WORTHY IS THE LAMB!

for S.A.T.B. voices, accompanied, with opt. 3 trumpets*



^{*} Parts for 3 Bb trumpets may be found on pages 10-11.

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Bb TRUMPET I, II, III

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Revelation 5: 12

Worthy is the Lamb Who was slain to receive power and wealth and wisdom and strength and honor and glory and blessing!

Worthy Is the Lamb is a general anthem that may be especially appropriate for Lent, Holy Week, Eastertide, Ascension and Christ the King. Suggested corresponding scripture readings include Isaiah 53: 1-7, John 1: 29, 1 Peter 2: 21-25 and Revelation 4: 11 & 5: 6-14. One basic homiletical theme is praising the Lamb Who sits upon the throne of God.

This powerfully dramatic anthem opens with a quiet unison section that may be sung by a solo voice (mm. 3-19). In performance, employ sensitive text declamation and a carefully controlled increase in dynamics and intensity to the final climactic statements of "Worthy is the Lamb!" The final section (mm. 67-end) may be sung as a choral worship response.

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