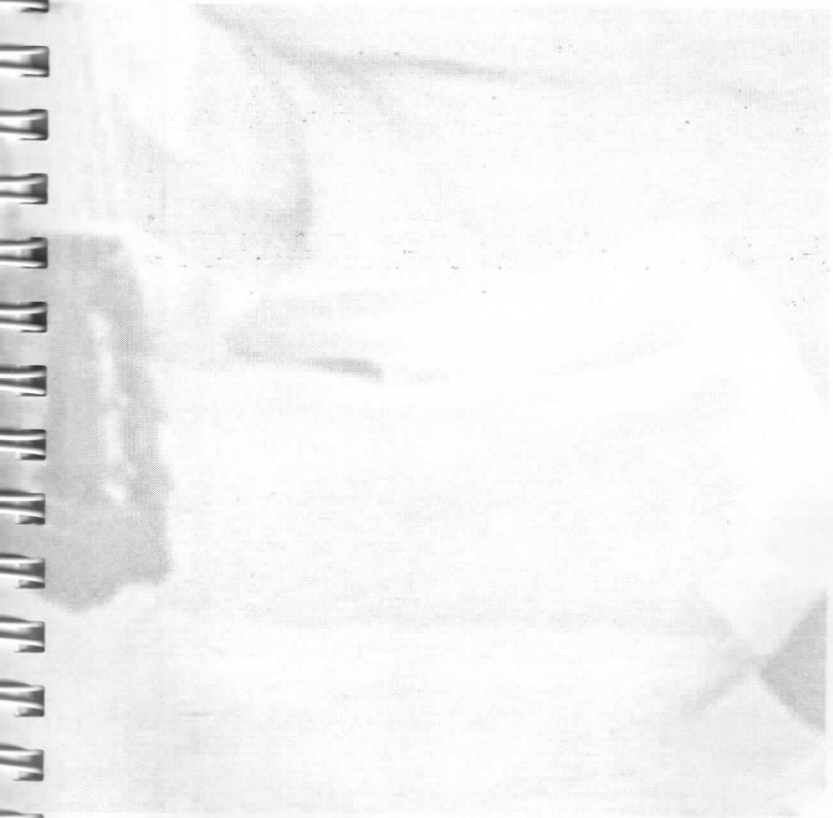


## ***Psalm 73***

***(Manoling Francisco, SJ)***

A meditative composition by Manoling Francisco, SJ, "Psalm 73" is a song of faith and devotion to a God Who gives us ourselves. In the struggle to live out our faith, a faith that is often tested, we find comfort in the words of the psalmist.

This prayer reminds us that we are His always and that, although our futures are uncertain, we can rest in the assurance that His love for us never fails.



# Psalm 73

A capella  
Choir (SSAATTBB)  
Soprano solo  
Soprano descant

Based on Psalm 73  
Music and lyrics MANOLING FRANCISCO, SJ  
Arrangement PAULO K TIROL

*Serenely*  
♩ = 90

**F#m /E D9 A/C# Bm /A**

SOPRANOS  
ALLOS  
TENORS  
BASSES

Ooo, Ooo, Ooo, Ooo,

**[A]**

**G9 E A9 A/G# F#m7 /E DM9**

SOPRANO SOLO *mp*

With You, I am al - ways with You. You hold me tight, Your

(Ooo,) Bah bah bah bah Bah

(Ooo,) Bah bah bah bah Bah

(Ooo,) Bah bah bah bah Bah

(Ooo,) Bum bum bum bum Bum

**15 A9/C# D9 E F#m /E**

hand in mine. You bring all things to a good end. You lead me

bah bah Ooo,

bah bah Ooo,

bah bah Ooo,

bum bum bum bah Ooo,



20 **D9** **A9/C#** **Bm** *cresc.* **/A** **G9** **E** *mf*

on in Your good plea - sure. What is hea - ven to me with-out You? Where am

S Ooo, Doo doo Ooo, *cresc.* *Enter Descant*

A Ooo, Doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo

T Ooo, Doo doo doo doo doo doo doo

B Ooo, Doo doo doo doo doo doo doo Bum

**B**

26 **A9** **E/G#** **F#m** **/E** **D9** **A9/C#**

I on earth if You are not there? Though my bo - dy is bro - ken down, though my

S ONE SOPRANO (Descant) *mp* Ooo, SOPRANOS *p* Ooo bro - ken down

A *mp* Bah bah bah bah *p* Ooo, bro - ken down

T *mp* Bah bah bah bah *p* Ooo bro - ken down

B *mp* Bum bum bum bum *p* Ooo bro - ken down

32 **D9** **A9/C#** **f** **Bm** **/A** **G9** **Esus4** **E** *mp*

heart dies, You are my rock. My God, the fu - ture that waits for me. Far a -

S *cresc.* Ooo are my rock. My God *mf* the fu - ture that waits for me.

A *cresc.* Ooo, are my rock. My God, *mf* the fu - ture that waits for me.

T *cresc.* Ooo are my rock. My God, *mf* the fu - ture that waits for me.

B *cresc.* Ooo are my rock. My God, *mf* the fu - ture that waits for me.

**C**

38 **F#m** **E** **D** **A/C#** **D** **A/C#** **E**

S way from You To break faith with You is to be no one.

A Far a-way from You life is not life. Ooo, Ooo With

T Far a-way from You life is not life. Ooo, Ooo, With

B Far a-way from You life is not life. Ooo, With

*p* *cresc.*

**D**

46 **A9** **E/G#** **F#m** **/E** **D9** **A9/C#**

S You, I am al-ways with You. You hold me tight, Your hand in

A You, I am al-ways with You. You hold me tight, Your hand in

T You, I am al-ways with You. You hold me tight, Your hand in

B You, I am al-ways with You. You hold me tight, Your hand in

*mf* *accel.*

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**D** **E** **F#m** **/E** **D9**

S mine. You bring all things to a good end. You lead me on in Your good

A mine. You bring all things to a good end. You lead me on in Your good

T mine. You bring all things to a good end. You lead me on in Your good

B mine. You bring all things to a good end. You lead me on in Your good

57 **A9/C#** *f* **Bm** **/A** **G** *decresc.* *Enter Solo (top staff)*

S plea - sure. What is hea - ven to me with - out You?

A plea - sure. What is hea - ven to me with - out You?

T plea - sure. What is hea - ven to me with - out You?

B plea - sure. What is hea - ven to me with - out You?

61 **Esus4** **E** *mp* **A9** **E/G#** **F#m** **/E** **D9** **E** *SOPRANO SOLO*

S With You, my high-est good, my God, with You I am se -

A (You?) Bah bah bah bah Bah Ooo

T (You?) Bah bah bah bah Bah Ooo

B (You?) Bum bum bum bum Bum Ooo

68 **F#m** **/E** **D** **/E** **A9**

S cure. Ooo,

A Ooo,

T Ooo,

B Ooo,