

For David Erwin, with great affection

Lamb of God, Most Holy

SATB, Unison Treble Voices or Solo, and Organ

Nikolaus Decius

Robert Lehman

Slowly (♩ = 72)

Organ

p

Ped.

(Unison Treble Voices or Solo)

mp

Lamb of God, most ho - ly, Who on the cross didst suf - fer;

Pa - tient, still, and low - ly, Thy - self to scorn didst of - fer. Our

sins by thee were ta - ken, Thy - self for us for - sak - en; Have

NOTE: SATB sections may be sung *a cappella* throughout.

Text: Nikolaus Decius, ca. 1485-after 1546, and written in 1541. Beginning at measure 5, English translation by Arthur T. Russell, 1806-1874. Beginning at measure 37, English translation by Olof Olsson, 1841-1900 (PD).

Text: "Agnus Dei," traditional Latin (PD).

Tune: *O LAMM GÖTTES, UNSCHULDIG*, Nikolaus Decius, ca. 1485-after 1546, and written in 1541 (PD).

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(Unison Treble Voices or Solo)

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mer - cy on us, O Je - su.

Lamb of God, most ho - ly, Who

p

21

on the cross didst suf - fer; Pa - tient, still,— and

24

low - ly, Thy - self - to scorn - didst - of - fer. Our

27

sins by thee - were tak - en, Or hope had - us for -

30

sak - en; Have mer - cy on us, O Je -

33

S A su. —

T B

(Organ) *pp*

Man.

37

S A *mp* Lamb of God, most ho - ly, On Cal - va - ry an

T B *mf* *mp*

40

of - f'ring; De - spis - éd, meek, and low - ly, Thou in thy death and

44

suf - f'ring Our sins didst bear, our an - guish The

47

might of death didst van - quish; Have mer - cy on

50

S A

us, O Je - su.

T B

(Organ)

Man.

55

(Unison Treble Voices or Solo)

mp

Lamb of God, most ho - ly, who on the cross didst suf - fer;

pp

S A

A - gnus De - i, A - gnus De - i;

T B

pp

59 *mp*

A - gnus De - i, qui tol - lis pec - ca - ta

P - tient, still, and low - ly, Thy - self to scorn didst of - fer. Our

p

63

mun - di, mi - se - re - no - bis,

sins by thee were tak - en, Or hope had us for - sak - en; Have

67

mi - se - re - no - bis.

mer - cy on us, O Je - su.

71

(Organ) *p*

Ped.