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O Come, Let Us Worship

Based on Psalm 95:6, 7, 10;
and Psalm 71:17, 7, 10

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Moderato (♩ = ca. 60)

Organ *mf*

4

Soprano *mf*

Alto

Tenor

Bass *mf*

O come, — let us wor - ship and fall

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7 *Moving ahead* (♩ = ca. 80) *mf*

down, _____ and kneel be-fore the Lord _____ our Mak - er. For

Moving ahead (♩ = ca. 80)

no Ped.

11 *p*

he is the Lord our God; and we are the peo-ple of his

p

mf

Ped.

14

pas - ture, and the sheep _____ of his hand.

Solemnly (♩ = ca. 86)

17 S *mf* $\overset{\text{3}}{\text{—}}$ For - ty years long was I grieved with this gen - er -

A *mf* $\overset{\text{3}}{\text{—}}$ For - ty years long,

T *mf* $\overset{\text{3}}{\text{—}}$ For - ty years long was I grieved with this gen - er -

B *mf* $\overset{\text{3}}{\text{—}}$ For - ty years long,

Solemnly (♩ = ca. 86)

20 *Moving ahead* *mf* a - tion, and said, It is a peo - ple that do

and said,

a - tion, and said, It is a peo - ple that do

and said,

Moving ahead *mf* no Ped.

23

err in their hearts, It is a

mf

It is a peo-ple that do err in their hearts,

err in their hearts, It is a

mf

It is a peo-ple that do err in their hearts,

26

peo-ple that do err in their hearts,

err in their hearts,

peo-ple that do err in their hearts,

err in their hearts,

28

S
A

for they have not known _____ my ways.

T
B

(no Ped.)

31

f

For - sake me not, O God, _____ in mine old _____

f

f

35

pp

age, when I am gray - head - ed, un - til I have showed thy

pp

cresc.

cresc.

cresc.

Ped.

38 *f*

strength un - to this gen - er - a - tion, and thy pow'r to all them

f

no Ped.

41 *f* (♩ = ca. 100)

that are yet to come. — O let my mouth — be

f

(♩ = ca. 100)

Ped.

45

filled, — be filled with thy praise,

48

that I may sing of thy glo - ry and hon - or,

51

sing of thy glo - ry and hon - or, sing of thy

54 *rit. e dim.*

glo - ry and hon - or all the day long.

rit. e dim.

57 *Freely and simply* (♩ = ca. 68) Solo *mp*

As for me,

Freely and simply (♩ = ca. 68)
(Tune: *Conditor Alme Siderum*)
p

no Ped.

60

I will pa-tient-ly a-bide al-way,

63

I will a-bide, I will a-bide,



Tempo giusto, con giubilo (♩ = ca. 100)

66 (Tutti) *f*

and will praise thee more and more,

f

mf more and

Tempo giusto, con giubilo (♩ = ca. 100)

f

Ped.

69

I will praise thee more and more, I will praise thee

more, more and more,

72

more and more, I will praise thee more and more,

more and more, more and

75

I will praise thee, praise, praise thee,
more, praise thee, praise,

79

praise thee more and more.

f

ff

TS