

Brier

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p ♩ = 60

Soprano
Be - cause, dear Christ, be - cause your

Alto
p
Be - cause, dear Christ your

Tenor
p
use, dear

Bass
p
be - cause, dear

Piano
(for rehearsal only)

4

S.
ten - der wound - arm Bends back the

A.
wound - - arm Bends back the

T.
Christ, arm Bends back the

B.
Christ arm Bends back the

7

S. brier that ed - ges life's long way That

A. brier that ed - ges life's long way That no hurt

T. brier that ed - ges life's long way at no hurt

B. brier that ed - ges life's lo ay That

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S. no hurt comes, to no harm, I do not feel the

A. comes to hear soul no harm, I do not feel the

T. comes to art, to soul no harm, I do not feel the

B. hurt comes, to soul no harm, I do not feel the

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B

mp

13

S. thorns so much to day. Be - -

A. thorns so much to day.

T. thorns so much to day. Be - - ause I

B. thorns so much to day. Be - cause



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S. cause I n - er knew your care to

A. *mp* nev - er knew care to

T. nev - - er knew your care to

B. to

18

S. *f*
tire, Your hand to wea - ry guid - - ing me a - right, Be -

A. *f*
tire, Your hand to wea - ry guid - - ing me,

T. *f*
tire, to wea - ry guid - - ing

B. *f*
tire, Your hand to wea - ry guid - - ing me a - right, Be -

21

S. *mf*
cause you walk be - fore and crush the

A. *mf*
walk fore, crush the

T. *mf*
walk be - fore, crush the

B. *mf*
se you walk be - fore and crush the

24 *ff*

S. brier, you walk be - fore and crush the

A. brier, you walk and crush the

T. brier, you walk and the

B. brier, you walk and crush the

27

S. brier, It does pierce my feet so much.

A. brier, It does not pierce so much.

T. brier, does not pierce so much to -

B. brier, It does not pierce so much to -

C

30

p

S. Be - cause so of - - - ten

A. *p*
Of - - - ten

T. *p*
night. Be - cause so of .n

B. *p*
night. - - - ten

33

S. you have hear - ened my self - ish prayers, I

A. You have hear - to my prayers, I

T. hear ened to my self - ish prayers, I

B. - - - ened to my prayers, I

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S. ask now, That these harsh hands add not un - to The

A. ask now, That these harsh hands add not un - to The

T. ask now, That these harsh hands add not to The

B. ask That these harsh hands add un - to The

39

S. crown of thorns up - on bleed - ing brow. *pp*

A. crown of thorns ur on your bleed - ing brow. *pp*

T. crown of up - on your bleed - ing brow. *pp*

B. of thorns up - on your bleed - ing brow. *pp*