It Was For Me

(SATB)

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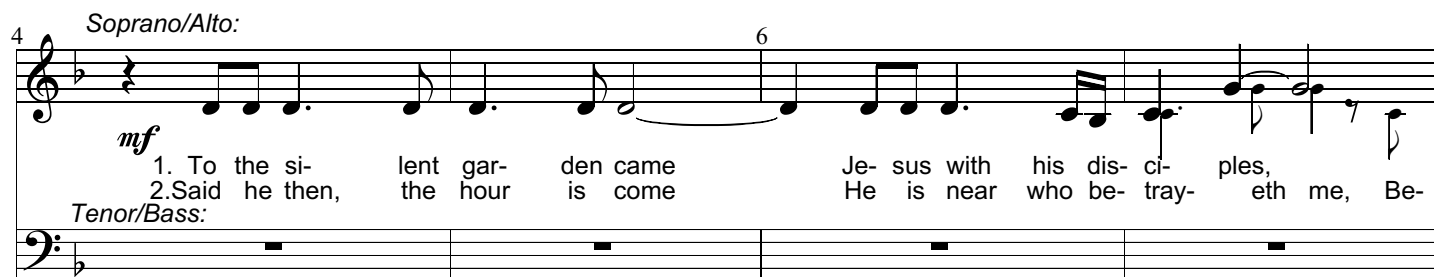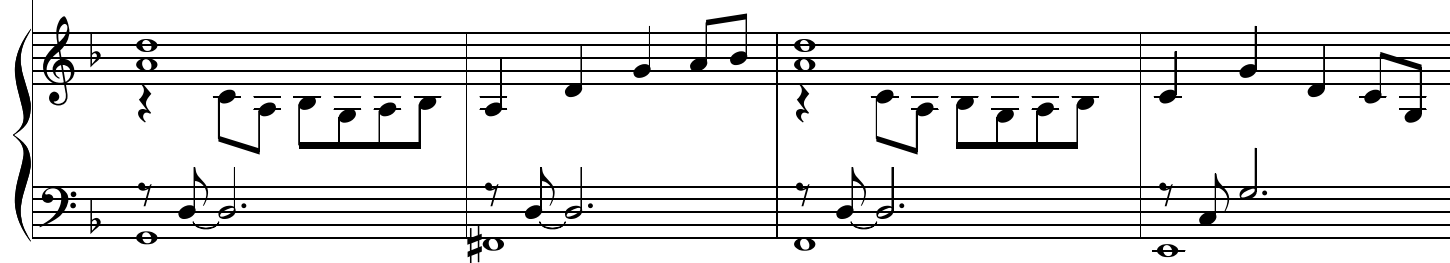♩ = 70

mf

Soprano/Alto:

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1. To the si- lent gar- den came Je- sus with his dis- ci- ples,
2. Said he then, the hour is come He is near who be- tray- eth me, Be-
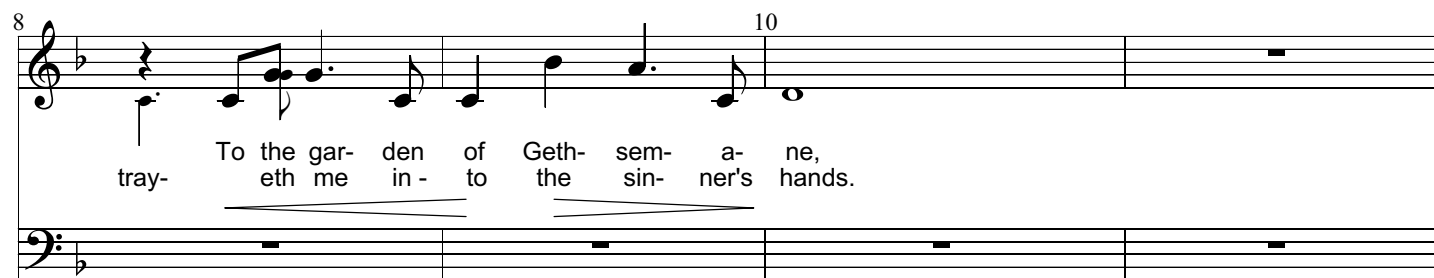
Tenor/Bass:

