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Christ the gardener

an Easter anthem
for unaccompanied mixed voices

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ADAM'S FALL

(O what a price that Adam paid)

a carol for unaccompanied mixed voices (with divisions), words by David Broadbridge,
first performed by the Choir of King's College, Cambridge, conducted by Stephen Cleobury

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Words: David Broadbridge (b. 1947)

Music: Richard Elfyn Jones (b. 1944)

Affettuoso ma esultante ♩ = c. 60

SOPRANO ALTO

mf *pp*

And she, sup-pos-ing him to be the gar-dener, asked of him

TENOR BASS

mf *pp*

4 **BASS SOLO** *mf*

Solo voice Who is it that you seek?

S. A. *mp*

where his bo - dy had been laid. *mm*

T. B. *mp*

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7 **SOPRANO SOLO** *mf*

Why do you weep? Be-cause my Lord has been ta-ken a-way.

mp *mm* *ah*

mp

10 *mf*

S. A.

Christ she saw, but knew him not, for Christ may come in a - ny guise to

T. B.

mf

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stand un - seen be - fore our eyes, to stand un - seen be - fore our eyes.

SOPRANO SOLO

18 *mf*

Solo voice

O tell me where his bo - dy has been laid, and I will then take my dear

S. A.

p

ah

T. B.

p

20

Lord a - way.

mf

Yet Ma - ry did not know to whom she spoke, un -

mf

23 *p* *dim.* *pp*

S. A. *p* *dim.* *pp*

- til he gen - tly called her by her name.

T. B. *p* *dim.* *pp*

27 *p* *mf*

Christ she saw, but knew him not, for Christ may come in a - ny guise to

p *mf*

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stand un - seen be - fore our eyes, to stand un - seen be - fore our eyes.

35 *mf*

S. *mf*

And we should not mis - take him, and we should not mis - take him from this day,

A. *mf*

And we should not mis - take him, and we should not mis - take him from this day,

T. *mf*

And we should not mis - take him, and we should not mis - take him from this day,

B. *mf*

And we should not mis - take him, and we should not mis - take him from this day,

[illegible]

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comes to us, in a - ny guise. *ah* *f* Christ we see, but know him not, for

comes to us, in a - ny guise. *ah* *f* Christ we see, but know him not, for

comes to us, in a - ny guise. *f* Christ we see, but know him not, for

comes to us, in a - ny guise. *f* Christ we see, but know him not, — for