

PSALM 122

I was glad when they said unto me : We will go into the house of the Lord.
Our feet shall stand in thy gates : O Jerusalem.
Jerusalem is builded as a city : that is at unity in itself.
For thither the tribes go up, even the tribes of the Lord : to testify unto
Israel, to give thanks unto the Name of the Lord.
For there is the seat of judgement : Even the seat of the house of David.
O pray for the peace of Jerusalem : they shall prosper that love thee.
Peace be within thy walls : and plenteousness within thy palaces.
For my brethren and companions' sakes : I will wish you prosperity.
Yea, because of the house of the Lord our God : I will seek to do thee good.

*Commissioned at the request of the Very Revd Mark Bonney,
Dean of Ely Cathedral, for his father John Bonney*

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Choral Federation), Kohako Singers, directed by the composer, in Rotorua, NZ.*

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Ben Parry

Triumphant ♩ = 70

Soprano *f* I was glad when they said un - to me

Alto *f* I was glad when they said un - to me

Tenor *f* I was glad, was glad when they said un - to me

Bass *f* I was glad, was glad when they said un - to me

Piano (rehearsal only) *f*

mf We will go in-to the house of the Lord. Our feet shall stand,

mf We will go in-to the house of the Lord. Our feet shall stand in thy

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mp cresc.

O Je - ru - sa - lem. Je - ru -

mp cresc.

gates, O Je - ru - sa - lem. Je - ru - sa - lem is built -

mp cresc.

gates, O Je - ru - sa - lem. Je - ru - sa - lem is built - as a ci -

mp cresc.

gates, O Je - ru - sa - lem. Je - ru - sa - lem is built - as a ci - ty,

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mf *f* *sempre f*

- sa - lem is built - as a ci - ty that is at u - ni - ty in it - self. For thi - ther the

mf *f* *sempre f*

as a ci - ty, a ci - ty that is at u - ni - ty in it - self. For thi - ther the

mf *f* *sempre f*

ty, a ci - ty that is at u - ni - ty in it - self. For thi - ther the

mf *f* *sempre f*

as a ci - ty that is at u - ni - ty in it - self. For thi - ther the