

# Andrew Millington

*My Spirit longeth for thee*

anthem for mixed voices

My Spirit longeth for thee  
Within my troubled breast,  
Although I be unworthy  
Of so divine a guest.

Of so divine a guest  
Unworthy though I be,  
Yet has my heart no rest  
Unless it come from thee.

Unless it come from thee,  
In vain I look around;  
In all that I can see,  
No rest is to be found.

No rest is to be found  
But in thy blessed Love;  
O! let my wish be crowned,  
And send it from above!

John Byrom (1672–1763)

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**Espressivo** ♩ = c. 60

*mp*

SOPRANO  
With-in my troub-led

ALTO  
*mp*  
My Spi - rit long-eth

TENOR  
*mp*  
My Spi-rit long-eth for thee

BASS  
*mp*  
My Spi - rit long-eth

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*mp*

for rehearsal only

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*mf* *p*

breast, Al-though I be un-wor-thy Of

*mf* *p*

with-in my troub-led breast, Al-though I be un-wor-thy Of

*mf* *p*

with-in my troub-led breast, Al-though I be un-wor-thy Of

*mf* *p*

Al-though I be un-wor-thy Of

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*mp*

so di - vine a guest. Of so di - vine a guest

*mp*

so di - vine a guest. Of so di - vine a

so di - vine a guest.

so di - vine a guest.

*mp*

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*mf*

Yet has my heart no rest

*mf*

guest Yet has my heart no rest

*mf*

Un-wor - thy though I be, my heart no rest

*mf*

Un-wor - thy though I be, my heart no rest

*mf*

*mf*

16 *mp* *mf* 3

Un - less it come from thee. Un-less it come from thee, \_\_\_\_\_

*mp* *mf* 3

Un - less it come from thee. it

*mp* *mf* 3

Un - less it come from thee. Un-less it come from thee, \_\_\_\_\_

*mp* *mf* 3

Un - less it come from thee. it

20 *f* 3

\_\_\_\_\_ In vain I look a - round; In all \_\_\_\_\_

come from thee, In vain I look a - round; In all \_\_\_\_\_

*f* 3

\_\_\_\_\_ In vain I look a - round; In all \_\_\_\_\_

come from thee, In vain I look I look a - round; In all \_\_\_\_\_

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— that I can see, \_\_\_\_\_ *mf* No rest \_\_\_\_\_ is to be

— that I can see, \_\_\_\_\_

— that I can see, I \_\_\_\_\_ can see, *mf* No rest \_\_\_\_\_ is to be

— all\_ that I can see,

*mf*

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found. *pp* No rest is to be found. *p* No rest \_\_\_\_\_ is to be

*pp* No rest is to be found. *p* No rest \_\_\_\_\_ is to be

*pp* found. No rest is to be found.

*pp* No rest is to be found.

*pp* *p*