To the gar- den of Geth- sem- a- ne,
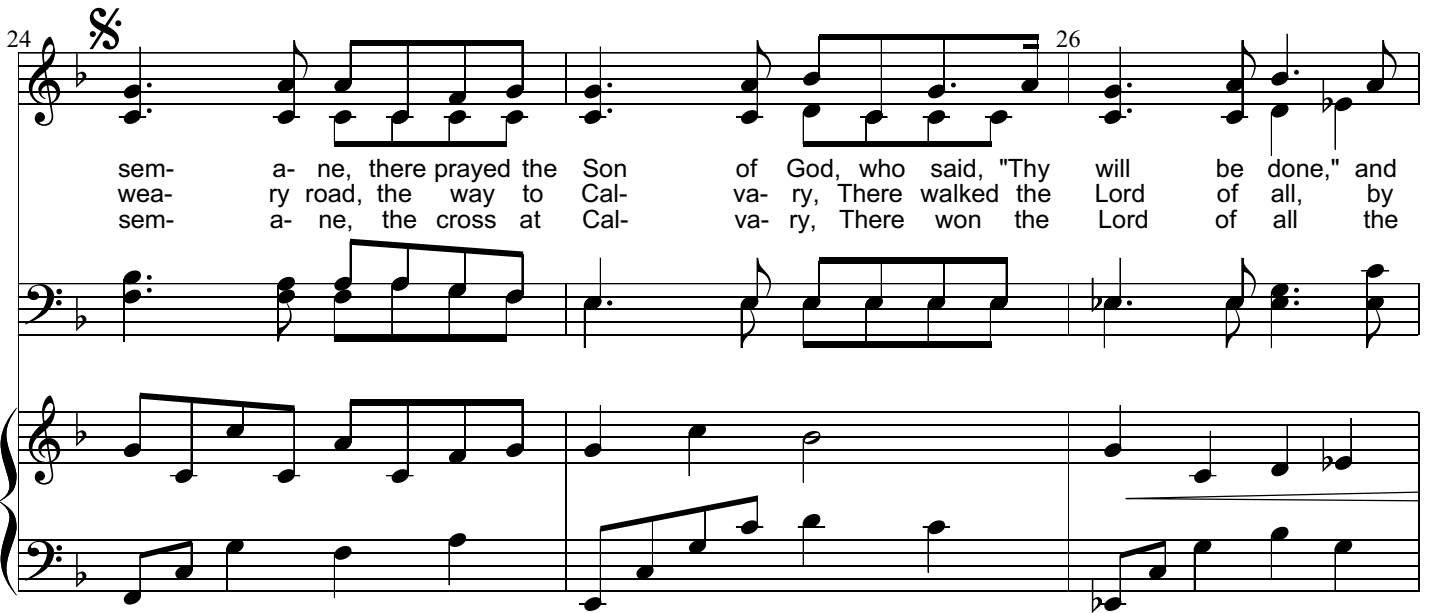tray- eth me in- to the sin- ner's hands.

Said he then,
Ta- ken, mocked,

Sit ye here,
crowned with thorns,

Yon- der will I go to pray,
Left a- lone and for- sa- ken,

Tar- ry here and watch with me one hour,
Left a- lone the hea- vy cross he bore,

Watch with me one
The hea- vy cross he

hour,
bore,

Watch with me one hour,
The hea- vy cross he bore,

In dark Geth-
A- long the

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Lyrics (sung under the staves):

Line 24-26:
sem-
wea-   a- ne, there prayed the Son   of God, who said, "Thy will   be done," and
ry road, the way to Cal- va- ry, There walked the Lord of all, by
sem-   a- ne, the cross at Cal- va- ry, There won the Lord of all, the

Line 28:
dared   re- ceive the bit- ter cup, And he, the sin- less One, suf- fered
death   to heal the wound- ed heart, And save the an- guished soul, For the
vic- to- ry o'er death and hell, Trans- gres- sion's cap- tive freed by the

Line 30-32:
all for sin- ful man,   And his grief and pain,   It
love of man to die,   And the cross he bore   It
sac- ri- fice of love,   And the price he paid,   so

to coda

Lyrics under the staves:

was for me, in dark Geth- sem- a- ne -.
was for me, the cross of Cal- va- ry -.
(Alto/Ten./Bass: Geth- sem- a- ne.)
(Alto/Ten./Bass: of cal- va- ry.)

D.S. al Coda 40 Coda

In dark Geth- will- ing- ly, It
(Alto/Ten./Bass: It

was for me, It was for me.
was for me, It was, for me, for me.)