ANCIENT GROOVE MUSIC

RICHARD AYLEWARD

(1626 - 1669)

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For SSSAAATTBBBB chorus, SSTB soli, and keyboard continuo

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EDITORIAL NOTES

Source: Cambridge, King's College Rowe Library, (GB-Ckc) MSS 9–17, a set of 17th-century partbooks. The organ book, at least, is in Ayleward's hand.

The music is presented in original note values and at original pitch. Small notes have been added to the organ part, though it is largely left to be 'filled in' by the player. Cautionary accidentals are in parentheses; editorially added accidentals are in square brackets. Barring is occasional in the source and has been regularized.

Bass 3, 30: The rests in the vocal partbooks suggest that the 3rd Bass comes in one minim after the tenor finishes; but the Organ book suggests an overlap.

Bass 4, 35: This phrase has been created editorially, to complete the imitative point.

Alto 3, 39: Source sets 'even' to one syllable. It has been marked as 'e'en' in the edition.

Organ, 40: Extra semibreve C inserted editorially to fit the organ part to the voices.

Tenor 1, 41: This phrase moved forward by a semibreve.

Alto 2, 45: Source has F; changed to G. (Unison with Alto 1.) This bar swapped with Tenor 1 to improve range.

Tenor 1, 46: Tenor and Alto 3 parts swapped for this phrase, to improve range.

Alto 3, 46: Source has C; changed to D. (Unison with Alto 1).

Tenor 1, 47: Rest missing in source.

Bass 1, 52: Extra semibreve rest added.

Meane 1, 63: Source has 'even' as one syllable slurred over two notes.

Organ, 74: First note is dotted minim B in source: changed to minim A, crotchet B natural, mimicking the next bar.

Bass 3, 99: Bass source has B flat; organ has B natural.

114: Last notes are all breves in source.

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