

For the Idlewild Presbyterian Church Adult Choir, Memphis, Tennessee,  
in loving memory of Richard Baldwin

# Isaiah's Voice

SATB and Violin

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With rhapsodic freedom (♩ = ca. 56)

Violin *mf*

Soprano *mp* *mf*

Alto

Tenor *p* *mf*

Bass

A word, \_\_\_\_\_ a word of

A word, \_\_\_\_\_ a

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com - fort ech - oes; \_\_\_\_\_ it is I - sai - ah's voice \_\_\_\_\_

word ech - oes; it is I - sai - ah's voice \_\_\_\_\_

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speak-ing the balm of par - don and God's for -

speak the balm of par - don and God's for -

11

Moving ahead (♩ = 63)

giv - ing choice. The val - ley lift - ed

14

*p* *mp* *mf* stretch

Lev - el, lev - el, lev - el;

up; un - e - ven ground made lev - el;

45

*mp*

am - ber, when win - ter's zeph - yr blows, a rose, a rose, a

48

rose, a rose, there is a bloom so viv - id, a

51

*slowing greatly*

*slowing greatly*

with - in the grass a rose, a rose, a