

Whoso Dwelleth under the Defence of the Most High

Anthem for SATB choir, unaccompanied
From *The Company of Heaven* (1937)

From Psalm 91 (Myles Coverdale)

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Andante con rubato

pp legato

Soprano
Who-so dwell-eth un-der the de-fence of the most High: shall a - bide un-der the sha -

Alto
Who-so dwell-eth un-der the de-fence of the most High: shall a - bide un-der the sha -

Chorus
pp legato

Tenor
Who-so dwell-eth un-der the de-fence of the most High: shall a - bide un-der the sha -

Bass
Who-so dwell-eth un-der the de-fence of the most High: shall a - bide un-der the sha -

Rehearsal only
pp legato

S
- dow of the Al - migh-ty. For thou, Lord, hope: *pp*

A
- dow of the Al - migh-ty. For thou, Lord, hope: *pp*

T
- dow of the Al - migh-ty. For thou, Lord, art my hope: thou hast set thine house of de- *pp*

B
- dow of the Al - migh-ty. For thou, Lord, hope: *pp*

Animato

S *sf* hurt.

A *sf* hurt. *unis. f* { Thou shalt go up-on the li-on and ad-der,

T *sf* hurt. Thou shalt

B bear thee in their hands: that thou hurt not thy foot a-against a stone. Thou shalt

S *f* the li-on and ad-der: shalt thou tread,

A *div.* and ad-der: *unis. f* shalt thou tread,

T *f* go, The young li-on and the dra-gon shalt thou tread,

B go, The young li-on and the dra-gon shalt thou tread,

allargando

S *f* shalt tread un-der thy

A *f* shalt tread un-der thy

T *f* shalt tread, shalt tread, *div.* shalt tread un-der thy

B *f* shalt tread, shalt tread, *f* shalt tread, shalt tread un-der thy