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Psalm 107 (We Give Thanks To You)*

We give thanks to you. For we were hungry and thirsty;
our spirits languished within us; but you delivered us!
You have done wonders for us.
You have satisfied the thirsty, and filled the hungry with good things.

Adapted from *The Psalter,*
The Book of Common Prayer

Music by Patricia Van Ness (1951)
Score rev. 26 February 2018
*from *MUSIC FOR THE PSALMS,*
dedicated in its entirety to Peter Sykes

Staggered 8th note rests are to provide
a seamless sound. Please make entrances and
releases *sempre molto legato*.

♩ = 80

Tutti (includes optional soloists)
mf — *sempre molto legato* ————— *f*

Soprano I
We _____ we_ give thanks, ___ thanks _____

Tutti (includes optional soloists)
mp - *sempre molto legato* ————— *mf* ————— *f*

Soprano II
We _____ we_ give_ thanks, _____ thanks

Tutti (includes optional soloists)
mf *sempre molto legato* *mp* ————— *f*

Soprano III
We _____ we _____ thanks _____ thanks _____

Tutti (includes optional soloists)
mf *mp* - *sempre molto legato* ————— *mf*

Alto
We _____ give _____ thanks _____ thanks

7 *mp* **A** *mf* **Optional soloist** *f*

S. I
to you. hun - - - gry

S. II
to you. hun - - - gry

S. III
to you. hun - - gry and

A.
to you. For we were hun - - - gry and

B *mp* **Tutti (includes soloists)** *mf*

13

S. I
and and thirst-y. Our spir - its

S. II
and thirst-y. Our spir - its

S. III
and thirst-y. Our our spir - its

A.
and thirst-y. Our

19 *f* *mp* *mf* *p*

S. I lan - - - guished, with - - - in us; —

S. II lan - - - guished, with - in us; — but

S. III lan - guished, lan - guished, with - in us; —

A. lan - - - guished, with - in us; —

C *mf* *f* *cresc., poco rit.*

S. I Optional soloist (23:2) Tutti (26:4) but you — you — you — you —

S. II *mf* *f* *cresc., poco rit.* Optional soloist (23:3) Tutti (26:4) — you — you — you —

S. III *mf* *f* *cresc., poco rit.* Optional soloist Tutti (26:4) you — you — you —

A. *mf* *f* *cresc., poco rit.* Optional soloist (23:1) Tutti (26:4) but you, — you — you — you —

♩ = 65 *Strong and flowing; relax tempo*

30

S. I
 you you (de -

S. II
 you you (de - - -

S. III
 you you (de -

A.
 you you (de - -

36

S. I
 (ee - - - liv ered us!_____

S. II
 (ee - - - (ee - liv - ered

S. III
 (ee - - - liv-ered

A.
 (de - - (ee - - - (ee - liv - ered

42 **E** ♩ = 70

(Tutti) *mf* *f*

S. I You have done won - ders done won - ders for

(Tutti) *mp* *mf* *f*

S. II You have done won - ders done(won - (ders for

(Tutti) *mf* *mp* *f*

S. III You you (ders done won-ders

(Tutti) *mf* *mp* *mf*

A. You done done won-ders

48 **F**

mp *mf* *f*

S. I for us. You have sat-is- fied the thirst- y filled filled the hun -

mp *mf* *f*

S. II for us. You have sat-is- fied the thirst- y and filled filled

mp *mf* *f*

S. III for us. You have thirst- y and filled filled the (hun

mp *mf* *f*

A. for us. You the hun -

G

54 *mp* *mf* *mp* *mf*

S. I - gry — filled the hun-gry with good things. Al-le - lu - ia

S. II hun gry hun-gry good things. (Al - (le - (lu - (ia

S. III hun gry — hun - gry with good things.

A. - gry hun gry with good things. (Al (lu - (ia

Optional soloist (57:2) *mf*

Optional soloist (57:3) *mf*

Optional soloist (57:1) *mf*

59 **Tutti (60:4)** *f* *cresc.*

S. I al - le - lu - ia al - le - lu - ia al - le - lu - ia!

S. II al - le - lu - ia a - le-lu-ia - al-le lu-ia (al le - lu - ia!

S. III **Optional soloist** *mf* **Tutti (60:4)** *f* *cresc.*
al - le - lu - ia al - le-lu-ia al - le - lu-ia al - le - lu - ia!

A. **Tutti (60:4)** *f* *cresc.*
al - le - lu - ia (al - (le — al - le-lu - ia al - le - lu - ia!

H $\text{♩} = 60$
Strong and flowing; relax tempo

65

S. I
A - - - men, a - - - men, a - -
Strong and flowing; relax tempo

S. II
A - - men, a - - men, a - - - - men,
Strong and flowing; relax tempo

S. III
A - - - - men, a - - - - men, a - -
Strong and flowing; relax tempo

A.
A - - men, a - - - - - - - men, a - - men,

70

S. I
- - - men, (a - - - - - (a - - (a men.

S. II
- - - a - - - men, (a - - - - (a - - - - - men.

S. III
- - - - - men, (a - - - - - - - (a - - - - - men.

A.
a - - men, (a - - - - - (a - - - - - (a - - - - - men.