

For New York Polyphony

To mock your reign

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Mat. 27:28 and Ps. 74:9

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based on Tallis' *Third Mode Melody*

Recitativo

Counter-Tenor

Tenor *mf*
8 Et ex - u - en - tes e - um cla - my - dem coc - ci - ne - am cir - cum - de - de - runt e - i

Baritone *mf*
cla - my - dem coc - ci - ne - am cir - cum - de - de - runt e - i

Bass

$\text{♩} = 46$ ($\text{♩} = 92$)

mf *f* *mp*
3 et plec - ten - tes co - ro - nam de spi - nis su - per ca - put

mf *f* *mf*
8 et plec - ten - tes co - ro - nam de spi - nis po - su - e - runt su - per ca - put

mf *f*
et plec - ten - tes co - ro - nam de spi - nis ca - put

mf *f*
et plec - ten - tes co - ro - nam de spi - nis ca - put

Regal ♩ = 68

7 *mf* *p* *mp*

e - ius To mock your reign, O dear - est Lord, they made

8 *mf* *p* *mp* *Cantus firmus (to bar 13)*

e - ius To mock your reign, O dear - est Lord, they made

mf *p* *mp*

e - ius To mock your reign, O dear - est Lord, they made

mf *p* *mp*

e - ius To mock your reign, O dear - est Lord, they made

12 *mf*

— a crown of thorns; set you with taunts — a - long that road from which —

8 *mf*

— a crown of thorns; set you with taunts — a - long that road from which —

mf

— a crown of thorns; set you with taunts — a - long that road from

mf

— a crown of thorns; set you with taunts — a - long that road from which —

17 *f*

— no man re - turns. They could not know, — as we do now, that glo -

8 *f*

— no man re - turns. They could not know, — as we do now,

f

which no man re - turns. They could not know, — as we know, that glo -

f

— no man re - turns. They could not know, — as we do now,

22 *mp* *mf*

- rious is that crown: that thorns would flower up - on your

8 glo-rious is that crown: that thorns would flower up - on your

- rious is that crown: that thorns would flower up - on your

glo-rious is that crown: that thorns would flower up - on your

27 *mp* *p*

brow, your sor - rows heal our own.

8 brow, your sor - rows heal our own. et a - run - di - nem in dex - tra e - ius

brow, you sor - rows heal our own.

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$\text{♩} = 54$ ($\text{♩} = 108$)

30 *mf* *f* *ff*

in - lu - de - bant di - cen - tes a - ve rex lu - dae -

8 et ge - nu fle - xo an - te e - um in - lu - de - bant di - cen - tes a - ve rex lu - dae -

mf *mf* *f* *ff*

et ge - nu fle - xo an - te e - um in - lu - de - bant di - cen - tes a - ve rex lu - dae -

mf *f* *ff*

in - lu de - bant di - cen - tes a - ve rex lu - dae -

♩ = 72

34

mf

o - rum A scep-tred reed, O pa-tient Lord, they thrust in - to your

8

mf

o - rum A scep-tred reed, O pa-tient Lord, they thrust in - to your

mf

o - rum A scep-tred reed, O pa-tient Lord, thrust in - to your

f *Cantus firmus (to bar 39)*

o - rum A scep-tred reed, O pa-tient Lord, they thrust in - to your

39

f *mf*

hand, and ac - ted out their grim cha - rade to its ap - poin - ted

8

f *mf*

hand, and ac - ted out their grim cha - rade to its ap - poin - ted

f *mf*

hand, and ac - ted out their grim cha - rade to its ap - poin - ted

f *mf*

hand, and ac - ted out their grim cha - rade to its ap - poin - ted

44

f

end. They could not know, as we do now, though em - pires rise and

8

f

end. They could not know, as we do now, em - pires rise and

f

end. They could not know, as we know, though em - pires rise and

f

end. They could not know, as we do now, em - pires rise and

49 *mp* *mf* *mp*

fall, your king - dom shall not cease to grow till love em -

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fall, your king - dom shall not cease to grow till love em -

54 *Poco meno mosso* $\text{♩} = 64$ *p simile*

bra - ces all. us-que-quo, us - que-quo, us-que-quo

bra - ces all. us-que-quo, us-que-quo De - us, us - que-quo De - us,

bra - ces all.

bra - ces all.

58 *mf* *mp* *mf* *mf*

De - us ex - pro-bra - bit

ex - pro-bra-bit us-que-quo, us-que-quo De - us

us-que-quo De - us ex-pro-bra - bit

ad - - - ver - sa - ri-us blas - phe-

poco rit.

meno mosso ♩ = 60

62

in
in fi-nem
in fi-nem in fi-nem
ma - bit in - i - mi - cus no - men tu - um in - fi - nem

66

fi - nem in fi - nem in fi - nem [m]
in fi - nem in fi - nem [m]
in fi - nem in fi - nem in fi - nem [m]
in fi - nem in fi - nem [m]

Translation of the Latin text:

*They stripped him and put a scarlet robe on him,
and then twisted together a crown of thorns and set it on his head.*

*They put a staff in his right hand and knelt in front of him and mocked him.
"Hail, king of the Jews!" they said.*

*How long will the enemy mock you, O God?
Will the foe revile your name forever?*