A Pocket Breviary (2011)

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Three Psalms for Choir and Organ

King James Version, 1611

Hushed - with flexible, elastic pulse (ca. \( \dot{q} = 60 - 66 \))

Psalms

Soprano

Alto

Tenor

Bass

Organ

Swell: 8' Flute, 4' Flute
- couple Swell to Pedal
Pedal: 16' + 8' Flute

\( \text{pp} \)

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Bless the Lord, bless the Lord.

Lord, bless the Lord.

Praise the Lord, Praise the Lord.

Bless the Lord, the Lord.
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Moving forward, elastic - not too quickly (\textit{j} = 68 - 72)

Lord, my heart is not haughty nor mine eyes

My heart, not mine,

My heart,

My heart, not mine, nor mine,

Nor I,

Neither do I exercise,

Nor I,

neither do I exercise,
neither do I exercise myself in great matters or in things too high for me.
Allargando, intently (\( \text{\textit{j} = \text{ca.} \ 60} \)) \textit{rit.} \hspace{1cm} \text{Eagerly - quickly, but not too quickly (\( \text{\textit{j} = 68 - 72} \))}

\textit{Lord! Lord! Lord,} \hspace{1cm} \text{Surely I have be-haved and qui-et-ed}

\textit{Allargando, intently (\( \text{\textit{j} = \text{ca.} \ 60} \)) \textit{rit.} \hspace{1cm} \text{Eagerly - quickly, but not too quickly (\( \text{\textit{j} = 68 - 72} \))}

\textit{Lord! Lord! Lord,} \hspace{1cm} \text{my soul,}

\textit{and I,} \hspace{1cm} \text{as a child that is weaned of his moth-er, my}

\textit{and I,} \hspace{1cm} \text{poco rit.}

\textit{my-self;} \hspace{1cm} \text{my}

\textit{poco rit.}
Slower - warmly, yet with weight (\( \dot{q} \approx 60 \))

As before - quicker, yet naturally (\( \dot{q} = 68 \) - \( 72 \))

S

\[ \text{poco string.} \quad \text{rit.} \quad \text{mp} \]

A

\[ \text{my soul,} \]

T

\[ \text{My soul, is even as a weaned child.} \]

B

\[ \text{My soul,} \]

Org.

\[ \text{poco string.} \quad \text{rit.} \]

Slower - warmly, yet with weight (\( \dot{q} = \text{ca. 60} \))

As before - quicker, yet naturally (\( \dot{q} = 68 \) - \( 72 \))

80

S

\[ \text{O} \]

A

\[ \text{(sempre sotto voce - stagger breathing, enter and exit as unobtrusively as possible)} \]

T

\[ \text{Let Israel hope in the Lord from} \]

B

\[ \text{Lord!} \]

Org.

\[ \text{p}\]

\[ \text{pp} \]

\[ \text{ppp} \]

\[ \text{pp} \]
Settling - easily, like Tempo I (ca. $q = 68$)

hence-forth, from hence-forth, from hence-forth and for-ev-er and for-ev - er.

ppp

For-ev-er

For-ev-er

For-ev-er

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