

Italian Pronunciation Guide

(In multiple syllable words, the syllables that should be stressed are underlined.)

La luce che tu dai, nel cuore resterà.
la lu:tʃe ke tu dai nel kwɔ-re re -ste-ra

A ricordarci che l'eterna stella sei.
a ri-kor-dar-tʃi ke l'e-ter-na stel:la sei

Nella mia preghiera quanta fede c'è.
nɛl:la mi-a pre-gje-ra kwɔn-ta fe-de tʃe

Sognamo un mondo senza più violenza.
son:na-mo un mon-do sen-tʃa pju vio-len-tʃa

Un mondo di giustizia e di speranza.
un mon-do di dʒu-stitt:tʃa e di spe-ran-tʃa

Ognuno dia la mano al suo vicino
op:nu-no di-a la ma-no al suo vi:tʃi-no

simbolo di pace, di fraternità.
sim-bo-lo di pa:tʃe di fra-ter-ni-tà

La forza che ci dai è il desiderio che.
la for-tʃa ke tʃi dai e il de-zi-de-riɔ ke

Ognuno trovi amore intorno e dentro se.
op:nu-no tro-vi a-mo-re in-tor-no e den-tro se

E la fede che hai acceso in noi.
e la fe-de ke ai at:tʃe-zo in noi

Sento che ci salverà.
sen-to ke tʃi sal-ve-ra

THE PRAYER

for T.T.B.B. voices and piano
with optional SoundPax and SoundTrax CD*

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Slowly, expressively (♩ = ca. 72) *poco rit.* *a tempo*

TENOR I
TENOR II

BARITONE
BASS

PIANO

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The first system of music features a vocal line in the upper staff and a piano accompaniment in the lower staff. The vocal line begins with a whole rest, followed by a quarter rest, and then a series of eighth notes: G4, A4, B4, C5. The piano accompaniment starts with a quarter rest, followed by a quarter note G3, and then a series of eighth notes: A3, B3, C4, D4, E4, F4, G4.

I pray you'll be our eyes, and watch us where we

The second system continues the vocal line with a quarter rest, followed by a quarter note G4, and then a series of eighth notes: A4, B4, C5, B4, A4, G4. The piano accompaniment features a series of eighth notes: G3, A3, B3, C4, D4, E4, F4, G4, followed by a quarter note G4.

The third system shows the vocal line with a whole rest, followed by a quarter rest, and then a series of eighth notes: G4, A4, B4, C5. The piano accompaniment starts with a quarter rest, followed by a quarter note G3, and then a series of eighth notes: A3, B3, C4, D4, E4, F4, G4.

go, and help us to be wise

The fourth system continues the vocal line with a quarter note G4, followed by a series of eighth notes: A4, B4, C5, B4, A4, G4. The piano accompaniment features a series of eighth notes: G3, A3, B3, C4, D4, E4, F4, G4, followed by a quarter note G4.

The fifth system shows the vocal line with a whole rest, followed by a quarter rest, and then a series of eighth notes: G4, A4, B4, C5. The piano accompaniment starts with a quarter rest, followed by a quarter note G3, and then a series of eighth notes: A3, B3, C4, D4, E4, F4, G4.

in times when we don't know.

The sixth system continues the vocal line with a quarter note G4, followed by a series of eighth notes: A4, B4, C5, B4, A4, G4. The piano accompaniment features a series of eighth notes: G3, A3, B3, C4, D4, E4, F4, G4, followed by a quarter note G4.

13 *poco rit.*
mp 14 *a tempo*

Let this be our prayer, when we lose our

Detailed description: This block contains the first system of music, measures 13 and 14. It features a vocal line with lyrics and a piano accompaniment. The tempo is marked 'poco rit.' and 'mp' for measure 13, and 'a tempo' for measure 14. The piano part has a melodic line in the right hand and a bass line in the left hand.

poco rit. *a tempo*

Detailed description: This block contains the second system of music, measures 15 and 16. The piano accompaniment continues with a melodic line in the right hand and a bass line in the left hand. The tempo is marked 'poco rit.' for measure 15 and 'a tempo' for measure 16.

16 way. Lead us to a place,

Detailed description: This block contains the third system of music, measures 17 and 18. The vocal line has a long note in measure 17 and lyrics 'way.' and 'Lead us to a place,' in measure 18. The piano accompaniment features a melodic line in the right hand and a bass line in the left hand. A dynamic marking 'p' is present in measure 18.

Detailed description: This block contains the fourth system of music, measures 19 and 20. The piano accompaniment continues with a melodic line in the right hand and a bass line in the left hand. A dynamic marking 'p' is present in measure 19.

19 guide us with your grace to a place where we'll be

Detailed description: This block contains the fifth system of music, measures 21 and 22. The vocal line has lyrics 'guide us with your grace' in measure 21 and 'to a place where we'll be' in measure 22. The piano accompaniment features a melodic line in the right hand and a bass line in the left hand.

Detailed description: This block contains the sixth system of music, measures 23 and 24. The piano accompaniment continues with a melodic line in the right hand and a bass line in the left hand.

21

safe. *mf* La lu-ce che tu dai, 23

I pray we'll find your

mf

24

nel cuo - re res - te - rà.

light, and hold it in our

26

A ri - cor - dar - ci che

hearts when stars go out each

28 *f* *poco rit.*
 l'e-ter-na stel-la sei. Nel-la mia pre-
 night, oh.

f *poco rit.*

31 *a tempo* *mf*
 ghie - ra quan - ta fe - de
 Let this be our prayer,

a tempo *mf*

33 *p*
 c'è. Lead us to a place,
 when shad-ows fill our day. Lead us to a place,

p

36 *mp*

guide us with your grace. Give us faith so we'll be safe.

mp

mp

39 *mf* 40

So - gna mo un mon - do sen - za più vio -

mf

41 *rit.*

len - za. Un mon-do di giu-sti-zia e di spe-ran - za. O-gnu-no

rit.

a tempo
44 *f*

dia la ma - no al suo vi - ci - no sim - bo - lo di

a tempo
46 *f*

pa - ce, di fra - ter - ni - tà. La for - za che ci

49 dai è il de - si - de - rio

We ask that life be kind,

rit.

51

che. O - gnu - no tro - vi a

and watch us from a - bove.

53

more in - tor - no e den - tro

We hope each soul will find

55

sè. Let this be our prayer,

an-oth-er soul to love. Let this be our prayer,

mf 57

58

just like ev-'ry child,

61 *mp*

need to find a place, guide us with your grace.

63

Give us faith so we'll be safe.

65

Slower, freely

mf *f*

E la fe - de che hai ac - ce - so in noi.

mf *f*

Slower, freely

mf *f*

68

mp

rit.

a tempo

Sen - to che ci sal - ve - rà,

mp

mp

rit.

a tempo

70

rit.

mf

p

sal - ve - rà.

mf *p*

rit.

mf

p