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An exhortation of St Peter
for SATB a cappella

Vocal score

Text from 1 Peter ch 1

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Music setting after the composer's original

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For Tom Whittmore and the choirs of Saint Peter's Episcopal Church, Philadelphia

1 Peter 1:22–5, 2:1, 5:14

Seeing ye have purified your souls in obeying the truth through the Spirit, see that ye love one another with a pure heart fervently, being born again, not of corruptible seed, but of incorruptible, by the word of God.

For all flesh is as grass, and all the glory of man as the flower of grass. The grass withereth, and the flower thereof falleth away, but the word of the Lord endureth forever.

Wherefore lay aside all malice, and all guile, and hypocrisies, and envies, and all evil speakings. Greet one another with a kiss of love.

Duration: c3'30"

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AN EXHORTATION OF ST PETER

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2:1, 5:14

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(b 1973)

Lento rubato ♩ = c56

p legato, misterioso

Soprano
Alto
Tenor
Bass

in o-bey-ing the
in o-bey-ing the

p legato, misterioso
See - ing ye have pu - ri - fied your souls

p legato, misterioso
See - ing ye have pu - ri - fied your souls

Lento rubato ♩ = c56

Piano (for rehearsal only)
p misterioso

Andantino ♩ = 94

mp *mf*

truth through the Spi - rit, see that ye love one an - oth - er with a

mp *mf*

truth through the Spi - rit, see that ye love one an - oth - er -

a niente *mp* *mf*

see, - see that ye love one an -

mf

see - that ye

Andantino ♩ = 94

mp *mf*

20

rall *dim*

seed, _____ but of in - cor - rupt - i - ble, _____ by the word of -

dim

- rupt - i - ble seed, but of in - cor - rupt - i - ble, _____ by the word of -

dim

_____ seed, _____ but of in - cor - rupt - i - ble by the word

dim

- rupt - i - ble seed, but of in - cor - rupt - i - ble by the word

rall *dim*

26

Meno mosso ♩ = 64 *mp*

_____ God. _____ For all flesh is as grass, and all the glo - ry _____ of man as the

mp

_____ God. _____ For all flesh is as grass, and all the glo - ry of man as the

mp

of God. _____ For all flesh is as grass, and all the glo - ry of man as the

mp

of God. _____ For all flesh is as grass, and all the glo - ry of man as the

Meno mosso ♩ = 64 *mp*

31

flow'r of grass.

flow'r of grass. The grass with - er - eth, and the

flow'r of grass. The grass with - er - eth, and the

flow'r of grass. The grass with - er - eth, and the

flow'r of grass. The grass with - er - eth, and the

34

rall **a tempo** *mp*

but the

flow'r there-of fall - eth a - way, but the word, the

flow - er fall - eth a - way, but the word, but the word

flow'r fall - eth a - way, but the word, but the

but the word, but the

rall **a tempo** *cresc.*

38

word of the Lord en - dur - eth for - ev - er, en - dur - eth

word of the Lord the word en - dur - eth, en - dur - eth,

of the Lord en - dur - eth, en - dur - eth, en -

word of the Lord en - dur - eth for - ev - er, en -

for - ev - er, for - ev - er.

for - ev - er, for - ev - er, for - ev - er.

- dur - eth for - ev - er, for - ev - er.

- dur - eth for - ev - er, for - ev - er.

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for - ev - er, for - ev - er.

for - ev - er, for - ev - er, for - ev - er.

- dur - eth for - ev - er, for - ev - er.

- dur - eth for - ev - er, for - ev - er.

50 *p misterioso* *cresc*

Where - fore lay a - side all mal - ice, — and all guile, and hy -

p misterioso *cresc*

— Lay a - side all mal - ice, and all guile, and

p misterioso *cresc*

— Lay a - side, — lay a - side

mp

— lay a -

p misterioso *cresc*

54 *f*

- poc - ri sies, and en - vies, and all — e - vil

f

hy - poc - ri - sies, and en - vies and — all — e - vil —

f

mal - ice, hy - poc - ri - sies and en - vies and all — e - vil

cresc. *f*

- side guile, hy - poc - ri - sies anden - vies and all — e - vil

Poco più mosso ♩ = 76

58 *mp dolce*

spea - k - ings. — Greet one an - oth - er, — greet one an -

mp dolce

spea - k - ings. — Greet one an - oth - er, greet one an -

mp dolce

spea - k - ings. — Greet — one — an - oth - er, an -

mp dolce

spea - k - ings. — Greet, — one an - oth - er,

Poco più mosso ♩ = 76

mp dolce

64 *mf*

- oth - er — with a kiss, — greet one an -

cresc *mf*

- oth - er — with a kiss, — with a kiss, — greet one an -

cresc *mf*

- oth - - er, greet one — an - oth - er with a kiss, greet —

cresc *mf*

greet one — an - oth - er, greet one an - oth - er,

cresc *mf*

69

- oth - er, greet one an - oth - er, —
 - oth - er, greet, — greet one an - oth - er with a
 one — an - oth - er, — greet —
 one — an - oth - er, greet — one an -

73

rall **p**

— with a kiss, — with a kiss of love. **p**
 kiss, — with a kiss, a kiss of love. **p**
 one an - oth - er with a kiss of love. **p**
 - oth - er with a kiss, a kiss of love. **p**

rall