

Psalm 31 (Father, Father, I Put My Life in Your Hands)

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♩ = 66; tenderly

Soprano
Mezzo

Alto *mp*

Tenor
Baritone

Bass

Fa - ther, Fa - ther, I put my life in your hands.

6

S
M

A

T
N

B

mp *mf* *mf* *mf*

Fa - ther, Fa - ther, I put my life in your hands.

11

S
M

A

T
N

B

mp *p*

you, (stagger breathe)

In you, oh Lord, I take re - - - fuge.

Let me ne - ver be

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mp (stagger breathe)

S M In your jus - tice res - cue me.

A In your jus - tice res - cue me. I com -

T N put to shame. In - to your hands I com -

B In - to your hands I com -

22

mf *p*

S M You will re - deem me, oh Lord, oh faith - ful God.

A mend my soul. Re - deem me, oh Lord, oh faith - ful God.

T N mend my soul. Re - deem me, oh Lord, oh faith - ful God.

B mend my soul. Re - deem me, oh Lord, oh faith - ful God.

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S M I put my life in your hands. Oh

A I put my life in your hands. Oh

T N Fa - ther, Fa - ther, I put my life in your hands.

B Fa - ther, Fa - ther, I put my life in your hands.

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33 *mf*

S
M
Fa - ther, Fa - ther, I put my life in your hands.

A
mf
Fa - ther, Fa - ther, I put my life in your hands.

T
N
mf
Fa - ther, Fa - ther, I put my life in your hands.

B
mf
Fa - ther, Fa - ther, I put my life in your hands.

38 *mf*

S
M
I am a

A
mf
I am a

T
N
mp
For all my foes I am an ob - ject of re - proach.
For all my foes I am an ob - ject of re-proach.

B
mf
I am a

42

S
M
laugh-ing-stock to my neigh-bors and a dread to my friends.

A
laugh-ing-stock to my neigh-bors and a dread to my friends.

T
N
mp They who
They who

B
laugh-ing-stock to my neigh-bors and a dread to my friends.

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S
M

flee from me.

A

flee from me

T
N

see me a - broad *mp* I am for - got - ten like the
see me a - broad I am for - got - ten like the

B

mp
I am for - got - ten like the

51

S
M

Like a dish that is bro - ken.

A

Like a dish that is bro - ken.

T
N

un - re - mem - bered dead. *mp*
un - re - mem - bered dead. Oh,
mp

B

un - re - mem - bered dead. Oh,

55

S
M

f *rit.* *f* *at tempo*
I put my life in your hands. But my

A

f
I put my life in your hands.

T
N

f
Fa - ther, Fa - ther, I put my life in your hands.

B

f
Fa - ther, Fa - ther, I put my life in your hands.

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60

S
M
A
T
N
B

trust is in you. in you, oh

at tempo

But my trust is in you, oh

at tempo f

But my trust is in you, oh Lord. in

But my trust is in you, oh

63

S
M
A
T
N
B

Lord I say you are my God. In your hands is my

mf

Lord. I say you are my God. In your hands is my

mf

you, oh Lord. I say you are my God In your hands is my

Lord. I say you are my God.

mf

67

S
M
A
T
N
B

des - ti - ny. of my per-se-cu-tors

des - ti - ny. of my per-se-cu-tors

des - ti - ny. and my

Res - cue me from the clutch-es. and my

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mp

S
M
Fa - ther, Fa - ther, Fa - ther,

A
mp
Fa - ther, Fa - ther, Fa - ther,

T
N
e - nemies. Fa - ther, Fa - ther, Fa - ther,

B
mp
e - nemies. Fa - ther, Fa - ther, Fa - ther,

75

ff

S
M
Let your face shine u - pon your ser - vant.

A
ff
Let your face shine u - pon your ser - - - -

T
N
Let your face shine u - pon your ser - vant.

B
ff
Let your face shine u - pon your ser - - - -

79

S
M
Oh save me, save me in your kind - ness.

A
vant. Oh save me, save me in your kind - - - -

T
N
save me, save me in your kind - ness.

B
vant. Oh save me in your kind - - - -

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mp

S
M
Take cou - rage and be stout - heart - ed,

mp

A
ness. Take cou - rage and be stout - heart - ed,

mp

T
N
Take cou - rage be stout - heart - - -

B
ness.

87

rit.

S
M
all you who hope in the Lord.

rit.

A
all you who hope in the Lord.

rit.

T
N
ed. all you who hope in the Lord.

mf rit.

B
all you who hope in the Lord.

92

at tempo mp

S
M
Fa - ther, Fa - ther, I put my life in your hands. Oh

at tempo mp

A
Fa - ther, Fa - ther, I put my life in your hands. Oh

at tempo mp

T
N
Fa - ther, Fa - ther, I put my life in your hands.

at tempo mp

B
Fa - ther, Fa - ther, I put my life in your hands. Oh

f ff

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S
M
Fa - ther, I put my life in your hands.

A
Fa - ther, I put my life in your hands. Oh *mf*

T
N
Fa - ther, I put my life in your hands.

B
Fa - ther, I put my life in your hands.

rit. and loosely, until the end.

101

S
M
mf
I put my life in your hands.

A
mf
Fa - ther, I put my life in your hands.

T
N
mf
I put my life in your hands.

B
mf
I put my life in your hands.