Jake Runestad

LET MY LOVE BE HEARD

SATB choir with divisi, unaccompanied

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Text

A Prayer by Alfred Noyes

Angels, where you soar
Up to God's own light,
Take my own lost bird
On your hearts tonight;
And as grief once more
Mounts to heaven and sings,
Let my love be heard
Whispering in your wings.

Performance Time c. 5:30

Performance Notes

When there is two-part divisi in the tenor or bass voice, this should be treated as a three-part, even split among those voices.

*All ritardandos are crucial to the musical arc of the piece and must be observed. Triplets should be stretched — especially when there is a rest on the first eighth (be careful they do not sound like sixteenth notes)!

Commissioning Ensemble

Commissioned by Tiia-Mai Redditt for Choral Arts (Seattle) & the UMKC Conservatory Singers. Robert Bode, conductor.

About the Composer



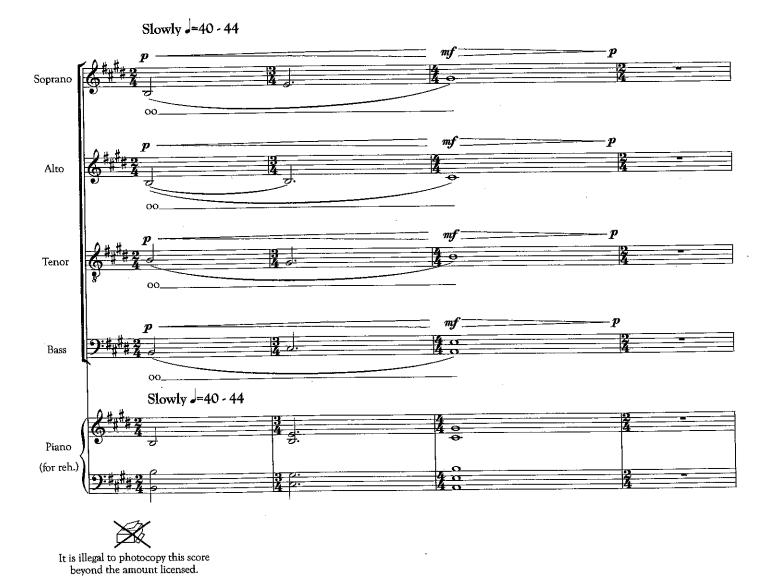
Considered "one of the best of the younger American composers" (Chicago Tribune), award-winning composer and conductor Jake Runestad has received commissions and performances from leading ensembles such as VOCES8, the Philippine Madrigal Singers, Washington National Opera, the Netherlands Radio Choir, Seraphic Fire, the Swedish Radio Symphony, the Dallas Symphony Chorus, the Pacific Chorale, the Santa Fe Desert Chorale, and an all-Runestad album from Grammy-winning Craig Hella Johnson and Conspirare. Jake's visceral music and charismatic personality have fostered a busy schedule of commissions, residencies, workshops, and conducting engagements, enabling him to share his passion for creativity, expressivity, and community with musicians around the world. He is one of the youngest

composers ever awarded ACDA's prestigious Raymond W. Brock commission.

Dubbed a "choral rockstar" by American Public Media, Jake is one of the most frequently performed composers in the world and has traveled to work with ensembles on all but one continent. Jake Runestad holds a Master's degree in composition from the Peabody Conservatory of the Johns Hopkins University where he studied with Pulitzer Prize-winning composer Kevin Puts. Learn more at: JakeRunestad.com

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Alfred Noyes (1880-1958) Jake Runestad (b. 1986)



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