

I Vow to Thee, my Country

(Thaxted)

Words: Sir Cecil Spring Rice 1859-1918

Music: Gustav Holst 1874-1934

arr. Philip Le Bas

Maestoso ♩ = 70
(Congregation: men only) **ff**

TENOR
BASS

I__ vow to thee, my coun-try, all

Maestoso ♩ = 70
8'. 4' & mix.

Organ

f

Pedal: 8' & 16'

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(Congregation: women only) **ff**

The love that asks no

earth-ly things a-bove, En-tire and whole and per-fect, the ser-vice of my love;—

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(Congregation: all)

ques-tion, the_ love that stands the test, that lays up-on the al-tar the dear-est and the best, The_

add 2'

Add 32' pedal

21

love that ne-ver fal - ters, the love that pays the price, the love that makes un - daun- ted the

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(Congregation: men only)

f

fi-nal sa - cri - fice. — And there's a - no - ther coun - try, I've heard of long a -

ff

, 8'. 4' & mix.

f

8' pedal

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(Congregation: women only)

ff

go, Most dear — to them that love her, most great to them that know; We — may not count her

f

(Congregation: all)³

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ar-mies, we— may not see her King; Her fort-ress is a faith-ful heart, her pride is suf-fer - ing;— And

add 2'

ff

Add 16' pedal

47

soul by soul and si-lent-ly her shin-ing bounds in - crease, And her ways are ways of

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gen - tle - ness and— all her paths are peace.—

poco rit. *molto rit.*

fff