

# 2. Before Jerusalem

*Moderato* TENOR SOLO *mf*

8

Like a fair vi-sion in the mor-ning light, Lay the proud ci-ty of Je-

*Moderato* ♩=100

*Sw or Ch 8 ft.*

*senza Ped.*

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- ru - sa - lem; In all the beau-ty of its soa - ring towers, And fla - shing domes, and

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mar - ble pal - a - ces. A di - a-dem on Zi-on's ho - ly hill, The

*Ped.*

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*f* glo - rious Tem-ple in its splen - dour shone, With sheen of gold, and

*mf*

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pin - na-cles of snow.....

*pp* *Sw Gedact or Voix Céleste*

23 **BASS SOLO** *Recit.*

*p*

And Je-sus paused, and gazed with tear-ful eyes, While the hushed mul-ti-tude stood won-d'ring near.

27

*Andante* ♩ = 88 *Oboe Solo*

*pp*

33

*Lamentoso*

O Je - ru - sa - lem!

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O Je - ru - sa - lem! Hads't thou but known in this thy

43

*cresc.* *rall.*

day, E - ven thou, e - ven thou the things which be - long un - to

*colla voce*

47

BASS SOLO

peace. *Oboe Solo* But now they are hid from thine eyes!..... *Oboe*

*mp a tempo* *p*

52

BASS SOLO

*sempre lamentoso*

For the days shall come up - on thee, When thine

56

BASS SOLO

en - e - mies shall com - pass thee a - round! They shall dash thee to the ground, Thee,

60

BASS SOLO

and thy chil - dren with - in thee! Hads't thou but known, O Je-

*mp* *mp*

65

BASS SOLO

- ru - sa - lem, had'st thou but known,..... had'st thou but known.

*rall. e dim.* *colla voce* *p*