

**Diana Burrell**

**Sing, Friends, Sing to the  
Honour of the Lord**

**for alto, tenor 1, tenor 2, baritone & bass (2014)**



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Kyrie eleison.

The moon darkened, a comet appeared, fiery  
lights appeared in the north part of the sky.

Christe eleison.

Ave, Dunstane, praesulum  
Sidus decusque splendidum.  
*(Hail Dunstan, shining bishop and constellation  
and grace.)*

Tibi Pater, nos credimus,  
Quibus te nil jocundis.  
*(In you father we place our trust, for none than  
you is more pleasing.)*

A comet appeared. Winter's day opens wide,  
seizes the sun,  
Ravages the harvest with rime and snow.

Oves tuas pastor pie,  
Passim premunt augustiae,  
Mucrone gentis barbarae  
Necamut en Christicolae.  
*(Devoted shepherd, your scattered sheep are  
pressed by affliction,  
See we people of Christ are killed by the sharp  
sword of a barbarian people.)*

Ravages the harvest with rime and snow,  
chains them with frost at the Lord's  
command.

Per Te Pater Spes unica,  
Per Te Proles pax unica,  
Adsit nobis in saecula. Amen.  
*(By you Father, one hope, by you Son, one peace,  
and Spirit, one light; might be with us for ever.  
Amen.)*

Dunstanum memet clemens rogo Christe  
tuere, Teneris me non sinas sorbisse  
procellas.

*(I ask you merciful Christ to protect me, Dunstan,  
that I be not swallowed up by hell's storms.)*

Kyrie eleison, Christe eleison, Kyrie eleison.

Gloria Patri et Filio et Spiritui Sancto.

Sun-bright days, woods and fields as soon  
bloom and blossom.

Ave Dunstane, praesulum,  
Sidus decusque splendidum.

Sun-bright days, the gem rises in the  
heavens the highest in the year.

Gloria Patri et Filio et Spiritui Sancto.

Rise in the heavens the highest in the year,  
then sinks from his place and sets.

Tu spes tuorum maxima,  
Dulcedo necum intima,  
Spirans odorum balsama  
Vitalium melliflua.  
*(You are the greatest hope of your people, likewise  
deepest sweetness exhaling honeyed balms of  
healing perfumes.)*

Sinks from his place and sets; he will not for  
long travel late, the fairest light over the  
fields.

Sun-bright days.

Sing, friends, sing to the honour of the Lord.  
Let the sweet love of Christ resound from  
devout mouths.

Gloria Patri et Filio et Spiritui Sancto,  
Sanctus, sanctus, sanctus,  
Kyrie eleison, Alleluia.

# SING, FRIENDS, SING TO THE HONOUR OF THE LORD

Diana Burrell

Rich and warm-hearted. ♩ = ♪ throughout.

*mf*

Alto  
Ky - - ri-e - - e - le - i - son, - e - le - i - son. Ky - -

*mf*

Tenor 1  
Ky - - ri-e - - e - le - i - son, - e - le - i - son. Ky - -

*mf*

Tenor 2  
Ky - - ri-e - - e - le - i - son, - e - le - i - son. Ky - -

*mf*

Baritone  
Ky - - ri-e - - e - le - i - son, - e - le - i - son. Ky - -

*mf*

Bass  
Ky - - ri-e - - e - le - i - son, - e - le - i - son. Ky - -

Keyboard (rehearsal only)

6

*mf*

- ri-e - - e - le - i - son. Ky - - - - ri -

*mf*

- ri-e - - e - le - i - son. Ky - - - - ri -

*mp* *mf*

- ri-e - - e - le - i - son, - e - lei - son. Ky - - - - ri -

*mp* *mf*

- ri-e - - e - le - i - son, - e - lei - son. Ky - - - - ri -

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*mf*  
e-le-i-son. Ky

*mf*  
e-le-i-son. Ky

*mp* *mf*  
e-le-i-son, e-lei-son. Ky

*mp* *mf*  
e-le-i-son, e-le-i-son. Ky

*mp* *mf*  
e-le-i-son, e-lei-son. Ky

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*mp*  
- ri-e e-le-i-son, e-le-i-son, e-le-i-son. Ky

*mp*  
- ri-e e-le-i-son, e-le-i-son, e-le-i-son. Ky

*mp*  
- ri-e e-le-i-son, e-le-i-son, e-le-i-son. Ky

*mp*  
- ri-e e-le-i-son e-le-i-son -son. Ky

*mp*  
- ri-e e-le-i-son e-le-i-son. Ky

21 *mf*

- ri-e e - le - i - son. The moon dark-ened, the moon dark-ened, a com-et ap-peared

