso** (*poco rubato*)

58

S A

*mp* The Lord shall pre - serve thee — from all e - vil:

T B

The Lord shall pre - serve thee — from all e - vil:

61 *poco accel.*

S A

yea it is e - ven he that shall keep thy soul. *p*

T B

yea it is e - ven he that shall keep thy soul. The

$\text{♩} = 50$  **Andante tranquillo ma con moto**

64

T B

Lord shall pre - serve thy go - ing out and thy co - ming

67 **F** *mp* Nur Bass TB *mp cresc.*

T in: \_\_\_\_\_ from this time forth, \_\_\_\_\_ from this time forth,

B

72

S from this time forth for e - ver - more. \_\_\_\_\_

A *mf*

T from this time forth for e - ver - more. \_\_\_\_\_

B

76

S He shall de - fend thee, \_\_\_\_\_ he shall de - fend thee

A *mf dolce* *mp* *mp*

T he shall de - fend thee,

B

82 **G** Sop SA

S un - der his wings, he shall de - fend thee, \_\_\_\_\_ he shall de - fend thee, \_\_\_\_\_

A *mp* *mf*

T he shall de - fend thee, \_\_\_\_\_ he shall de - fend thee, \_\_\_\_\_

B **G**

88 **rallentando**  $\text{♩} = 92$  **Meno mosso**

S — he shall de - fend thee un - der his wings. Be strong, and he shall com - fort thine

A *mp* *f* *mf* *mp dolce*

T — he shall de - fend thee un - der his wings. Be strong, and he shall com - fort thine

B

94 **rall.** **H** ♩ = 72

S A heart, shall com - fort thine heart; and put thou thy trust, thy  
*dim. p mp cresc. cresc. sempre*

T B heart, shall com - fort thine heart; and put thou thy trust, thy

99 **rall.** **Poco lento** ♩ = 72 **rit.**

S A trust in the Lord, put thou thy trust in the  
*f mf deliberamente*

T B trust in the Lord, put thou thy trust in the

103 **Andante a tempo** ♩ = 100

S A Lord, thy trust in the Lord, in the Lord.  
*mp p*

T B Lord, thy trust in the Lord, in the Lord.