

How long wilt thou forget me, Lord?

New Version of Tate and Brady (1696)

St Andrew by the Wardrobe, by Francis Roads (b. 1943)

Psalm 13 verses 1-3 & doxology

Slow ♩=104

Soprano
How long wilt thou for - get me, Lord? Must I for e - ver mourn? Must

Alto
How long wilt thou for - get me, Lord? Must I for e - ver

Tenor [Air]
How long wilt thou for - get me, Lord? Must I for e - ver mourn? Must

Bass
How long wilt thou for - get me, Lord? Must I for e - ver

Keyboard

S
I for e - ver mourn? Must I for e - ver mourn? How long wilt thou with-

A
mourn? Must I for e - ver mourn? Must I for e - ver mourn?

T
I for e - ver mourn? Must I for e - ver mourn? How long wilt thou with-

B
mourn? Must I for e - ver mourn? Must I for e - ver mourn?

Kbd.

Circled numbers correspond with lines of text;
{ } show the line omitted by alto and bass;
the symphony may serve as an introduction.

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How long wilt thou forget me, Lord?

12

S
A
T
B
Kbd.

draw from me, Oh! ne - ver to re - turn, Oh! ne - ver to re -

draw from me, Oh! ne - ver to re - turn, Oh! ne - ver to re - turn, O

Oh! ne - ver to re - turn, Oh! ne - ver to re -

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S
A
T
B
Kbd.

turn, Oh! ne - ver to re - turn? [Symphony]

ne - ver to re - turn?

ne - ver to re - turn?

turn, Oh! ne - ver to re - turn?

2. How long shall anxious thoughts my soul,
And grief my heart oppress?
{ How long mine enemies insult, }
And I have no redress?

3. O hear! And to my longing eyes
Restore thy wonted light;
{ And suddenly, or I shall sleep }
In everlasting night.

4. To Father, Son, and Holy Ghost,
The God whom we adore,
{ Be glory as it was, is now, }
And shall be evermore.