

# PERUSALS SCORE

**Bill Heigen**

**They that wait upon  
the Lord**

**bh**

*Isaiah 40:31 King James Version (KJV)*

*” But they that wait upon the LORD shall renew their strength;  
they shall mount up with wings as eagles;  
they shall run, and not be weary;  
and they shall walk, and not faint.”*

Duration: 3' minutes

Composer's Note

I composed **They that wait upon the Lord** in New York City in 2015.

This piece was commissioned by the choir of Wesley United Methodist Church, Vienna, VA, USA. This piece features a lively beginning in which the piano part presents the theme from the middle section. The first entrance of the choir presents the main theme, and right after that, the text is underlined by unison on different voice parts. There are some moments of polyphony and key changes. The choral texture is appropriate for an operatic approach. The piano part is complimentary in activity to the voices parts, but at the same time, it has a completely independent chord progression. The overall dynamic is *forte*, and there is an uplifting feeling throughout the entire piece.

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commissioned by the choir of Wesley United Methodist Church, Vienna

# THEY THAT WAIT UPON THE LORD

SSATB & Piano

Isaiah 40:31

King James Version (KJV)

BILL HEIGEN (b. 1980)

♩ = 70 **molto accel.** ..... ♩ = 140

SOPRANO I

SOPRANO II

ALTO

TENOR

BASS

**molto accel.** ..... ♩ = 140

Piano

*p* *f*

*with pedal*

**molto rit.** ..... 8<sup>me</sup>

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Pno.

*f*

10  $\text{♩} = 60$  **A** *ff* *molto accel.* *mf*  $\text{♩} = 128$  *ff*

S. I. they that wait u-pon the Lord shall re - new their strength

S. II. they that wait u-pon the Lord shall re - new their strength

A. they that wait u-pon the Lord shall re - new their strength

T. they that wait u-pon the Lord shall re - new their strength

B. But they that wait u-pon the Lord shall re - new their strength

$\text{♩} = 60$  **A** *ff* *molto accel.* *mf*  $\text{♩} = 128$  *ff*

Pno.

**B** 19 *mp*

A. They shall mount up with

B. They shall mount up with

**B** *mp*

Pno.

25

S II. *mp* They shall run

A. *mf* wings as ea - gles

T. *mp* They shall run

B. *mf* wings as ea - gles

Pno. *mf* *mp*

31

S II. *mf* and not be wea - ry

T. *mf* and not be wea - ry

Pno. *mf*

D

S. I. *p* and they shall walk \_\_\_\_\_ and not faint \_\_\_\_\_ *f* and not faint

S. II. \_\_\_\_\_ *p* and they shall walk \_\_\_\_\_ and not faint \_\_\_\_\_ *f*

A. \_\_\_\_\_ *p* and they shall walk \_\_\_\_\_ and not faint \_\_\_\_\_ *f*

T. \_\_\_\_\_ *p* and they shall walk \_\_\_\_\_ and not faint \_\_\_\_\_ *f*

B. \_\_\_\_\_ *p* and they shall walk \_\_\_\_\_ and they shall walk \_\_\_\_\_ and not faint \_\_\_\_\_ *f*

D

Pno. *p* \_\_\_\_\_ *f*

E

S. I. *ff* not faint \_\_\_\_\_ *mp* They shall mount up \_\_\_\_\_ with wings

S. II. *ff* not faint \_\_\_\_\_ *mp* They shall mount up \_\_\_\_\_ with wings as

A. *ff* not faint \_\_\_\_\_

T. *ff* not faint \_\_\_\_\_ *mp* They shall mount up \_\_\_\_\_ with wings as

B. *ff* not faint \_\_\_\_\_

E

Pno. *ff* \_\_\_\_\_ *mp* \_\_\_\_\_

51

S I. as ea- gles

S II. ea- gles They shall run and not be wea- ry

A. *mf* They shall run and not be wea- ry

T. ea- gles They shall run and not be wea- ry

B. *mf* They shall run and not be wea- ry

Pno. *mf*

58

S I. and they shall walk and not faint and not faint

S II. *pp* and they shall walk and not faint

A. *pp* and they shall walk and not faint

T. *pp* and they shall walk and not faint

B. *pp* and they shall walk and they shall walk and not faint

Pno. *pp* *ff*

**F**

65 **molto rit.** G  $\text{♩} = 60$

S I. *ff* not faint they that wait u - pon

S II. *ff* not faint they that wait u - pon

A. *ff* not faint they that wait u - pon

T. *ff* not faint they that wait u - pon

B. *ff* not faint But they that wait u - pon the

Pno. *ff*  $\text{♩} = 60$

72 **molto accel.**  $\text{♩} = 128$

S I. *f* the Lord shall re - new their strength *ff* their strength. *fff*

S II. *f* the Lord shall re - new their strength *ff* their strength. *fff*

A. *f* the Lord shall re - new their strength *ff* their strength. *fff*

T. *f* the Lord shall re - new their strength *ff* their strength. *fff*

B. *f* Lord shall re - new their strength *ff* their strength. *fff*

Pno. *mf* *ff* *fff*  $\text{♩} = 128$