

Generously commissioned by Jerry & Cathie Fischer, Ken & Penny Fischer,
and Jack & Linda Hoeschler for The King's Singers in celebration of their 40th Anniversary

A Thanksgiving

St Richard of Chichester
(c.1197–1253)

BOB CHILCOTT

Gentle but sonorous ♩ = c.60

CHOIR 1*

SOPRANO

ALTO *p espress.*
Thanks be to thee, Lord Je - sus Christ,

TENOR *p espress.*
Thanks be to thee, Lord Je - sus Christ,

BASS

CHOIR 2*

SOPRANO *p*
Thanks,

ALTO *p*
Thanks,

TENOR *p*
Thanks be to thee, _____ to

BASS

ORGAN*

p
Man.

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*This anthem is for unaccompanied double choir, but may also be performed by Choir 1 only, with organ accompaniment.

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5 *mp espress.*
 for all the be-ne-fits which thou hast giv-en us,

div. mp espress.
 thanks be to thee, for all the be-ne-fits which thou hast giv-en us,

mp espress.
 thanks be to thee, for all the be-ne-fits giv-en us,

mp espress.
 for all the be-ne-fits giv-en us,

— thanks, thanks, —

— thanks, thanks, —

thee, to thee,

Piano accompaniment for the final section of the page.

9 *p*
 for all the pains and in - sults which thou hast borne for us. _____

p
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p
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p
 for all the pains and in - sults which thou hast borne for us. _____

mp
 thanks to

mp
 thanks be to

mp
 thanks

mp