

# O LORD, REBUKE ME NOT

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Psalm 6:1-2

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MEDIUS  
*Soprano*

TENOR  
*Alto*

BASSUS  
*Tenor*

O Lord,

O Lord, re - buke me not, re - buke me not in thine an - ger,

O Lord, re - buke me not in thine in - dig - na - ti -

re - buke me not in thine an - ger, in thine an - ger,

re - buke me not in thine an - ger, nei - ther

on, re - buke me not in thine in - dig - na - ti - on,

nei - ther chas - ten me in thy dis - plea - sure,

chas - ten me in thy dis - plea - sure, nei - ther

in thine in - dig - na - ti - on, nei - ther chas - ten

Original key and note values; editorial accidentals where indicated.  
(Maddening text underlay exactly as printed in source.)

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nei-ther chas - ten me in thy dis - plea - sure,  
 chas - ten me in thy dis - plea - sure, in thy dis - plea - sure, nei-ther  
 thou me, nei-ther chas - ten thou me in thy dis - plea - sure, nei-ther chas - ten

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nei-ther chas - ten me in thy dis - plea - sure, -  
 chas - ten me in thy dis - plea - sure, nei - ther chas - ten me in -  
 me in thy dis - plea - sure, dis - plea - sure, nei-ther chas - ten thou me in thy dis -

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in thy dis - plea - sure. Have  
 thy dis - plea - sure. Have mer - cy, Lord, up - on me, -  
 plea - - - sure. Have mer - cy, Lord, up - on me, up -

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mer - cy, Lord, up - on me, up-on me, up - on  
 up - on me, have mer - cy, Lord, up-on me, up-on  
 on me, have mer - cy, Lord, up - on me, up - on

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me, for I am weak, I am

me, for I am weak, for I am weak:

me, for I am weak, for I am

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weak: O Lord, heal me, O Lord, heal me, for my

O Lord, heal me, heal me, O Lord, heal me, for my

weak: O Lord, heal me, O Lord, heal, O Lord, heal me,

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bones are vex - ed, are vex - ed, for my bones are

bones are vex - ed, are vex - ed, for my bones are vex -

for my bones are vex - - - ed, for my

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vex-ed, for my bones are vex - ed, for my bones are vex - ed,

ed, my bones are vex - ed, for my bones are vex - ed.

bones are vex'd, are vex'd, for my bones are vex - ed.