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from Revelation
Chapter 5

And I Saw A Mighty Angel

Anthem

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B Major, B minor
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Treble

Counter

Tenor

Bass

Tr.

C.

T.

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Tr.

C.

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Who is worthy?

And I saw a mighty angel proclaiming with a loud voice,

Who is worthy to open the Book and to loose... the seal there - of?

And no man in heav'n or earth was ab - le to op - en the Book, nei - ther to look there - on.

And I wept, and I wept, be - cause no man was found wor-thy to op - en the

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Tr. Book, nei - ther to look there - on.

C. Weep not,

T. And one of the el - ders saith un-to me,

B.

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Tr. Weep not, for be - hold, the li - on of the tribe of Ju - dah, and root _____ of Da - vid

C.

T.

B.

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Tr.

C.

T. And I be -

B. hath pre-vail'd to op - en the Book.

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Tr.

C.

T. And to loose the seven seals there - of.

B.

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Tr. - held and lo, in the midst of the throne stood a Lamb as it had been slain,

C.

T. hav-ing

B.

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Tr. C. T. B.

And hav-ing sev-en eyes, which are the sev-en spir-it-s of God, sent
8 sev-en horns.

Tr. C. T. B.

And hav-ing sev-en eyes,

80 85

Tr. C. T. B.

forth in-to all the earth.

Tr. C. T. B.

And He came and took the Book out of the hand of Him that

90 95

Tr. C. T. B.

And when He had ta - ken the Book, the four and twen-ty eld-ers

Tr. C. T. B.

sat up-on the throne.

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Tr. C. T. B.

The an - gels were mute as they lis-tened with won-der.

Tr. C. T. B.

fell down be - fore the Lamb.

Tr. C. T. B.

Tr. 105
 C.
 T.
 B. 8
 The angels were mute, and the saints they did shout,
 angels were mute, and in tac-it-ness did won-der,

Tr. 110
 C.
 T.
 B. 8
 did shout _____ did shout _____ and sing, "Wor-thy the Lamb, Wor-thy the

Tr. 115
 C.
 T.
 B. 8
 did shout _____ did shout _____ and sing, "Wor-thy the Lamb, Wor-thy the

Tr. 120
 C.
 T.
 B.

Tr. 125
 C.
 T.
 B. 8
 Lamb, the Lamb, that was slain! For He hath re - deemed us,
 For He hath re - deemed us,

Tr. 130
 C.
 T.
 B. 8
 deemed us to God and hast made us kings and priests and we shall reign up - on the

Tr. 135
 C.
 T.
 B.

Tr. We shall reign.
 C. earth. We shall reign, We shall reign
 T. 8 We shall reign, We shall reign, We shall
 B. We shall reign up - on the earth, We shall reign. We shall

140
 Tr. We shall reign up - on the earth.
 C. We shall reign up - on the earth. Then the whole mul-ti-tude of saints and
 T. 8 reign up - on the earth.
 B. reign up - on the earth.

150
 Tr. 155
 C. an-gels u - nit - ed their voi-ces and sang with a shout they
 T. 8
 B.

160
 Tr. 165
 C. sang with a shout, they sang with a shout, they sang with a shout say-ing,
 T. 8
 B.

Tr. 170
 C.
 T.
 B. Wor - thy the Lamb, Wor - thy the Lamb, the Lamb that was slain! For He is
 8 Wor - thy the Lamb, Wor - thy the

Tr. 175
 C.
 T.
 B.

Tr. 180
 C.
 T.
 B. A - men, A - men
 wor - thy to re - ceive glo - ry and hon - or, wis - dom and pow'r. Hal - le - lu - jah,
 8 Ha - le -
 B. Hal - le - lu - jah,

Tr. 185
 C.
 T.
 B. - - - Glo - ry and hon - or, Hal - le - lu - jah, A - - - men.
 A-men. and hon - or, Hal - le - lu - jah, A - men and A - men. Ho - ly,
 8 lu - jah Glo - ry and hon - or, Hal - le - lu - jah A - men and A - men.

Tr. 190
 C.
 T.
 B. Glo - ry and hon - or, Hal - le - lu - jah, A - men. A - men.

Tr. 195
 C.
 T.
 B. ho - ly, ho - ly, Lord God Al - migh - ty, Just and true are all Thy ways, O Thou King of saints,
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Tr. 200
 C.
 T.
 B.

Tr. Amen, Halle - lu - jah. Glo - ry and hon - or, Glo - ry and hon - or

C. Amen, Halle - lu - jah. Glo - ry and hon - or, Hal - le - lu - jah, A -

T. 8 Hal - le - lu - jah, Glo - ry and hon - or, Hal - le - lu - jah, A - men

B. Hal - le - lu - jah, Glo - ry and hon - or, Hal - le - lu - jah, A - men,

210 Tr. A - men.

C. men, A - men. Wor - thy the Lamb, Wor - thy the Lamb, Wor - thy the

T. 8 A - men.

B. A - men.

220 Tr. Lamb, the Lamb that was slain, for He is wor - thy, for He is wor - thy

C. Lamb, the Lamb that was slain, for He is wor - thy, for He is wor - thy

T. 8 Lamb, the Lamb that was slain, for He is wor - thy, for He is wor - thy

B. Lamb, the Lamb that was slain, for He is wor - thy, for He is wor - thy

225 Tr. A - men, A - men,

C. to re - ceive glo - ry and hon - or, Hal - le - lu - jah,

T. 8 wis - dom and pow'r Hal - le - lu - jah,

B. Ha - le - lu - jah, Glo - ry and

