

COLLECTION MUSICALE EN FORMAT NUMÉRIQUE
ANTHEMS À 4, 5 OU 6 VOIX

Thomas Tallis (c.1505-1585)
Purge me, O Lord
à quatre voix



Nomenclature :

 *Sop.*


 *Alt.*

 *Ten.*

 *Bas.*


Purge me, O Lord from all my sin,
 And save thou me by faith from ill,
 That I may rest and dwell with thee
 Upon thy holy blessed hill :
 And, that done, grant that with true heart
 I may without hypocrisy
 Affirm the truth, detract no man,
 But do all things with equity.

Sop.




Purge me, O Lord, from all _____ my _____ sin, And

Alt.




Purge me, O Lord, _____ from all my sin, And save thou me by faith from

Ten.



Purge me, O Lord, from all my sin, _____ And save thou

Bass



Purge me, O Lord, _____ from all my sin, And save thou _____

Detailed description: This is a four-part vocal score for Soprano, Alto, Tenor, and Bass. The music is written in G major (one flat) and common time. The Soprano part begins with a half note G4, followed by quarter notes A4, B4, and C5, then a half note B4, and finally a half note G4. The Alto part starts with a half note G3, followed by quarter notes A3, B3, and C4, then a half note B3, and finally a half note G3. The Tenor part begins with a half note G2, followed by quarter notes A2, B2, and C3, then a half note B2, and finally a half note G2. The Bass part starts with a half note G1, followed by quarter notes A1, B1, and C2, then a half note B1, and finally a half note G1. The lyrics are: 'Purge me, O Lord, from all _____ my _____ sin, And' for Soprano; 'Purge me, O Lord, _____ from all my sin, And save thou me by faith from' for Alto; 'Purge me, O Lord, from all my sin, _____ And save thou' for Tenor; and 'Purge me, O Lord, _____ from all my sin, And save thou _____' for Bass. The underscores indicate where the vocalists should hold their notes or where the lyrics are not fully specified in this snippet.

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save thou me by faith from ill, That I may rest and dwell with thee

ill, by faith from ill, That I may rest and _____ dwell _____ with _____ thee

me by faith from ill, by faith from ill, That I may rest and dwell with thee Up - on thy

me by faith from ill, That I may rest and dwell with thee Up - on thy

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Up - on thy ho - ly bless - ed hill: And, ___ that done, grant

Up - on thy ho - ly bles - ed hill: And, ___ that done, grant that with

ho - ly bless - ed hill, thy ho - ly bless - ed hill. And, ___ that done, grant that with

ho - ly bless - ed hill, thy ho - ly bless - ed hill: And, ___ that done, grant

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that with true heart I may with - out hy - po - cri - sy

— true heart I may with - out hy - po - cri - sy Af -

true heart I may with - out hy - po - cri - - - sy Af -

that with true geart I may with - out hy - po - cri - sy Af - firm the

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Af - firm the truth, de - tract no man, But do all things with e - qui - ty.

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firm the truth, de - tract no man, But do all things with e - qui - ty.

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firm the truth, de - tract no man, But do all things _____ with e - qui - ty.

truth, de - tract no man, But do all things with e - qui - ty, with e - qui - ty.