

# The beauty of Israel is slain upon thy high places

Based on  
2 Samuel Ch. 1

## Anthem

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C minor, F Major  
William Billings, 1781

Treble

Counter

Tenor

Bass

The beau-ty of Is-ra-el is slain, is slain, up - on thy high plac-es.

Tr.

C.

T.

B.

How are the might-ty might-ty might-ty fall'n, fall'n. How are the

Tr.

C.

T.

B.

migh - ty migh-ty Tell it not in migh - ty migh - ty fall'n. migh - ty migh-ty Tell it not in Gath, Tell it not in Gath,

Tr. <sup>25</sup>  
 Gath, tell it not in Gath.  
 C. Tell it not in Gath, — tell it not in Gath. Lest the daugh -  
 T. Pub - lish it not in the streets of Ash-ke-lon.  
 B. Pub - lish it not in the streets of Ash-ke-lon.

Tr. <sup>30</sup>  
 C. ters of the Phil - is - tines re - joice, re - joice, should re-joice, and the  
 T. ters of the Phil - is - tines re - joice, re - joice, should re-joice, and the  
 B. ters of the Phil - is - tines re - joice, re - joice, should re-joice, and the

Tr. <sup>35</sup> <sup>40</sup>  
 C. daugh-ters of the un-cir-cum - cis-ed tri - umph, tri - umph, tri - umph, and the  
 T. daugh-ters of the un-cir-cum - cis-ed tri - umph, tri - umph, tri - umph, and the  
 B. daugh-ters of the un-cir-cum - cis-ed tri - umph, tri - umph, tri - umph, and the

Tr. <sup>45</sup> *Piano*  
 Saul and Jon - a-than were  
 C. daugh-ters of the un-cir-cum - cis-ed tri - umph.  
 T. Saul and Jon - a-than were  
 B. daugh-ters of the un-cir-cum - cis-ed tri - umph.

Tr. 50  
love - ly, were love - ly, love - ly, love - ly, were al - togeth - er love - ly, and

C.

T.

B.

Tr. 55  
plea - sant in their lives.

C. And in their deaths they were not di - vi - ded.

T.

B.

*Forte* 60  
Tr. They were swift - er than eag - les, and strong - er than li - ons, swift - er than

C.

T.

B.


65  
Tr. eag - les, and strong - er than li - ons. How are the might - y might - y might - y


C.

T.


B.

70 75

Tr. 


C. 

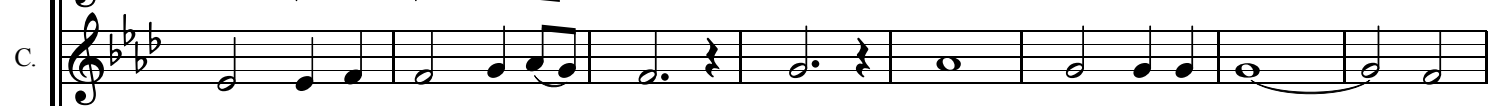
T. 


B. 


fall'n, fall'n. How are the migh - ty migh - ty migh - ty migh - ty fall'n. Ye

80 85

Tr. 


C. 


T. 

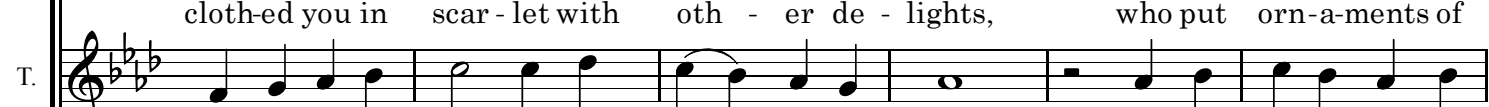
B. 

daugh-ters of Is - ra-el, weep, weep, weep, weep ov-er Saul, who

90

Tr. 


C. 


T. 

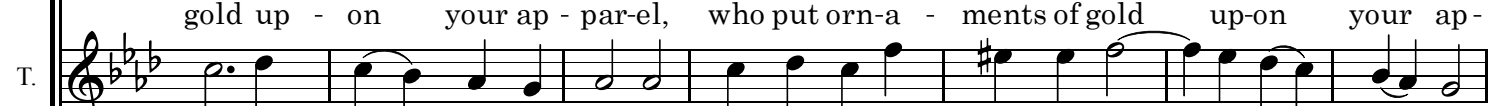
B. 


cloth-ed you in scar - let with oth - er de - lights, who put orn-a-ments of

95

Tr. 

C. 

T. 

B. 

gold up - on your ap - par-el, who put orn-a - ments of gold up-on your ap-

100 105

Tr.

par-el. How have the migh-ty migh-ty migh-ty fall'n, fall'n. How

110

Tr.

migh - ty migh-ty  
are the migh - ty migh-ty fall'n. O Jon-a-than, O Jon-a-than,  
migh - ty migh-ty

115

Tr.

ve-ry pleas-ant hast thou been, ve-ry pleas-ant hast thou been un - to me.

120

Tr.

Was won - der-ful, was won - der-ful, was  
Thy love to me was won-der-ful,

125 130

Tr. C. T. B.

won-der-ful, pas - sing the love of wo-men. How are the migh-ty

135

Tr. C. T. B.

migh - ty migh-ty  
 migh-ty migh-ty fall'n, fall'n, How are the migh - ty migh - ty  
 migh - ty migh-ty

140

Tr. C. T. B.

fall'n. How are the migh - ty fall'n.