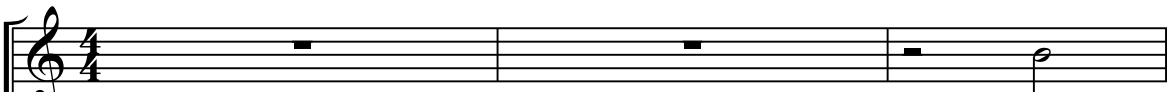


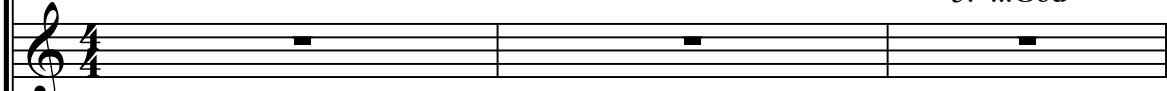
# 37. In Deep Distress to You I Cry


Aus tiefer Not schrei' ich zu dir  
Day of Atonement

Martin Luther (1524)  
after Ps. 130

Hugo Distler  
Der Jahrkreis, op. 5, no. 37


Sop. 

Alto 


Bar. 

1. ...Lord
2. ...brings
3. ...and
4. ...and
5. ...God


1. In deep dis - tress to You I cry,
2. No works can serve; Your grace a - lone
3. And so I hope in God's good grace
4. Should it en - dure through-out the night
5. Though here on earth our sins a - bound,

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God, O hear my plead - - - - ing,  
par - don and for - giv - - - - ness.  
not in my own mer - - - - it;  
yet a - gain to - mor - - - - row,  
of - fers grace a - bun - - - - dant;



1. ...Lord God, O hear my plead - - - - ing,
2. ...brings par - don and for - giv - - - - ness.
3. ...and not in my own mer - - - - it;
4. ...and yet a - gain to - mor - - - - row,
5. ...God of - fers grace a - bun - - - - dant;



- Lord God, O hear my plead - ing, Your gra-cious  
— brings par-don and for-giv - ness. Our deeds in  
— and not in my own mer - it; I rest my  
— and yet a - gain to - mor - row, my heart will  
— God of - fers grace a - bun - dant; His hand to

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...and hear my sad en - treat - - -  
 ...e'en though a life be right - - -  
 ...and trust His good - ness ev - - -  
 ...de - spair, nor live in sor - - -  
 ...how - ev - er great our blun - - -

ear to me in - cline and hear my sad en -  
 vain seek to a - tone, e'en though a life be  
 heart in His em - brace and trust His good - ness  
 nev - er doubt God's might, de - spair, nor live in  
 help us knows no bounds, how - ev - er great our

- - - ing. For if You should con - sid - - er  
 - - - eous. Be - fore You none can vaunt him -  
 - - - er, as pro - mised in His ho - - ly  
 - - - row. So, Is - ra - el, do what is  
 - - - der. He would our on - ly shep - - herd

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 sor - row. So, Is - ra - el, do what is  
 blun - der. He would our on - ly shep - herd

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now the sins and e - vils that \_\_\_\_\_ a - bound,  
*self; but trust Your grace, our on - - - - ly* wealth,  
 Word; He is my Com - fort - er \_\_\_\_\_ and Lord,  
*right, be guid - ed by the Spir - - - - it's* light,  
 be and by His grace set Is - - - - rael free

now the sins and e - vils that \_\_\_\_\_ a - bound, who,  
*self; but trust Your grace, our on - - - - ly* wealth, and  
 Word; He is my Com - fort - er \_\_\_\_\_ and Lord, for  
*right, be guid - ed by the Spir - - - - it's* light, and  
 be and by His grace set Is - - - - rael free of

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who, Lord, could stand be - fore \_\_\_\_\_ You?  
*and seek a life that's \_\_\_\_\_* right  
 for whom I wait for - ev - - - - er.  
*and seek God ev - 'ry mor - - - - row.*  
 of all its sin and er - - - - ror.

Lord, could stand be - fore \_\_\_\_\_ You?  
*seek a life that's \_\_\_\_\_* right  
 whom I wait for - ev - - - - er.  
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