

# BOW THINE EAR, O LORD

after Isaiah 64:9-10

contrafactum of *Civitas sancti tui*

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SUPERIUS  
*Soprano*

MEDIUS  
*Alto*

CONTRATENOR  
*Tenor I*

TENOR  
*Tenor II*

BASSUS  
*Bass*

Bow thine ear, O

Bow thine ear, O Lord, O

Bow

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Lord, O Lord, and hear, bow

Lord, O Lord, bow thine ear, O Lord,

Bow thine ear, O Lord, and hear us,

thine ear, O Lord, O Lord, and

Bow thine

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thine ear, O Lord, O Lord: let

O Lord, bow thine ear, and hear

bow thine ear, O Lord, O Lord, and hear

hear us, bow thine ear, O Lord, and hear:

ear, O Lord, and hear, bow thine ear, O Lord,

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thine an-ger cease from us, thine an-ger cease from us, and

us: let thine an-ger cease

us: let thine an-ger cease from us, let thine an-ger

let thine an-ger cease from us,

and hear:

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let thine an-ger cease from us, let  
 — from us, let thine an-ger cease from us, thine an-ger cease from us,  
 cease from us, let thine an-ger  
 let thine an-ger cease from us, thine an-ger cease from us,  
 let thine an-ger cease from us, cease

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— thine an-ger cease from us, let thine an-ger  
 thine an-ger cease from us, let thine an-ger cease  
 cease from us, and let thine an-ger cease from us,  
 cease from us, let thine an-ger cease from us, thine an-ger  
 from us, let thine an-ger cease from us, cease

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cease from us. Si - on is wast - ed, is wast -  
 from us. Si - on is wast - ed, is wast -  
 cease from us. Si - on is wast - ed, is wast -  
 cease from us. Si - on is wast - ed, is wast -  
 from us.

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- ed and brought low,  
 - ed and brought low, Si - on is wast - ed, is wast -  
 - ed and brought low, Si - on is wast - ed, is wast -  
 - ed and brought low, Si - on is wast - ed, is wast -  
 Si - on is wast - ed, is wast -



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ru - sa-lem                    de - so - late and void, \_\_\_\_\_

de - so - late and void,                    de - so - late and void,

lem, Je - ru - sa - lem                    de - so - late and void,                    de - so - late and

Je - ru - sa - lem de - so - late and void, Je - ru - sa-lem, Je - ru - sa-lem

lem,        Je - ru - sa-lem                    de - so -

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de - so - late and void,                    de - so - late and

de - so - late and void,                    de - so - late and void, de - so - late

void,                    de - so - late and void, and \_\_\_\_\_ void,

de - so - late and void, and \_\_\_\_\_ void,                    de - so -

late and void,        de-so - late and void,                    de - so - late and void,

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void, de - so-late and void,  
— and void, and void, de - so - late and void, de - so-late  
de - so-late and void, de - so-late and  
late and void, de - so-late and void, de - so-late and void, de - so-late and  
de - so - late and void, de - so - late and

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de - so - late and void, de - so - late and void, de -  
— and void, de - so - late and void, de - so - late and void, de -  
— void, and void, de - so - late and void,  
void, and void, de - so-late and void, de - so -  
void, de - so - late and void,

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- so-late and void, de - so - late and void, de-so-late and  
 - so - late and \_\_\_\_\_ void, de-so-late and void,  
 de - so - late and void, de - so - late and \_\_\_\_\_ void,  
 late and void, de - so-late and \_\_\_\_\_ void, de-so-  
 de - so - late and void, de - so - late and

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\_\_\_\_\_ void, de - so - late \_\_\_\_\_ and void.  
 de - so-late and void, de - so - late \_\_\_\_\_ and void.  
 de - so-late and void, de - so - late and \_\_\_\_\_ void.  
 late and \_\_\_\_\_ void, de - so - late and void.  
 void, de - so - late and \_\_\_\_\_ void.