

*For Patrick Allies and Siglo de Oro*

## Father, forgive them

Luke 23:34

Nelson Mandela, statement from the dock, Rivonia Trial

Ed Rex

*J = 74*

*pp*

Alto Saxophone

Soprano

Soprano

Alto

Tenor

Baritone

Bass

Fa - ther, Fa - ther, Fa - - ther,

7

*pp*

Alto Sax.

S.

S.

A.

T.

Bar.

B.

Fa - ther, Fa - ther, Fa - ther,

Lord, Lord, Lord,

Lord, Lord, Lord,

Lord, Lord, Lord,

Lord, Lord, Lord,

21

Alto Sax.

S.

S.

give them, for they know not what they do, for they know not what they

A.

T.

give them, for they know not what they do, for they know not what they

Bar.

B.

give them, Fa ther, for-give them, for they know not what they do, for they know not what they

give them, Fa ther, for-give them, for they know not what they do, for they know not what they

give them, Fa ther, for-give them, for they know not what they do, for they know not what they

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Alto Sax.

S.

do. \_\_\_\_\_ My Lord, I am the first ac cused,

S.

do. \_\_\_\_\_ Lord, Lord,

A.

do. \_\_\_\_\_ Lord, Lord,

T.

do. \_\_\_\_\_ Lord, Lord,

Bar.

do. \_\_\_\_\_ Lord, Lord,

B.

do. \_\_\_\_\_ Lord, Lord,

34

Alto Sax.

S.

My Lord, I am the first ac cused,

S.

cresc.

Lord, Lord, Lord, Lord, Lord,

A.

cresc.

Lord, Lord, Lord, Lord, Lord,

T.

cresc.

Lord, Lord, Lord, Lord, Lord,

Bar.

cresc.

Lord, Lord, Lord, Lord, Lord,

B.

cresc.

Lord, Lord, Lord, Lord, Lord,

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Alto Sax.

S.

*mf*

Lord, Lord, Lord, Lord, Lord,

S.

*mp* 3

Lord, Du-ring my life-time I have de-di-ca- ted my- self to this

A.

*mf*

Lord, Lord, Lord, Lord, Lord,

T.

*mf*

Lord, Lord, Lord, Lord, Lord,

Bar.

*mf*

Lord, Lord, Lord, Lord, Lord,

B.

*mf*

Lord, Lord, Lord, Lord, Lord,

41

Alto Sax.

S. — Lord, Lord, Lord,  
S. strug- gle\_ of the Af-ri-can peo- ple, Lord,  
A. — Lord, Lord, Lord, I have fough  
T. — Lord, Lord, Lord,  
Bar. — Lord, Lord, Lord,  
B. — Lord, Lord, Lord,

45

Alto Sax.

S. — Lord, Lord, Lord, Lord, Lord,  
S. — Lord, Lord, Lord, Lord, Lord,  
A. — a-against white do-mi-na tion, and I have fought, fought a-against black do-mi - na tion, Lord, Lord,  
T. — Lord, Lord, Lord, Lord, Lord,  
Bar. — Lord, Lord, Lord, Lord, Lord,  
B. — Lord, Lord, Lord, Lord, Lord,

49

Alto Sax.

S.

S.

A.

T.

Bar.

B.

Lord, \_\_\_\_\_ Lord, \_\_\_\_\_ Lord, \_\_\_\_\_ Lord, \_\_\_\_\_ Lord, \_\_\_\_\_  
 Lord, \_\_\_\_\_ Lord, \_\_\_\_\_ Lord, \_\_\_\_\_ Lord, \_\_\_\_\_ Lord, \_\_\_\_\_  
 Lord, \_\_\_\_\_ Lord, \_\_\_\_\_ Lord, \_\_\_\_\_ Lord, \_\_\_\_\_ Lord, \_\_\_\_\_  
 Lord, \_\_\_\_\_ Lord, \_\_\_\_\_ Lord, \_\_\_\_\_ Lord, \_\_\_\_\_ Lord, \_\_\_\_\_  
 Lord, \_\_\_\_\_ Lord, \_\_\_\_\_ Lord, \_\_\_\_\_ Lord, \_\_\_\_\_ I have che- rished the i-  
 Lord, \_\_\_\_\_ Lord, \_\_\_\_\_ Lord, \_\_\_\_\_ Lord, \_\_\_\_\_ Lord, \_\_\_\_\_  
 Lord, \_\_\_\_\_ Lord, \_\_\_\_\_ Lord, \_\_\_\_\_ Lord, \_\_\_\_\_ Lord, \_\_\_\_\_

52

Alto Sax.

S.

S.

A.

T.

Bar.

B.

