

# TENNYSON FOUR

## Tennyson #1 "The Bugle"

2008 Vanguard Premieres Choral Composition Contest - Honorable Mention

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Text by Alfred Lord Tennyson

**Moderato** *mp*

The splen - dor falls on cast - le walls and snow - y sum - mits

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Detailed description: This block contains the first system of the musical score. It features four staves: three vocal staves (Soprano, Alto, Tenor) and one bass staff. The music is in G major (one sharp) and common time (C). The tempo is marked 'Moderato' and the dynamic is 'mp'. The lyrics are 'The splen - dor falls on cast - le walls and snow - y sum - mits'. The system ends with a double bar line and a 2/4 time signature.

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old in stor - y: The long light shakes a - cross the lakes, And the

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old in sto - ry: The long light shakes a - cross the lakes, And the

Detailed description: This block contains the second system of the musical score. It features four staves: three vocal staves and one bass staff. The music is in G major and 2/4 time. The lyrics are 'old in stor - y: The long light shakes a - cross the lakes, And the'. The system starts with a measure rest and ends with a double bar line.

9 *mf*  
 wild cat - a - ract leaps in glo - ry. Blow, bu - gle, blow, set the

9 *mf*  
 wild cat - a - ract leaps in glo - ry. Blow, bu - gle blow, set the

8 *mf*  
 wild cat - a - ract leaps in glo - ry. Blow bu - gle blow, set the

9 *mf*  
 wild cat - a - ract leaps in glo - ry. Blow, bu - gle blow, set the

13  
 wild ech - oes fly - ing, Blow, bu - gle; an - swer, ech - oes,

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8  
 wild ech - oes fly - ing, Blow, bu - gle; an - swer, ech - oes,

13  
 wild ech - oes fly - ing, Blow, bu - gle an - swer, ech - oes,

17 *mf*  
 dy - ing, dy - ing, dy - ing. O hark! O hear! how  
*pp* *mf*  
 dy - ing, dy - ing, dy - ing, dy - ing. O  
*pp*  
 dy - ing, dy - ing, dy - ing, dy - ing.  
 17 *pp*  
 dy - ing, dy - ing, dy - ing, dy - ing.

21  
 thin and clear, And thin - ner clear - er far - ther go - ing! O  
 hark! O hear how thin and clear and thin - ner clear - er far - ther  
*mf*  
 How thin and clear, go -  
 21 *mf*  
 How thin and clear, go -

25

sweet and far, from cliff to scar, The horns of Elf - land faint - ly  
 go - ing! The horns of Elf - land faint - ly  
 ing! O sweet and far, horns of Elf - land faint - ly  
 25 ing! O sweet and far, The horns of Elf - land faint - ly

29

blow - ing! Blow, let us hear the pur - ple glens re -  
 blow - ing! Blow, let us hear the pur - ple glens re -  
 blow - ing! Blow, hear the pur - ple glens re -  
 29 blow - ing! Blow, hear the pur - ple glens re -

33

ply - ing: Blow, bu - gle: an - swer ech - oes, dy - ing, dy - ing,

ply - ing: Blow, bu - gle: an - swer, ech - oes, dy - ing, dy - ing,

ply - ing: Blow bu - gle an - swer, ech - oes, dy - ing, dy - ing,

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ply - ing: Blow, bu - gle an - swer, ech - oes, dy - ing, dy - ing,

37

dy - ing. O love, they die in yon rich sky, They

dy - ing. O love, they die in yon rich sky, they

dy - ing. O love, they die in yon rich sky, they

37

dy - ing. O love, they die in yon rich sky, They

41

faint on hill or field or riv - er. Our ech - oes roll from

faint on hill or field or riv - er. Our ech - oes roll from

faint on hill or field or riv - er. Our ech - oes roll from

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faint on hill or field or riv - er. Our ech - oes roll from

45

*ff*

soul to soul, And grow for - ev - er and for - ev - er.

*ff*

soul to soul, And grow for - ev - er and for ev - er.

*ff*

soul to soul, And grow for - ev - er and for - ev - er.

45

*ff*

soul to soul, And grow for - ev - er and for - ev - er.

49

Blow, bu - gle, blow, set the wild ech - oes fly - ing,

Blow, bu - gle blow, set the wild ech - oes fly - ing,

Blow, bu - gle blow, set the wild ech - oes fly - ing,

49

Blow, bu - gle blow, set the wild ech - oes fly - ing,

53 *mp*

And an - swer, ech - oes an - swer, dy - ing, dy - ing, dy - ing,

*mp*

And an - swer, ech - oes, an - swer, dy - ing, dy - ing, dy - ing,

*mp*

And an - swer, ech - oes, an - swer, dy - ing, dy - ing, dy - ing,

53 *mp*

And an - swer, ech - oes, an - swer, dy - ing, dy - ing, dy - ing,

57 *pp*

dy - ing, dy - ing, dy - ing.

*pp*

dy - ing, dy - ing, dy - ing.

*pp*

dy - ing, dy - ing, dy - ing.

8

57 *pp*

dy - ing, dy - ing, dy - ing.