MESSIAH

An Oratorio by

G.F. Handel

EXPANDED CONTINUO PART

With figured harmony based on the Samuel Arnold Edition of 1790

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1.2 Recit. accomp.

Larghetto e piano

Tenore

Violino I

Continuo

Comfort ye!

Comfort ye, comfort ye my people!

comfort ye  my peo-ple!

comfort ye  my peo-ple!

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The voice of him that crieth in the wilderness: Prepare ye the way of the Lord, make straight in the desert a highway for our God.

1.3 Air

Andante

Tenore

Violino I

Bassi

Ev'ry valley,
1.4 Chorus

Selected Voice Parts

Allegro

Violino I

Continuo

And the glory, the glory of the Lord, And the glory, the glory of the Lord shall be revealed, shall be revealed, the glory of the Lord and the

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flesh shall see it together.

shall be revealed, and all flesh shall see it together,

for the mouth of the Lord hath spoken it, and all

flesh all flesh shall see it the glory, the glory, the glory of the Lord and the

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1.5A Recit. accomp.

Basso

Violino I

Continuo

Thus saith the Lord, the Lord of Hosts:
seek, shall sud-den-ly come to his tem-ple; ev’n the mes-sen-ger of the Co-ve-nant,
whom ye de-light in, be-hold he shall come, saith the Lord of Hosts.

1.5B Recit. accomp.
A tempo ordinario

Basso

Violino I

Continuo

Thus saith the Lord, the Lord of Hosts; Yet once a lit-tle while, and I will shake
whom ye delight in, be-hold he shall come, saith the Lord of Hosts.

1.6A Air

Andante larghetto

Basso

Violino I

Continuo

But who may abide the day of his com-ing?

the day of his com-ing? but who may abide the day of his com-ing?
For He is like a refiner's fire,

for He is like a refiner's fire.