



**Ē R I K S
EŠENVALDS**

BE THOU MY VISION

Irish, c. 700 A.D.

Transl. by Mary e. Byrne

Versified by Eleanor H. Hull

**for mixed choir (SATB)
and piano**

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In memory of Kay Hoffland and her dedication to connecting people and music.
This is the day the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad in it. – Psalm 118:24

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"Slane", an Irish folk tune
Arr. by Ēriks Ešenvālds (*1977)

Maestoso ♩ = 88

The musical score is arranged in three systems. The first system shows the vocal staves (S, A and T, B) and the piano accompaniment. The piano part begins with a *mp* dynamic and transitions to *f*. The second system continues the vocal parts and piano accompaniment. The piano part includes a fermata and a *mp* dynamic marking. The score is in 3/4 time with a key signature of one sharp (F#). A large watermark 'PARABRAUGS SAMPLES FOR PERUSAL ONLY' is overlaid on the page.

2
10 *mp*

S, A
1. Be Thou my Vi - sion, O Lord of my heart; Naught be all

T, B
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Pno. *mp*

15 *mf*

S, A
else to me, save that Thou art. Thou my best thought by

T, B
else to me, save that Thou art. Thou my best thought by

Pno. *mf*

20

S, A
day or by night, Wak - ing or sleep - ing, Thy pres - ence my light.

T, B
day or by night, Wak - ing or sleep - ing, Thy pres - ence my light.

Pno.

26 *mf*

S, A

2. Be Thou my Wis - dom, and Thou my true Word, I e - ver
 3. Rich - es I need not, nor man's emp - ty praise, Thou mine in

T, B

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 3. Rich - es I need not, nor man's emp - ty praise, Thou mine in

Pno.

mf

31

S, A

with Thee and Thou with me, Lord. Thou my great Fa - ther, and
 her - i - tance, now and al - ways; Thou and Thou on - ly be

T, B

with Thee and Thou with me, Lord. Thou my great Fa - ther, and
 her - i - tance, now and al - ways; Thou and Thou on - ly be

Pno.

f

36

S, A

I thy true son, Thou in me dwel - ling, and I with Thee
 first in my heart, High King of heav - en, my Treas - ure Thou

T, B

I thy true son, Thou in me dwel - ling, and I with Thee
 first in my heart, High King of heav - en, my Treas - ure Thou

Pno.

4
41

S, A

1. one. art. 2. one. art.

T, B

one. art. one. art.

Pno.

f

46

S, A

T, B

Pno.

51

S, A

4. High King of heav - en, my vic - to - ry won, May I reach heav - en's joys

T, B

4. High King of heav - en, my vic - to - ry won, May I reach heav - en's joys

Pno.

f

57

S, A

O bright heav'n's Sun! Heart of my own heart, what - e - ver be

T, B

O bright heav'n's Sun! Heart of my own heart, what - e - ver be

Pno.

62

S, A

fall, Still be my Vi - sion, O Ru - ler of All. All.

T, B

fall, Still be my Vi - sion, O Ru - ler of All. All.

Pno.

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