

*Written for and dedicated to Kirsten Anderson & Raemond Jappy
for their Wedding on 6th July 2013*

Peace

A Prayer of St Francis of Assisi

St Francis of Assisi
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Adagio, molto espress.
 $\text{♩} = c. 76$ rall. a tempo rall. a tempo *ppp* —

Soprano Alto Tenor Bass

Piano (for rehearsal only)

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rall.

a tempo
*tutti molto legato (to be sung like a whisper...
 an echo emerging from the opening chords)*

6

Lord. Make me a chan-nel of your peace: Where

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Make me a chan-nel of your peace: Where

Make me a chan-nel of your, of your peace: Where (like an echo)

Make me a chan-nel of your, of your peace: Where (like an echo)

Make me a chan-nel of your, of your peace: Where (like an echo)

Lord. Make me a chan-nel of your, of your peace: Where

rall.

a tempo

9 rall.

a tempo
mp

there is hat-red, let me bring your love,
Where there is in - ju - ry, your
there is hat-red, let me bring your love,
Where there is in - ju - ry, your
there is hat-red, let me bring your love, your love,
Where there is in - ju - ry, your
rall.

a tempo
mp

12 rall.
pp

par-don, Lord,— And where there's doubt, true faith in you.
par-don, Lord,— And where there's doubt, true faith in you.
par-don, Lord,— And where there's doubt, true faith in... Peace,— Lord.—
par-don, Lord,— And where there's doubt, true faith in you.
rall.

a tempo

15 **ppp** Make me a chan-nel of your peace: Where there's des-pair in life, let me bring
 Make me a chan-nel of your peace: Where there's des-pair in life, let me bring
ppp (like an echo) Make me a chan-nel of your, chan-nel of your peace: Where there's des-pair in life, let me bring
ppp (like an echo) Make me a chan-nel of your, chan-nel of your peace: Where there's des-pair in life, let me bring
a tempo rall.

a tempo

18 **mf** hope, Where there is dark - ness, on - ly light, And
 hope, Where there is dark - ness, on - ly light, And
mf hope, bring hope, Where there is dark - ness, on - ly light, And
mf hope, Where there is dark - ness, on - ly light, And
a tempo

21 **rall.** *pp* *mf*

where there's sad-ness, ev - er joy. O Mas-ter, grant that I may nev-er

pp *mf*

where there's sad-ness, ev - er joy. ah O Mas-ter, grant that I may nev-er

pp *mf*

where there's sad-ness, ev - er joy. ah O Mas-ter, grant that I may nev-er,

pp *mf*

where there's sad-ness, ev - er joy. O Mas-ter, grant that I may nev-er,

rall.

a tempo

24 **poco rit.**

seek So much to be con-soled as to con - sole; To be

seek So much to be con-soled as to con - sole; To be

nev - er seek So much to be con-soled as to con - sole; To be

nev - er seek So much to be con-soled as to con - sole; To be

poco rit.

27 **a tempo**

un-der-stood as to un-der - stand, To be loved, as to love with all my
 un-der-stood as to un-der - stand, To be loved, as to love with all my
 un-der-stood as to un-der - stand, To be loved, as to love with all my
 un-der-stood as to un-der - stand, To be loved, as to love with all my

a tempo

molto rall.

30 *cresc. poco a poco*
(stagger breathing)

soul!

cresc. poco a poco
(stagger breathing)

soul!

cresc. poco a poco

soul, ____ love with all my soul, all my soul, love with all my soul, ____

cresc. poco a poco

soul, love with all my soul, all my soul, all

molto rall.

(molto rall.)

33 (cresc. poco a poco)

a tempo

ff

rall.

a tempo

7

Make me a chan-nel of your peace: It

(cresc. poco a poco)

ff

Make me a chan-nel of your peace: It

(cresc. poco a poco)

ff

all my soul! Make me a chan-nel of your peace, O Lord: It

(cresc. poco a poco)

ff

my soul! Make me a chan-nel of your, chan-nel of your peace: It

(molto rall.)

a tempo

rall.

a tempo

36

rall.

a tempo

is in par-don-ing that we are par - doned, In giv-ing of our-selves that we re -

is in par-don-ing that we are par - doned, In giv-ing of our-selves that we re -

8 is in par-don-ing that we are... O Lord, In giv-ing, O Lord,

is in par-don-ing that we are par - doned, In giv-ing of our-selves that we re -

rall.

a tempo

molto rall.

39

- ceive, _____ And in dy-ing that we're born to e-ter-nal life.
- ceive, _____ And in dy-ing that we're born to e-ter-nal life.
And in dy-ing that we're born to e-ter-nal life.
- ceive, _____ And in dy-ing that we're born to e-ter-nal life.

a tempo

42

molto rall.

ppp

Make me a chan-nel of your peace: Where there is hat-red, bring your
ppp

Make me a chan-nel of your peace: Where there is hat-red, bring your
ppp (like an echo)

Make me a chan-nel of your, of your peace: Where there is hat-red, bring your
ppp (like an echo)

Make me a chan-nel of your, of your peace: Where there is hat-red, bring your

a tempo

molto rall.

45

meno mosso

// *pppp* //

love, bring your,

love, bring your,

love, bring your peace,

love, bring your peace,

// meno mosso //

49

bring your peace.

bring your peace.

Lord, peace.

Lord, peace.

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