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I will lift up mine eyes
for SATB a cappella

Vocal score

Text Psalm 121

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Psalm 121

I will lift up mine eyes unto the hills, from whence cometh my help.
My help cometh even from the Lord, who hath made heaven and
earth.

He will not suffer thy foot to be moved, and he that keepeth thee will
not sleep.

Behold, he that keepeth Israel shall neither slumber nor sleep.
The Lord himself is thy keeper; the Lord is thy defence upon thy
right hand;

So that the sun shall not burn thee by day, neither the moon by
night.

The Lord shall preserve thee from all evil; yea, it is even he that shall
keep thy soul.

The Lord shall preserve thy going out, and thy coming in, from this
time forth for evermore.

Duration: c3 minutes

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I WILL LIFT UP MINE EYES

Psalm 121
(Book of Common
Prayer, 1662)

JAMES LAVINO
(b 1973)

Adagietto ♩ = 58

Soprano *mp*
I will lift up mine eyes un-to the hills, from

Alto *mp*
I will lift up, lift mine eyes, lift

Tenor *mp*
I will lift up, lift up mine eyes, lift

Bass *mp*
I will lift up, lift up mine eyes, lift

Piano (for rehearsal only) *mp*

3 *mp*
whence com-eth my help. My help com-eth e-ven from the

p mp
up mine eyes un-to the hills. My help, my help

p mp
up mine eyes un-to the hills. My help, my help

p mp
up mine eyes un-to the hills. My help com-

6

Lord, who hath made heav'n and earth. He will not
 com-eth, com-eth from the Lord, the Lord. He will not
 com-eth, com-eth from the Lord, the Lord. He will not
 eth, com-eth from the Lord, the Lord. He will not suf-fer thy

10

suf-fer, suf-fer thy foot to be moved
 suf-fer, suf-fer thy foot to be moved and He
 suf-fer thy foot to be moved.
 foot to be moved and he that keep-eth thee

13 **Poco più animato**

p *mf*

Be - hold, he that keep - eth Is - ra-el shall nei-ther

p *mf*

will not sleep. He that keep - eth Is - ra-el shall not

p *mf*

Be - hold, he that keep - eth Is - ra-el shall nei-ther

p *mf*

will not sleep. He that keep - eth Is - ra-el shall not

Poco più animato

16 **poco rall**

slum - ber nor sleep, nor sleep, nor

slum - ber, shall nei - ther slum - ber, nei - ther slum - ber nor

slum - ber nor sleep, nor sleep, nor

slum - ber, shall nei - ther slum - ber nor sleep, nor

poco rall

19 **Lento, rubato** $\text{♩} = 48$
p molto legato *p*

sleep. The Lord him-self is thy keep-er; the

sleep, nor sleep. The Lord him-self is thy keep-er; the

sleep. The Lord him-self is thy keep-er; the

sleep. The Lord him-self is thy keep-er; the

p molto legato *p*

p molto legato *pp*

22

Lord is thy de-fence up-on thy right hand;

Lord is thy de-fence up-on thy right hand;

Lord is thy de-fence up-on thy right hand;

Lord is thy de-fence up-on thy right hand;

Poco più mosso ♩ = 52

5

24

p *mp* *p*

So that the sun shall not burnthee by day, nei-ther the moon by night.

p *mp* *p*

So that the sun shall not burnthee by day, nei-ther the moon by night. -

p *mp* *p*

So that the sun shall not burnthee by day, nei-ther the moon by night. -

p *mp* *p*

So that the sun shall not burnthee by day, nei-ther the moon by night. -

Poco più mosso ♩ = 52

p *mp* *p*

Adagietto, come prima ♩ = 58

28

p *mf*

The Lord shall pre-serve thee from all e - vil; _____

pp *mf*

— The Lord shall pre - serve thee.

mf

— He shall pre - serve thee.

mf

— He shall, shall pre - serve thee.

Adagietto, come prima ♩ = 58

pp *p* *mf*

31

yea, it is e-ven he that shall keep thy soul. The Lord shall pre-serve thy go-ing

He shall keep thy soul, thy go-ing

He shall keep thy soul, thy go-ing

He shall keep thy soul, thy go-ing

34

poco rall **a tempo** **rall** **pp**

out and thy com-ing in from this time forth for ev-er-more.

out, thy com-ing in from this time forth for ev-er-more.

out and thy com-ing in from this time forth for ev-er-more.

out, thy com-ing in from this time forth for ev-er-more.

poco rall **a tempo** **rall** **pp**