

Psalm 33: The Earth Is Full of the Goodness of the Lord

Holy Saturday at the Easter Vigil in the Holy Night 1B

Psalm 33:4-5, 18-19, 20-22

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Text: B: Hymn of Praise
from History or Tradition

With awe ♩ = 80
Antiphon

Harmony

Melody

The earth is full of the good-ness of the Lord, of the good-ness of the Lord.

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D G Gm D C Am7 D
F Bb Bbm F Eb Cm7 F

Verse 1

1. The word of the Lord is upright, and all his works to be trust-ed. The

D C/D Dm Em D ASUS4 A
F Gm Eb/F Dm Gm F CSUS4 C

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LORD loves jus - tice and right, and his mer - ci - ful love earth.

Am Cm DSUS2 D Am Am7 DSUS4
Cm Ebmaj7 FSUS2 F Cm Cm7

Verse 2

14

2. By the word of the LORD the heav'ns were made, by the breath of his mouth all their host.

D C/D D Em D ASUS4
F Eb/F F Cm F CSUS4

18

As in a flask, he collected vapors of the ocean; he stores up the depths of the sea.

A Cmaj7 DSUS2 D Am Am7 DSUS4 D
C Ebmaj7 FSUS2 F Cm Cm7 FSUS4 F

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Verse 3

22

3. Bless - ed the na - tion whose God is the LORD, the peo - ple he has cho - sen as his trea - sur - e. From

D C/D Bm D Em D A C
F Eb/F Dm F Gm F CSUS4 C

26

hea - vens the LORD looks forth; he has seen the whole hu - man race.

Am Cmaj7 DSUS2 Am Am7 DSUS4 D
Cm Ebmaj7 FSUS2 Cm Cm7 FSUS4 F

Verse 4

30

4. Our soul wait - ing for the LORD. He is our help and our shield. May your

D C D Bm D Em D ASUS4 A
F Eb/F Dm F Gm F CSUS4 C

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mer - ci - ful love be up - on us, as we hope in you, LORD.

Am *Cmaj7* *DSUS2* *D* *Am* *Am7* *FS4* *D*
Cm *Ebmaj7* *FSUS2* *F* *Cm* *Cm7* *F* *F*

The musical score consists of three staves. The top staff is a vocal line in G minor (one flat) with a treble clef. The lyrics are: "mer - ci - ful love be up - on us, as we hope in you, LORD." The middle staff is a piano accompaniment in G minor with a treble clef, showing chords and some melodic lines. The bottom staff is a piano accompaniment in G minor with a bass clef, showing chords and some melodic lines. The score is marked with measure numbers 34 through 41. A large, diagonal watermark "SAMPLE" is overlaid across the entire page.

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