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Tho' I fly on the wings of the morning

a song for voice(s) and piano

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Tho' I fly on the wings of the morning

Words: drawn from Psalm 139

Words and Music:
Peter Skellern (1947–2017)

Allegro ♩ = 80
mp

VOICE(S)

PIANO

1. You are my now and for-ev - er, the mean-ing of my days.
when I a-wa-ken, and when I close my eyes.

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— You are my hold - ing to-geth - er, the weav - er of my ways.
— Your love will nev - er be sha - ken, a love that nev - er dies.

7

mf

— You are my con - stant hope, you are my ev - 'ry
— You are my bright - est star, you are my sur - est

mf

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Composed in 2016, this is a love song either to God or to some undefined divinity or to a person.
The piece can be performed both as a solo song and a congregational song.

11 *cresc.*

pray'r, and when it's hard to cope I know that
guide, tho' I may drift too far you will be

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14 *f* *mp*

you'll be there. 2. You're with me
by my

f *mp*

18 *f* *ff* *f*

side. Tho' I

21

fly on the wings of the morn - ing, tho' I sail to the end of the
 car - ried o'er moor - land and moun - tain, tho' I'm friend - less and poor as can

24

sea, tho' I'm far from my home, a friend and a - lone you will
 be, in the dark - ness of night or day's piec - ing light you will

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al - ways be there with me. Tho' I'm
 al - ways be there with me.

1. *f* 2. *f*

30

34 *mp*

3. You are my now and for-ev-er, the mean-ing of my days.

f *mp*

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You are my hold - ing to-geth - er, the weav - er of my ways.

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41 *mf*

You are my con - stant hope you are my ev - 'ry

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mf

45 *cresc.*

pray'r, and when it's hard to cope I know that

cresc.