

# Sancta Civitas

(THE HOLY CITY)

Text from the Book of Revelation

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**Lento** ♩ = 76 (The tempo marks are approximate. The pace must be free and elastic throughout.)

BARITONE

PIANO *ppp*

Flutes

Cello & Bass

1

Oboe

2

BARITONE *pp*

I was in the Spi - rit, — and I heard a great voice of much peo - ple prais - ing God.

*pp*

14 Lento ♩ = 76

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ppp

pp

16 Allegro ♩ = 165

Bar.

*p* And I saw heaven *ff* o - pened, —

Tpts *ff*

TUTTI (SEMI-CHORUS with FULL CHORUS) *f*

S. *f* And be - hold a white

A. *f* And be - hold a white

T. *f* And be - hold a white

B. *f* And be - hold a white

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TUTTI (SEMI-CHORUS with FULL CHORUS)

*ppp parlando*

S. And I saw a new heav'n and a new earth: for the

A. And I saw a new heav'n and a new earth: for the

T. And I saw a new heav'n and a new earth: for the

B. And I saw a new heav'n and a new earth: for the

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S. first earth and the first heav'n were passed a - way; and there was no more sea. \_\_\_\_\_

A. first earth and the first heav'n were passed a - way; and there was no more sea. \_\_\_\_\_

T. first earth and the first heav'n were passed a - way; and there was no more sea. \_\_\_\_\_

B. first earth and the first heav'n were passed a - way; and there was no more sea. \_\_\_\_\_

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