

*Written to express Byrd's sorrow over the turmoil in the Church of England*

## Bow thine ear, O Lord

WILLIAM BYRD, 1589

Isaiah 64: 10

$\text{♩} = 70$

Soprano      Alto      Tenor      Tenor      Bass

Bow thine ear, O Lord, O  
Bow thine ear, O Lord, O  
Bow  
Bow thine ear O Lord,  
Bass

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S.      A.      T.      T.      B.

Lord and hear,      Bow thine ear, O Lord, O Lord:  
Lord, Bow thine ear O Lord, O Lord,  
thine ear, O Lord, and hear us,      Bow thine ear O Lord, O  
O Lord, and hear us,      bow thine ear, O Lord,  
Bow thine ear, O Lord, and hear,      bow

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S.      A.      T.      T.      B.

Let thine anger cease from us, thine anger cease from us,  
bow thine ear and hear us      Let thine anger  
Lord, and hear us:      Let thine anger cease from us, let  
and hear:      Let thine anger cease from us,  
thine ear, O Lord, and hear:

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S. and let thine an - ger cease from us,

A. cease from us, let thine an - ger cease from us, thine an - ger

T. — thine an - ger cease from us, let

T. — let thine an - ger cease from us, thine an - ger cease

B. — let thine an - ger

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S. let thine anger cease from us, let thine anger  
A. cease from us, thine anger cease from us let thine anger cease  
T. 8 thine anger cease from us, and let thine anger cease from us,  
T. 8 from us, cease from us, let thine anger cease from us, thine anger  
B. cease from us, cease from us, let thine anger cease from us, cease

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S. cease from us. Si - on is wast - ed, is wast - ed and brought low,

A. \_\_\_\_\_ from us. Si - on is wast - ed, is wast - ed and brought low,

T. 8 cease from us, Si - on is wast - ed, is wast - ed and brought low,

T. 8 cease from us. Si - on is wast - ed is wast - ed and brought low,

B. from \_\_\_\_\_ us.

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S. - - - - - Je - ru - sa - lem, Je -

A. Si - on is wast - ed, is wast - ed and brought low, Je - ru - sa -

T. Si - on is wast - ed, is wast - ed and brought low, -

T. Si - on is wast - ed, is wast - ed and brought low, -

B. Si - on is wast - ed, is wast - ed and brought low, -

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S. ru - sa - lem Je - ru - sa - lem, Je - ru - sa - lem Je -

A. lem, Je - ru - sa - lem Je - ru - sa - lem, Je - ru - - sa -

T. Je - ru - sa - lem, Je -

T. Je - ru - sa - lem, Je -

B. Je - ru - sa - lem, Je - ru - sa - lem, Je - ru - sa - lem, Je - ru - sa -

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S. ru - sa - lem, Je - ru - sa - lem de - so - late and void -

A. lem de - so - late and void, de - so - late and void,

T. ru - sa - lem, Je - ru - sa - lem, de - so - late and void, de - so - late and

T. Je - ru - sa - lem, Je - ru - sa - lem, de - so - late and void, Je - ru - sa - lem, Je - ru - sa - lem,

B. lem, Je - ru - sa - lem, Je - ru - sa - lem, de - so -

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S. de - so - late and void, de - so - late and void de-

A. de - so - late and void, de - so - late - and void, de - so - late and void, and

T. void, de - so - late and void, and void,

T. de - so - late and void, and void, de - so - late and void, de -

B. late and void, de - so - late and void, de - so - late and void, de - so -

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S. - so - late and void, de - so - late and void,

A. void, de - so - late and void, de - so - late and void, de - so -

T. de - so - late and void de - so - late and void, de - so - late and void, de - so - late and void,

T. - so - late and void, de - so - late and void, de - so - late and void, and void, de -

B. late an void, de - so - late and void,

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S. de - so - late and void, de - so - late and void, de -

A. late and void, de - so - late and void, de - so - late and void,

T. de - so - late and void, de - so - late and void, de - so - late and void,

T. - so - late and void, de - so - late and void, de - so - late and

B. de - so - late and void, de - so - late and void,

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S. - so - late and void, de - so - late and \_\_\_\_\_

A. de - so - late and void, de - so - late and void,

T. de - so - late and \_\_\_\_\_ void, de - so - late and

T. \_\_\_\_\_ void, de - so - late and \_\_\_\_\_

B. de - so - late and void,

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S. void, de - so - late \_\_\_\_\_ and void.

A. de - so - late \_\_\_\_\_ and void.

T. void, de - so - late and \_\_\_\_\_ void.

T. void, de - so - late and void.

B. de - - - - so - late and \_\_\_\_\_ void.