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## To You, O Lord, I Lift My Soul (Psalm 25)

SATB Choir, Keyboard, Guitar and Solo Instrument

Psalm 25

Christopher Walker

**INTRO** *Peacefully* (♩ = ca. 84)

Keyboard

G C/G D/G G

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REFRAIN

Soprano *mp* G C D G

Alto To you, O Lord, I lift my soul.

Tenor

Bass *mp*

G/B C D 1-3 G to Verses Final G Fine

In you, O Lord, I trust. } 1. In trust.  
2. For  
3. All

G/B C D 1-3 G to Verses Final G Fine

REFRAINS

**VERSES**

1. you I trust, let me not be put to shame.  
 2. you are God, my sal - va - tion, O Lord.  
 3. those who love know the friend - ship of the Lord.

1. No one who waits for me will be put to shame.  
 2. Teach me your paths and lead me in truth.  
 3. He makes his cov - e - nant known to them.

**COMPOSER NOTES**

## Composer Notes

This *To You, O Lord, I Lift My Soul* can be found in two recordings, *Morning and Evening—Prayer for the commute* (double CD 20099, songbook 20139), and *Glory Bound* (CD 20638, octavo packet 20639), a compilation of pieces from *Morning and Evening*.

The piece originated as a children's psalm for school masses. This edition may be used with children or adult voices. You may like to repeat the refrain after each verse in unison and then in harmony. The given keyboard part is very basic; feel free to embellish on the chords, but keep it simple. Choir harmony parts are optional. The verses may be sung by a soloist or a unison choir or everyone. For variety, play the instrument part up an octave.

### Liturgical Use:

This may be sung as a responsorial psalm or as a meditation piece after communion. It is especially suitable to be sung at prayer services and retreats.

# Assembly Edition

**TO YOU, O LORD, I LIFT MY SOUL**  
(Psalm 25)

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Refrain

To you, O Lord, I lift my soul.

In you, O Lord, I put my trust. *(Fine)*

Verses

1. In you I trust, let me not be put to shame.  
2. For you are God, my sal - vation, O Lord.  
3. All those who love know the friend-ship of the Lord.

to Refrain

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2. Teach me your paths and lead me in truth.  
3. He makes his c - e - n - a - m - e known to them.

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SOLO INSTRUMENT

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♩ REFRAIN  
*a tempo*

1-3 to Verses Final *Fine*

VERSES 1-3 *D.S.*