*mp*

- ri-e e - le - i - son, e - le - i - son, e - le - i - son,

*mp*

- ri-e e - le - i - son. e - le - i - son, e - le - i - son,

*mp*

- ri-e e - le - i - son. e - le - i - son, e - le - i - son,

27 *f*

fier-y lights ap-peared in the north part of the sky. *f*

Chri-ste Chri-ste Chri-ste

*f*

e - le-i - son. Chri-ste Chri-ste Chri-ste

*f*

e - le-i - son. Chri-ste Chri-ste Chri-ste

*f*

e - le-i - son. Chri-ste Chri-ste Chri-ste

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*mf*

Christe eleison Christe eleison Christe eleison

Christe eleison Christe eleison Christe eleison

Christe eleison Christe eleison Christe eleison

Christe eleison Christe eleison Christe eleison

Christe eleison Christe eleison Christe eleison

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(whispered)

leison Christe Christe

Christe, Christe eleison Christe Christe Christe eleison

Christe, Christe eleison Christe, Christe eleison Christe Christe Christe eleison

Christe, Christe eleison Christe Christe Christe eleison

Christe, Christe eleison Christe Christe Christe eleison

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son - - - A - - - ve Dun - sta - ne, prae - su - lum Si - dus dec - us - que splen - di -

son - - - A - - - ve Dun - sta - ne, prae - su - lum Si - dus dec - us - que splen - di -

son - - - A - - - ve Dun - sta - ne, prae - su - lum Si - dus dec - us - que splen - di -

son - - - A - - - ve Dun - sta - ne, prae - su - lum Si - dus dec - us - que splen - di -

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*mf* (whispered)  
Chri - ste Chri - ste

*mf*  
dum... Ti - bi Pa - ter nos cre - di - mus Qui - bus te nil jo - cun - dis.

*mf*  
dum... Ti - bi Pa - ter nos cre - di - mus Qui - bus te nil jo - cun - dis.

*mf*  
dum... Ti - bi Pa - ter nos cre - di - mus Qui - bus te nil jo - cun - dis.

*mf*  
dum... Ti - bi Pa - ter nos cre - di - mus Qui - bus te nil jo - cun - dis.

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*mf*  
A com-et ap-peared Win-ter's day

*mf* (whispered)  
Chri - ste

*mf* (whispered)  
Chri - ste

*mp*  
Ky - ri - e Ky -

*mp*  
Ky - ri - e Ky -

57

o - pens wide seiz-es the sun, rav-ag-es, rav-ag - es the har-vest with rime and

Chri - ste

Chri - ste

ri - e

ri - e



61

snow.

*f* Chri - ste, Chri - ste e - le - i - son. Ov - es tu - as pas - tor pi - e, Pas - sim pre - munt au -

*f* Chri - ste, Chri - ste e - le - i - son. Ov - es tu - as pas - tor pi - e, Pas - sim pre - munt au -

*f* Chri - ste, Chri - ste e - le - i - son. Ov - es tu - as pas - tor pi - e, Pas - sim pre - munt au -

*f* Chri - ste, Chri - ste e - le - i - son. Ov - es tu - as pas - tor pi - e, Pas - sim pre - munt au -

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*f* Chri - ste, Chri - ste, Chri - ste, Chri - ste

*f* gus - ti - ae, Mu - cro - ne gen - tis bar - ba - rae. Ne - ca - mut en Chri - sti - - co -

*f* gus - ti - ae, Mu - cro - ne gen - tis bar - ba - rae. Ne - ca - mut en Chri - sti - - co -

*f* gus - ti - ae, Mu - cro - ne gen - tis bar - ba - rae. Ne - ca - mut en Chri - sti - - co -

*f* gus - ti - ae, Mu - cro - ne gen - tis bar - ba - rae. Ne - ca - mut en Chri - sti - - co -

71 *f* (whispered)

Chri - ste e - le - i - son. Chri - ste, Chri - ste

8 lae. *f* Chri - ste Chri - ste Chri - ste Chri - ste e - le - i - son Chri - ste Chri - ste

