

OCP Choral Series

Renew Us

Assembly, SATB Choir, Descant, Keyboard, Guitar, and Flute

IN BABILONE, 87 87 D

Oude en Nieuwe Hollanste Boerenlities, c. 1710

Descant by Randall DeBruyn

Gail Coon

INTRO: *Moderato*

Keyboard

Descant § VERSES:

3. Free - dom, Cry of jus - tice,

Soprano/Melody

1. Cre - a - tor God, we are your peo - ple
 2. You who made the stars of heav - en,
 3. Call of free - dom, Cry of jus - tice,

Tenor

Bass

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3. Voice of the voice - less, be our song! Wis - dom, -

1. born of the wa - ter, saved by your Son. Heal the wound - ed,
 2. You who made the blazing sun, You the Light of
 3. Voice of the voice - less: be our song! Song of Wis - dom,

3. Song of Mer - cy, all cre - a - tion: sing as one!

1. cleanse our spir - its, fill our hearts with the fire of your love.
 2. peace and jus - tice: free your peo - ple, make us one.
 3. Song of Mer - cy, all cre - a - tion: sing as one!

3. Source of strength and gentle courage,

1. Help us to walk your path of justice, led by your
 2. Banish shadows of rejection; break the
 3. Source of strength and gentle courage, be our

3. safe - ty and our hope. Re - new, that

1. light of love and com - pas - sion.
 2. chains of ap - a - thy. } Re - new us, God, that
 3. safe - ty, be our hope. }

3. we — your peo - ple help re - new the — face of earth. *Fine*

1.-3. we your — peo - ple help re - new the — face — of the earth. *D.S. Fine*

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Performance Notes

Renew Us was written for the Baker Diocese of Eastern Oregon when it began the Renew program.

During Lent and Advent we soon began using the Refrain for a response for the General Intercessions and at other times we used the Refrain for the Penitential Rite. During Lent the song can be used during the Scrutinies and for the sending forth of the catechumens, or at the end of the liturgy.

The AABA form and the familiar hymn *IN BABILONE* help make *Renew Us* easy to learn. The B section of the song can be sung *legato* to give it added contrast to the A sections.

However you sing the song, sing it with energy!

—G.C.

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FLUTE

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Arranged by Randall DeBruyn

INTRO: Moderato

Musical notation for the Intro section, Moderato tempo, starting with a mezzo-forte (*mf*) dynamic. The key signature is one sharp (F#) and the time signature is 4/4. The melody consists of eighth and quarter notes with slurs.

VERSE 1: Tacet

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VERSE 2:

Musical notation for Verse 2, starting with a mezzo-forte (*mf*) dynamic. The melody continues with eighth and quarter notes.

Musical notation for Verse 2, continuing the melody with eighth and quarter notes.

Musical notation for Verse 2, continuing the melody with eighth and quarter notes.

Musical notation for Verse 2, including mezzo-piano (*mp*) and mezzo-forte (*mf*) dynamics. The melody continues with eighth and quarter notes.

VERSE 3: Tacet à fine

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(Guitar/Vocal)

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INTRO: *Moderato*

mf G Am G/B Em Am D G Am D G/B Em

VERSES:

D D7 G G Am G/B Em Am7 D G

Melody

1. Cre - a - tor God, we are your peo - ple
 2. You who made the stars of heav - en,
 3. Call of free - dom, Cry of jus - tice,

Descant

3. Free dom, Cry of jus - tice,

Am7 D G Em D D7 G Am G/B Em

1. born of the wa - ter, saved by your Son. Heal the wound - ed,
 2. You who made the blaz - ing sun, You the Light of
 3. Voice of the voice - less: be our song! Song of Wis - dom,

3. Voice of the voice - less, be our song! Wis - dom,

Am D G Am7 D G/B Em D D7 G

1. cleanse our spir - its, fill our hearts with the fire of your love.
 2. peace and jus - tice: free your peo - ple, make us one.
 3. Song of Mer - cy, all cre - a - tion: sing as one!

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Em Dm C Dm Am E Am D G/B Em

1. Help us to walk your path of jus - tice, led by your light of
 2. Ban - ish shad - ows of re - jec - tion; break the chains of
 3. Source of strength and gen - tle cour - age, be our safe - ty,

3. Source of strength and gen - tle cour - age, safe - ty

D/F# G A7 D G Am G/B Em Am7 D

1. love and com - pas - sion.)
 2. ap - a - thy.) Re - new us, God, that we your
 3. be our hope.) Re - new, that we your

3. and our hope. Re - new, that we your

G Am7 D G/B Em D D7 G *D.S. Fine*


1.-3. peo - ple help re - new the face of the earth. *D.S. Fine*

3. peo - ple help re - new the face of earth. *D.S. Fine*


Assembly Edition

RENEW US

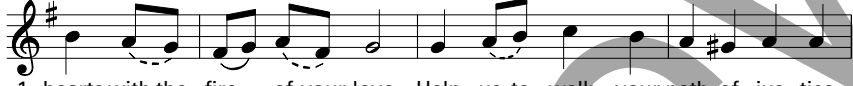
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1. Cre - a - tor _ God, _ we are your peo - ple born of the wa - ter, _
 2. ♯ You who _ made the stars of _ heav-en, You who _ made the _
 3. ♯ Call of _ free - dom, Cry of _ jus - tice, Voice of the voice - less: _




1. saved _ by your Son. Heal the _ wound-ed, cleanse our _ spir - its, fill our _
 2. blaz - ing _ sun, You the _ Light of peace and _ jus - tice: free your _
 3. be _ our _ song! Song of _ Wis - dom, Song of _ Mer - cy, all cre -



1. hearts with the fire _ of your love. Help us to walk your path of jus - tice,
 2. peo - ple, _ make us _ one. Ban - ish _ shad - ows of re - jec - tion;
 3. a - tion: _ sing _ as _ one! Source of _ strength and gen - tle cour - age,



1. led by your light of love and com - pas - sion.
 2. break the _ chains of ap - a - thy. _ } Re - new us, _ God, that
 3. be our _ safe - ty, be our _ hope. _ }



1.-3. we your _ peo - ple help re - new the _ face _ of the earth.

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