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(Duration: 3:30)

CELESTIAL FLAME

Text by George Sandys (1578-1644)

MAESTOSO $\text{♩} = 72$

JOHN BIGGS
a.s.c.a.p.

tp 1
f hn
tp 2
trb
tba

5 tutti
f All! All from the sun's up -

hn

9 rise.

col 8va

13 f Un - to his set - ting rays, ff

ff

17

Empty musical staves for measures 17-20.

Piano accompaniment for measures 17-20. Includes dynamic marking *f* (col 8va) and performance instructions *a3* and *tp 1*.

21

Vocal staves for measures 21-24. Lyrics: *f* Re - sound in ju - ba - lees, Re - sound in ju - ba - lees, *f* Re - sound in ju - ba - lees, Re - sound in ju - ba -

Piano accompaniment for measures 21-24. Includes dynamic markings *f*, *dim.*, *p*, and *f*, and performance instruction *tp 1*.

25

Vocal staves for measures 25-28. Lyrics: The great Je - ho va's praise, The great Je - ho - va's, lees, The great Je - ho va's praise, The great Je - ju - ba - lees, The great Je - ho - va, The

Piano accompaniment for measures 25-28. Includes dynamic markings *f* and *hn*, and performance instructions *tp 2* and *hn*.

29

2nd time go to II I non dim., non rit.

praise. Give praise. The great Je ho - va's praise.
 ho - va's praise. Some altos may join sop. The great Je ho - va's praise.
 great Je - ho - va's praise. Some tenors may join alto The great Je - ho - va's praise.

2nd time go to II I non dim., non rit.

col 8va

tp 1
 tp 2
 hn

34

Go to ♢ II rit., ma non dim.

The great Je ho va's praise.
 Some altos may join sop.
 The great Je ho va's praise.
 Some tenors may join alto
 The great Je - ho va's praise.

Go to ♢ II.
 legato rit., ma non dim.

39

piu tranquillo

mf Him serve a - lone:
mf In tri - umph
mf In

piu tranquillo

tp 1
 (hn) (f) *mf*

44

Him serve a-lone:

bring your gifts and sing Bring

tri-umph bring your gifts and sing Bring gifts and

legato

col 8va *mf* *f*

49

Him serve a-lone. *f* Man drew from

gifts and sing Be fore His throne. *f* Man drew from

sing Be-fore His throne.

col 8va *mf*

53

wo-man his birth; Built of the rud-dy earth,

wo-man his birth; Built of the rud-dy earth,

f But God his no-ble frame Filled

col 8va

57

ff Filled with ce - les - tial flame. *f* Filled

ff Filled with ce - les - tial flame.

with ce - les - tial flame. — *ff* Filled with ce - les - tial flame. *f* Filled with ce -

61

with ce - les - tial flame. *mf* Filled with ce - les - tial flame. *mp* Filled

f Filled with ce - les - tial flame. *mf* Filled with ce - les - tial flame.

les - tial flame. *mf* Filled with ce - les - tial flame. *mp* Filled with ce -

65

with ce - les - tial flame.

mp Filled with ce - les - tial flame.

les - tial flame.

69

f His pro - mise passed

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cresc. *mf* *mf* *hn*

73 non dim. sim.

for - ev - er sure. *mf* His pro - mise passed

for - ev - er sure. *mf* His pro - mise passed

for - ev - er sure. *mf* His pro - mise passed

mf *p* *p* *tps* *mf* *p* *sim.* *sim.*

col 8va

78 non dim. sim.

For - ev - er sure. *mp* For - ev - er

for - ev - er sure. *mp* For - ev - er

for - ev - er sure. *mp* For - ev - er

mf *sim.*

83 *dim. poco a poco* ----- *pp*

sure. sure. sure.

87 *ff* His pro - mise passed — for - ev - er sure. —

ff His pro - mise passed — for - ev - er sure. —

91 His pro - mise passed — for - ev - er sure. *D.C.*

His pro - mise passed — for - ev - er sure. *D.C.*

His pro - mise passed — for - ev - er -sure. *D.C.*

His pro - mise passed — for - ev - er -sure.