

Violin 1

"Lord, how long wilt thou be angry?"

Henry Purcell (Z.25) ca. 1680-82
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Lord, how long wilt thou be angry? - Largo (♩ = 55)

2

p *cresc.* *rit.*

Detailed description: This block contains the first 12 measures of the piece. It begins with a treble clef, a key signature of two flats (B-flat and E-flat), and a common time signature. A first ending bracket with the number '2' spans the first two measures. The music starts with a piano (*p*) dynamic and includes a crescendo (*cresc.*) and a ritardando (*rit.*) marking.

13

(cresc.) *mf*

Detailed description: This block contains measures 13 through 21. It continues the melodic line from the previous section, featuring a further crescendo (*(cresc.)*) and a mezzo-forte (*mf*) dynamic.

O remember not - a Tempo

22

Detailed description: This block contains measures 22 through 33. The tempo is marked 'a Tempo'. The music continues with a steady melodic flow.

34

rit.

Detailed description: This block contains measures 34 through 44. It concludes the 'O remember not' section with a ritardando (*rit.*) marking.

Help us, O God - a Tempo

45

Detailed description: This block contains measures 45 through 56. The tempo is marked 'a Tempo'. The music features a more active melodic line.

57

Detailed description: This block contains measures 57 through 68. It continues the melodic development of the 'Help us, O God' section.

69

rit.

Detailed description: This block contains measures 69 through 76. It concludes the 'Help us, O God' section with a ritardando (*rit.*) marking.

So we, that are thy people - Andante (♩ = 220)

77

Detailed description: This block contains measures 77 through 86. The tempo is marked 'Andante' with a quarter note equal to 220 beats per minute (♩ = 220). The music is in 6/4 time and features a slow, spacious melodic line.

87

Detailed description: This block contains measures 87 through 96. It continues the slow melodic line of the 'So we, that are thy people' section.

97

rit.

Detailed description: This block contains measures 97 through 104. It concludes the 'So we, that are thy people' section with a ritardando (*rit.*) marking.