8 lae. *f* Chri - ste Chri - ste Chri - ste Chri - ste e - le - i - son Chri - ste Chri - ste

lae. *f* Chri - ste Chri - ste Chri - ste Chri - ste e - le - i - son Chri - ste

lae. *f* Chri - ste Chri - ste Chri - ste Chri - ste e - le - i - son Chri - ste

74 *mf*

Rav - ag - es the har - vests with

8 Chri - ste e - le - i - son Chri - ste e - le - i - son

8 Chri - ste e - le - i - son Chri - ste e - le - i - son

Chri - ste e - le - i - son Chri - ste e - le - i - son *mp* Ky - - -

Chri - ste e - le - i - son Chri - ste e - le - i - son *mp* Ky - - -

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rime and snow, chains them with frost at the Lord's com-mand.\_\_\_\_\_

Chri-ste Chri-ste e - le-i-son\_ Chri-ste

Chri-ste Chri-ste e - le-i-son\_ Chri-ste

- ri - e e - le - i - son\_\_\_\_\_ Chri-ste Chri-ste e - le-i-son\_ Chri-ste

- - ri - e e - le - i - son\_\_\_\_\_ Chri - ste Chri-ste e - le-i-son\_ Chri-ste

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Per Te Pa-ter Spes u-ni-ca

Chri-ste Chri-ste e - le-i - son Per Te Pa-ter Spes u - ni - ca

Chri-ste Chri-ste e - le-i - son Per Te Pa-ter Spes u - ni - ca

Chri-ste Chri-ste e - le-i - son Per Te Pa-ter Spes u - ni - ca

Chri-ste Chri-ste e - le-i - son Per Te Pa-ter Spes u - ni - ca

Per Te Pro - les pax u - ni - ca et Spi - ri - tus Lux u - ni - ca

Per Te Pro - les pax u - ni - ca et Spi - ri - tus Lux u - ni - ca

Per Te Pro - les pax u - ni - ca et Spi - ri - tus Lux u - ni - ca

Per Te Pro - les pax u - ni - ca et Spi - ri - tus Lux u - ni - ca

Per Te Pro - les pax u - ni - ca et Spi - ri - tus Lux u - ni - ca

Ad-sit no-bis in sae-cu-la A - men, A - - men, A - men,

Ad-sit no-bis in sae-cu-la A - - - men, A -

Ad-sit no-bis in sae-cu-la A - - - men, A -

Ad-sit no-bis in sae-cu-la A - - - men, A -

Ad-sit no-bis in sae-cu-la A - - - men, A -

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*p*  
A - men. Ah

*mp*  
- - men, A - - men. Dunstanum memet clemens rogo Christe tuere,  
Teneris me non sinas sorbisse procellas.  
Kyrieleyson. Christelyson. Kyrieleyson.

*mp*  
- - men, A - - men. Ah

*mp*  
- - men. A - men, A - men. Ah

*mp*  
- - men. A - - men. Ah

Bright, with an edge to the sound.

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*f* (whispered) *f*  
Glo-ri-a Pa - tri tri et

*f*  
Glo-ri-a Pa - tri et Fi-li-o et Spi - ri-tu-i San-cto Glo-ri-a Pa - tri et

*f* *mf*  
Glo

*f* *mf* *mf*  
Glor Glor

*f* *mf*  
Glor

Fi-li Spi-ri-tu-i

Fi-li-o et Spi-ri-tu-i San-cto. *mf* Glo - - - -

ri a, *f* Glo-ri-a Pa-tri et Fi-li-o et Spi-ri-tu-i San-cto

*mf* Glo - - - -

*f* Glo-ri tri Fi et Spi-ri-tu-i San- *f* Glo-ri-

- - - - ri - - a *f* Glo-ri-a Pa-tri et Fi-li-o et

*mf* Glo-ri-a Pa-tri et Fi-li-o et Spi-ri-tu-i San-cto. Glo - -

*mf* Glo - - - -

*mf* Glo - - - -

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*f* Pa-tri li-o et

*mf* Spi-ri-tu-i San - cto\_ *f* Glo - - - - - ri - a.

*f* - ri - a *f* Glo-ri-a\_ Pa-tri-et Fi-li-o et Spi-ri-tu-i San - cto\_

*mf* *mf* Glo - ri - a, *mf* Glo - ri - a,

*mf* Glo - - - ri - a,

122

*mf* A-ve Dun-sta-ne,

*mf* Sun-bright days, Sun-bright days, Woods and fields as soon bloom and blos-som. *mf*

*mf* A-ve Dun-sta-ne,

*mp* *mf* Glo - - - ri - a, Glo - - - ri - a. *mf* A-ve Dun-sta-ne,

*mp* *mf* Glo - ri - a, Glo - ri - a, Glo - ri - a,

prae - su - lum, Si - dus de - cus - que splen - di - dum. *mf*  
Sun - bright days the gem ris - es

prae - su - lum, Si - dus de - cus - que splen - di - dum. *mp*  
Glo - - - ri - a,  
Glo - ri - a. Glo - ri - a,

*mf*  
Glo - ri - a Pa - tri et Fi - li - o et Spi - ri - tu - i San - cto.

in the hea - vens the high - est in the year *mf*  
Glo - ri - a Pa - tri et Fi - li - o et Spi - ri - tu - i San - cto.