Lord, \_\_\_\_\_ Lord, \_\_\_\_\_ Lord, \_\_\_\_\_ Lord, \_\_\_\_\_  
 deal\_\_\_\_ of a de-mo-cra-tic\_ and free\_\_\_\_ so - ci - e-ty in which all per-sons live to  
 Lord, \_\_\_\_\_ Lord, \_\_\_\_\_ Lord, \_\_\_\_\_ Lord, \_\_\_\_\_ Lord, \_\_\_\_\_

56

Alto Sax.

S.

S.

A.

T.

Bar.

B.

— Lord, — Lord, — Lord, — Lord, — Lord, — Lord, —  
Lord, — Lord, — Lord, — Lord, — Lord, — Lord, — Lord, —  
Lord, — Lord, — Lord, — Lord, — Lord, — Lord, — Lord, —  
Lord, — Lord, — Lord, — Lord, — Lord, — Lord, —  
Lord, — Lord, — Lord, — Lord, — Lord, — Lord, —  
Lord, — Lord, — Lord, — Lord, — Lord, — Lord, —  
ge- ther\_ in har - mo-ny and with e- qual op-por - tu - ni-ties,  
Lord, — Lord, — Lord, — Lord, — Lord, —  
Lord, — Lord, — Lord, — Lord, —

60

Alto Sax.

S.

S.

A.

T.

Bar.

B.

— Lord, — Lord, — Lord, — Lord, — Lord, —  
Lord, — Lord, — Lord, — Lord, — Lord, —  
Lord, — Lord, — Lord, — Lord, —  
Lord, — Lord, — Lord, — Lord, —  
Lord, — Lord, — Lord, — Lord, —  
Lord, — Lord, — Lord, — Lord, —  
Lord, — Lord, — Lord, — Lord, —  
Lord, — Lord, — Lord, — Lord, —

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Alto Sax.

S.

S.

A.

T.

Bar.

B.

Lord, Lord, Lord, Lord,

Lord, Lord, Lord,

Lord, Lord, Lord,

Lord, Lord, Lord, Lord,

It is an i- deal which I hope to live for and to achieve,

Lord, Lord, Lord, Lord,

Lord, Lord, Lord, Lord,

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Alto Sax.

S. Lord, Lord, \_\_\_\_\_

S. Lord, Lord, \_\_\_\_\_

A. Lord, Lord, \_\_\_\_\_

T. Lord, Lord, \_\_\_\_\_

Bar. Lord, Lord, \_\_\_\_\_

B. Lord, Lord, \_\_\_\_\_

mp cresc.

But, if needs be,

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Alto Sax.

S. *cresc.*

S. *cresc.*

A. *cresc.*

T. *cresc.*

Bar. *cresc.*

B.

1 Lord, Lord, Lord, 2 - 3 -

2 Lord, Lord, Lord, 2 - 3 -

3 Lord, Lord, Lord, 2 - 3 -

4 Lord, Lord, Lord, 2 - 3 -

5 Lord, Lord, Lord, 2 - 3 -

6 Lord, Lord, Lord, 2 - 3 -

7 Lord, Lord, Lord, Fa - ther, mp

8 Lord, Lord, Lord, Fa - , mp

9 Lord, Lord, Lord, Fa -

10 it is an i deal for which I am pre- pared, pre- pared to die,

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***pp***

Alto Sax.

S.

S.

A.

T.

Bar.

B.

8

Fa - ther, Fa - - - ther,

ther, Fa - - - ther, Fa - - - ther,

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Alto Sax.

S.

S.

A.

T.

Bar.

B.

Fa - ther, Fa - ther, *f* Fa-ther, for-give them,  
*mp cresc.*

Fa - ther, Fa - - - ther, for-give them,  
*mp cresc.*

Fa - - - ther, Fa - - - ther, for-give them,  
*mp cresc.*

Fa - - - ther, Fa - - - ther, for-give them,  
*mf cresc.* *f* *mp*

Fa - - - - - ther, for-give them, Fa-ther, for-give them,  
*mf cresc.* *f* *mp*

Fa - - - - - ther, for-give them, Fa-ther, for-give them,  
*mp*

Fa - - - - - ther, for-give them, Fa-ther, for-give them,  
*mp*

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rit. *mp*

Alto Sax.

S.

S.

A.

T.

Bar.

B.

for they know not what they do, for they know not what they do.  
*mf* *mp* rit. *p*

for they know not what they do, for they know not what they do.  
*mf* *mp* rit. *p*

for they know not what they do, for they know not what they do.  
*mf* *mp* rit. *p*

for they know not what they do, for they know not what they do.  
*mf* *mp* rit. *p*

for they know not what they do, for they know not what they do.  
*mf* *mp* rit. *p*

for they know not what they do, for they know not what they do.  
*mf* *mp* rit. *p*