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For SATB a cappella

Performance Time: Approx. 2:05

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Slow and spacious

Soprano
Alto

pp

Mm

Tenor

Solo very free mp

Sleep, — sleep to - night, — and may your dreams — be re-al-ized.

Chorus Tenors on top note

pp *div.* *continuous*

Bass

Mm

Slow and spacious

Piano
(for rehearsal only)

pp

Red. *Red.*

(Repeat held notes as necessary.)

A

continuous

Mm

(')

If the thun-der cloud pass-es rain — so let it rain, — rain down on him.

Mm

A

Red.

Mm _____ So - let it be. _____ Mm _____ So - let it be. _____

B *colla voce* **pp** *sempre*

Tenor I *All pp* Sleep, _____ sleep to - night, _____ and may your dreams _____ be re-al-ized. _____

Tenor II *pp* Sleep, _____ sleep to - night, _____ and may your dreams _____ be re-al-ized. _____

continuous

Sleep _____ to - night, _____ dream _____ re-al-ized. _____

B

And.

If sung by a large choir then all chord notes should be held continuously by staggering the breathing. This is mainly for the lower voices, except on the top line of pg. 3, where preferably everyone holds their notes right through, until all coming off together at the end of the line. Should a smaller group of singers perform this piece, then breaths can be taken where there are *'s marked - but only an eighth note or short quarter note.

C

thun-der cloud pass-es rain ____ so let it rain, ____ let it rain, ____

Tenor II
If the thun-der cloud pass-es rain ____ so let it rain, ____ let it rain, ____

thun-der cloud pass-es rain so let it rain, it rain, (Optional notes if low C is not possible.)

C

thun-der cloud pass-es rain ____ so let it rain, ____ let it rain, ____

thun-der cloud pass-es rain so let it rain, it rain, (Optional notes if low C is not possible.)

Slower

a niente

rain on ____ him. *a niente*

rain on him. *a niente*

rain on him. *a niente*

Slower

rain on ____ him. *a niente*

rain on him. *a niente*

rain on him. *a niente*

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