Glo - - - ri - a *mf*  
Glo - ri - a Pa - tri et Fi - li - o et Spi - ri - tu - i San - cto.

Glo - - - ri - a, *mf*  
Glo - ri - a, Glo - ri - a,



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*mp* (whispered)

Glo - ri - a Pa - tri et Fi - li - o

*mf*

Ris - es in the hea - vens the high - est in the

*mp* (whispered)

Glo - ri - a Pa - tri et Fi - li - o

*mp*

Glo - - - - ri - a, Glo - - - - ri - a,

*mp*

Glo - ri - a. Glo - ri - a.

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*mf*

Tu spes tu - o - rum max - i - ma, Dul - ce - do ne - cum in - ti - ma,

year, then sinks from his place and sets.

*mf*

Tu spes tu - o - rum max - i - ma, Dul - ce - do ne - cum in - ti - ma,

*mf*

Glo - - - - ri - a Tu spes tu - o - rum max - i - ma, Dul - ce - do ne - cum in - ti - ma,

*mf*

Glo - ri - a. Glo - ri - a. Glo - ri - a.

Musical score for measures 135-138. It consists of five vocal staves and a piano accompaniment. The vocal parts are in G major and 5/4 time. The lyrics are: "Spir-ans o-do-rum bal-sa-ma Vi-ta-li-um mel-li-flu-a". The piano accompaniment features a steady eighth-note bass line and chords in the right hand. Dynamics include *mp* and *p*. Measure 138 includes the text "Sinks from his place" and "Sinks".

Musical score for measures 139-142. It consists of five vocal staves and a piano accompaniment. The vocal parts are in G major and 5/4 time. The lyrics are: "Sinks from his place and sets; he will not for long tra-vel late, the fair-est light ov-er the". The piano accompaniment features a steady eighth-note bass line and chords in the right hand. Dynamics include *mp*, *p*, and *mf*. Measure 142 includes the text "and sets;".

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*p* Ah Sing, friends, sing *f*

*p* fields. Sun-bright days Sing, friends, sing *mf* *f*

*p* Ah Sing, friends, sing *f*

*p* Ah Sing, friends, sing *f*

*p* Ah Sing, friends, sing *f*

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to the hon-our of the Lord. Let the sweet love of Christ re-sound

to the hon-our of the Lord. Let the sweet love of Christ re-sound

to the hon-our of the Lord. Let the sweet love of Christ re-sound

to the hon-our of the Lord. Let the sweet love of Christ re-sound

to the hon-our of the Lord. Let the sweet love of Christ re-sound

## Very bright. Ecstatic. Hard-edged.

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from de-vout mouths. The sweet love of Christ. *mp* *ff* Glo - ri-a et Fi - li-o

from de-vout mouths. The sweet love of Christ. *mp* *ff* Pa - tri

from de-vout mouths. The sweet love of Christ. *mp* *f* Glo - - - -

from de-vout mouths. The sweet love of Christ. *mp* *f* Glo - - - -

from de-vout mouths. The sweet love of Christ. *mp* *f* Glo - - - -

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ri - tu - i San-cto, San - cto, San - cto *f* *ff* Glo - ri - a

et - Spi - ri - tu - i San-cto San - cto *f* *f* *ff* Glo - ri-a, Glo -

ri - - - - a

ri - - - - a

ri - - - - a

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Glo - ri - a *f* Sanc - tus, Sanc - tus, Sanc - tus

- ri - a, *f* Glo - ri - a Sanc - tus, Sanc - tus, Sanc - tus, Sanc - tus, Sanc - tus,

*f* Glo - - - - -

*f* Glo - - - - -

*f* Glo - - - - -

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Ky-ri-e e-lei - son... *f* Al - le-lu-ia *mp* Al - le - lu *mf* ia.

Ky-ri-e e-lei-son Ky - ri-e e-le-i - son. *mp* Al - le-lu-ia *mf* Al - le - lu *mf* ia.

ri - - - - a. *mp* Al - le - lu *mf* ia.

ri - - - - a. *mp* Al - le - lu *mf* ia.

ri - - - - a. *mp* Al - le - lu *mf* ia.



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