

to the New Orleans Children's Chorus, Cheryl Dupont, Director
for the Crescent City Choral Festival, reborn in June 2007

This Day

1. Bring me the sunset in a cup

Emily Dickinson (1830–86)

BOB CHILCOTT

Positive ♩ = c.76

SOPRANO
ALTO

PIANO

mf 3

Bring me the sun - set in a

cup, Reck - on the morn - ing's fla - gons up And

say how ma - ny dew, and say how ma - ny dew, how

7

ma - ny dew, Bring me the sun - set in a

9

cup, Reck - on the morn - ing's flag - ons up And

SOPRANOS

11

S. say how ma - ny dew, and say how ma - ny dew, how

A. ALTOS *f* And say how ma - ny dew, and say how ma - ny,

2. Awake, my soul!

Thomas Ken (1637-1711)

22 **Bright and rhythmic** ♩ = c.150

S. *f* A - wake, my soul, and with the sun Thy

A. *f*

28 *unis.* dai - ly stage of du - ty run; Shake off dull sloth, and joy - ful rise To

33 *div.* pay thy morn - ing sac - ri - fice. Re -

38 *unis.* - deem thy mis - spent youth that's past, Live this day as it were thy last: Im -

43 - prove thy ta - lent with due care; For the great Day thy - self pre - pare.

48 SOPRANOS *p* *div.* *mp* *p*

S. Let all thy con - verse be sin - cere, Thy con - science as the noon - day clear; Think how all -

53 *mp*

S. - see - ing God thy ways And all thy se - cret thoughts sur - veys.

A. *mp cresc.*

By in - fluence of the light di - vine Let thy own

59 *mf cresc.*

mf Re - flect all heaven's pro - pi - tious ways In ar - dent love and cheer - ful praise, —

light in goodworks shine: In ar - dent love and cheer - ful praise, —

65 *f* *f*

praise. — Wake, and lift up thy -

The Lord's my Shepherd

Psalm 23
The Scottish Psalter, 1650

BOB CHILCOTT

Flowing and expressive ♩ = c.84 *unis. p dolce*

SOPRANO
ALTO

TENOR
BASS

PIANO
or
ORGAN

p

(Man.)

6

S.
A.

mp

I'll not want. He makes me down to lie In pas-tures green: he

mp

10

lead - eth me The qui - et wa - ters by, the qui - et wa - ters

(Ped.)

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14 *p*

S. A. *p* My

by.

T. B. *p*

18

soul he doth re - store a - gain; And me to walk doth make With-

22 *mp*

- in the paths of right-eous-ness, E'en for his own name's sake, e'en

mp

mp

26

for his own name's sake. _____

unis. mf

Yea,

cresc.

30

S. *mf*
Yea, though I walk _____ through death's _____ dark

A. *mf*
Yea, though I walk, I _____ walk, will I _____

T. B.
though I walk through death's dark vale, Yet will I fear no

mf