

# Beneath the Cross of Jesus

SATB and Organ,  
with opt. Oboe, Flute, or Violin

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**Moderately slow, with intense line ( $\text{♩} = \text{ca. 76}$ )**

**Organ**

The musical score consists of three systems of music. System 1 (measures 1-2) shows the organ part with two staves: treble and bass. Measure 1 starts with a forte dynamic, followed by a piano dynamic. Measure 2 ends with a fermata over the bass staff. System 2 (measures 3-4) shows the organ part again, with a dynamic marking 'rit.' above the bass staff in measure 4. System 3 (measures 5-6) shows the organ part once more, with lyrics 'neath the cross of Je-sus I' written below the notes. The vocal parts (Unison Women) begin in measure 3, singing 'Unison Women' and 'Be -'. The vocal parts continue in measure 4 with 'rit.' and 'a tempo'. The vocal parts continue in measure 5 with 'rit.' and 'a tempo'. The vocal parts continue in measure 6 with 'rit.' and 'a tempo'.

Text: Elizabeth Cecilia Douglas Clephane, 1830-69, and written in 1868 (PD).

Tune: ST. CHRISTOPHER, by Frederick Charles Maker, 1844-1927, and written in 1881 (PD).

\*Part for Solo Instrument included on pages 10-11. The right hand organ part marked in brackets may be played by Oboe, Flute, or Violin.

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fain would take my stand, ,

*Unison Men*

The shad - ow of a

might - y rock With - in a wea - ry land;

*Unison Women*

rit. *a tempo cresc.* A *a tempo*

rit. *cresc.*

32

I see the

Do - mi - ne Je - su\_ Chris - te.

Do - mi - ne Je - su Chris - te.

35

ver - y dy - ing form of One who suf - fered there for

A - do - ra - mus te, Je - su Chris - -

A - do - ra - mus te, Je - su Chris - -

I

38

me:

te, O Domine Je - su

II

41

*p*

And from my strick - en heart with tears Two

*p*

Chris - te. A - do - ra - mus te,

*p*

Chris - te. A - do - ra - mus te,

I

50

— ***pp*** *a tempo*

ness.

— ***pp*** *a tempo*

Chris - te.

— ***pp*** *a tempo*

Chris - te.

II *a tempo*

***p***

I

53

*rit.* ***pp*** < > ***pp***

A - men.

*rit.* ***pp*** < > ***pp***

A - men.

*rit.* ***pp*** < > ***pp***

A - men.

*rit.*

***pp*** < > ***pp***