

GOD IS OUR REFUGE AND STRENGTH

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SATB, organ



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for Patricia Anne Hubbs

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for SATB voices and organ

Psalm 46:1-5, 7, 10-11
Original tr. based on KJV

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Moderately fast ($\text{♩} = \text{c. } 76$) *f marcato*

Soprano
Alto

Tenor
Bass

Organ

God is our ref-uge and strength,

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God is our

This piece was written after the April 27, 2011 tornado that devastated much of Tuscaloosa, Alabama, and was first performed there at Forest Lake United Methodist Church.

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ref - uge and strength, a ver - y pres - ent help in time of

8

trou - ble.

10

There - fore, we will not fear, though the

There - fore, we will not fear,

12

earth is moved, and the
though the earth is

Detailed description: This system contains measures 12 and 13. It features a vocal line with lyrics and a piano accompaniment. The key signature has three flats (B-flat, E-flat, A-flat) and the time signature is 3/4. The piano part consists of a steady eighth-note accompaniment in the right hand and a bass line in the left hand.

14

moun - tains fall in - to the sea.
moved, and the moun - tains fall in - to the

Detailed description: This system contains measures 14 and 15. The vocal line continues with lyrics. The piano accompaniment continues with the same eighth-note pattern. A fermata is placed over the final note of the vocal line in measure 15.

16

sea.
Though its wa - ters

Detailed description: This system contains measures 16, 17, and 18. The vocal line has lyrics. The piano accompaniment continues. In measure 18, the piano part features a triplet of eighth notes in the right hand. The system concludes with a double bar line.

19

roar and foam, and the moun - tains

22

shake at its swell - ing.

25

rit.

rit.

rit.