

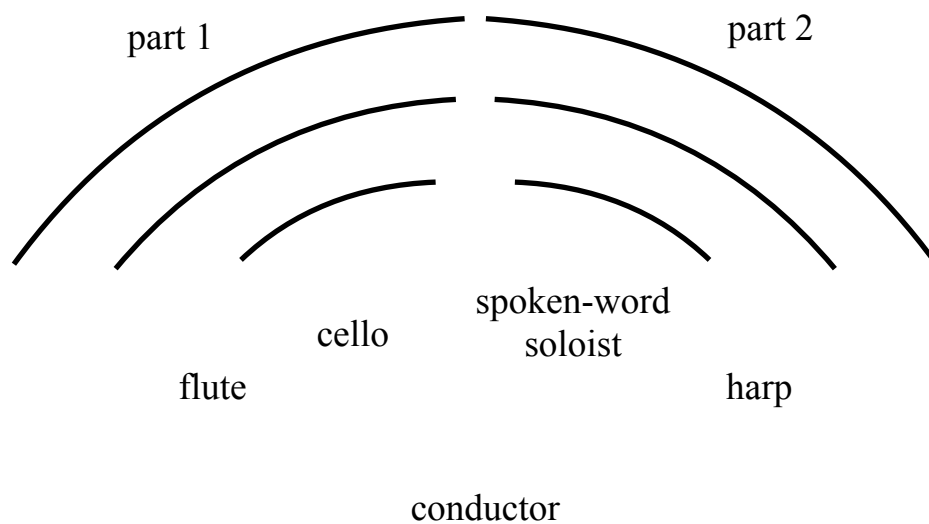
Composer's note

The text for this piece is taken from The Jesus Storybook Bible by Sally Lloyd-Jones, set for a 2-voice children's choir.

The three spoken word solos are to be performed by a single choir member. Alternatively, they may be divided and performed by different soloists.

God bless you and your group as you play and perform this music!

Stage suggestion



Psalm 23

The Song of the Shepherd

Lyrics

A God is my Shepherd
And I am his little lamb.
God is my Shepherd
And I am his little lamb.

He feeds me (He feeds me)
He guides me (He guides me)
He looks after me. (He looks after me)
I have everything I need.

B * Inside, my heart is very quiet.
As quiet as lying still in soft green grass
In a meadow
By a little stream.

Even when I walk through
the dark, scary, lonely places
I won't be afraid
Because my Shepherd knows where I am.

C God is my Shepherd
And I am his little lamb.
God is my Shepherd
And I am his little lamb.

He feeds me (He feeds me)
He guides me (He guides me)
He looks after me. (He looks after me)
I have everything I need.

D * He is here with me
He keeps me safe
He rescues me
He makes me strong
And brave.

He is getting wonderful things ready for me
Especially for me
Everything I ever dreamed of!

E God is my Shepherd
And I am his little lamb.
God is my Shepherd
And I am his little lamb.

He feeds me (He feeds me)
He guides me (He guides me)
He looks after me. (He looks after me)
I have everything I need.

F * He fills my heart so full of happiness
I can't hold it all inside.

Wherever I go I know
God's Never Stopping
Never Giving Up
Unbreaking
Always and Forever Love
Will go, too!

G God is my Shepherd
And I am his little lamb.
God is my Shepherd
And I am his little lamb.

He feeds me (He feeds me)
He guides me (He guides me)
He looks after me. (He looks after me)
I have everything.

H He feeds me (He feeds me)
He guides me (He guides me)
He looks after me. (He looks after me)
I have everything I need.
I have everything I need.
I have everything I need.
Amen!

*** Spoken word solo, performed either by a single choir member or divided and performed by different soloists.**

Psalm 23

The Song of the Shepherd

Duration: 7'

Megan Metheny (b.1979)

Freely, like a recitative (♩ = 75)

1

Cello

Harp

3

Vc.

Hp.

4

Vc.

Hp.