

Hallelujah Chorus (from "The Messiah")

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Note: This vocal score conforms to most editions.
Rehearsal letters "A", "B", etc... conform to the G. Schirmer edition.

The musical score is written in D major (two sharps) and 4/4 time. It begins with a piano introduction of 4 measures. The vocal parts (Soprano, Alto, Tenor, Bass) enter in measure 4 and sing the lyrics "Hal - le - lu - jah!". The piano accompaniment includes chords (D, G, D, A7, D, A7, D, Asus, A7, D) and a steady bass line. The score is marked with a 4 at the bottom left.

le - lu - jah! Hal - le - lu - jah! Hal - le - lu - jah! Hal - le -

le - lu - jah! Hal - le - lu - jah! Hal - le - lu - jah! Hal - le -

le - lu - jah! Hal - le - lu - jah! Hal - le - lu - jah! Hal - le -

le - lu - jah! Hal - le - lu - jah! Hal - le - lu - jah! Hal - le -

A⁷ D A⁷ D A⁷ D A D A A D A

7

lu - jah! Hal - le - lu - jah! Hal - le - lu - jah! For the Lord God om - ni - po - tent

lu - jah! Hal - le - lu - jah! Hal - le - lu - jah! For the Lord God om - ni - po - tent

lu - jah! Hal - le - lu - jah! Hal - le - lu - jah! For the Lord God om - ni - po - tent

lu - jah! Hal - le - lu - jah! Hal - le - lu - jah! For the Lord God om - ni - po - tent

D A D A A D A D A E⁷ A D A

10

A

reign - eth. Hal - le - lu - jah! Hal - le - lu - jah! Hal - le - lu - jah! Hal - le - lu - jah!

reign - eth. Hal - le - lu - jah! Hal - le - lu - jah! Hal - le - lu - jah! Hal - le - lu - jah! For the Lord

reign - eth. Hal - le - lu - jah! Hal - le - lu - jah! Hal - le - lu - jah! Hal - le - lu - jah! For the Lord

reign - eth. Hal - le - lu - jah! Hal - le - lu - jah! Hal - le - lu - jah! Hal - le - lu - jah! For the Lord

A D A D A D A D A

14

Hal - le - lu - jah! Hal - le - lu - jah! Hal - le -

God om - ni - po - tent reign - eth Hal - le - lu - jah! Hal - le - lu - jah! Hal - le -

God om - ni - po - tent reign - eth Hal - le - lu - jah! Hal - le - lu - jah! Hal - le -

God om - ni - po - tent reign - eth Hal - le - lu - jah! Hal - le - lu - jah! Hal - le -

D G D G D

18

B

lu - jah! Hal-le-lu - jah! For the Lord God om - ni - po - tent

lu - jah! Hal-le-lu - jah! Hal-le - lu - jah! Hal-le - lu - jah! Hal -

lu - jah! Hal-le-lu - jah! Hal-le-lu - jah! Hal-le - lu - jah! Hal -

lu - jah! Hal-le-lu - jah!

G D G D D A D G A D

21

reign - - - eth. Hal-le - lu-jah! Hal-le-lu-jah! Hal-le-lu - jah! Hal-le - lu-jah! Hal -

lu-jah! Hal-le-lu - jah! Hal-le-lu-jah! Hal-le-lu-jah! Hal - le-lu - jah! Hal-le - lu-jah! Hal -

le - lu - jah! Hal-le-lu-jah! For the Lord God om - ni - po-tent

Hal-le-lu - jah! For the Lord God om - ni - po-tent

A D A G A D E7 A

24

le - lu - jah! Hal-le-lu-jah! Hal-le-lu-jah! Hal-le-lu-jah! Hal-le-lu-jah! Hal-le-lu-jah!

le - lu - jah! Hal-le-lu-jah! Hal-le-lu-jah! For the Lord

reign - eth. Hal-le-lu-jah! Hal-le-lu-jah! Hal-le-lu-jah! For the Lord

reign - eth. Hal-le-lu-jah! Hal-le-lu-jah! Hal-le-lu-jah! Hal-le-lu-jah! Hal-le-lu-jah!

27

Hal-le-lu-jah! Hal-le-lu-jah! Hal-le-lu-jah! Hal-le-lu-jah! Hal-le-lu-jah! Hal-le-lu-jah!

God om - ni - po - tent reign - - - eth. Hal-le-lu-jah! Hal-le-lu-jah!

God om - ni - po - tent reign - - - eth. Hal-le-lu-jah!

lu - jah! Hal-le-lu-jah! Hal-le-lu-jah! Hal-le-lu-jah! Hal-le-lu-jah! Hal-le-lu-jah!

30

C

The king - dom of this world is be - come the

The king - dom of this world is be - come the

The king - dom of this world is be - come the

The king - dom of this world is be - come the

33

D

king - dom of our Lord, and of His Christ, and of His Christ.

king - dom of our Lord, and of His Christ, and of His Christ.

king - dom of our Lord, and of His Christ, and of His Christ.

king - dom of our Lord, and of His Christ, and of His Christ. And He shall

38

And He shall reign for - ev - er and ev - - -
reign for - ev - er and ev - er, for - ev - er and ev - er, and He shall

42

And
And He shall reign for - ev - er and ev - - - er, for - ev - er
er, and He shall reign for - ev - er and ev - - - er,
reign, and He shall reign for - ev - er, for - ev - er, for - ev - er, for -
46

He shall reign for - ev - er and ev - - - er. King of kings,
and ev - er, for - ev - er and ev - er, King of kings,
and He shall reign for - ev - er and ev - er, for - ev - er and
ev - er and ev - er, for - ev - er, for - ev - er and ev - er, for - ev - er and

49

and Lord of Lords.
and Lord of lords.
ev - er, Hal - le - lu - jah! Hal - le - lu - jah! for - ev - er and
ev - er, Hal - le - lu - jah! Hal - le - lu - jah! for - ev - er and
D A D A D A A D A

53

King of kings,

for - ev - er and

ev - er, Hal - le - lu - jah! Hal - le - lu - jah! for - ev - er and

ev - er, Hal - le - lu - jah! Hal - le - lu - jah! for - ev - er and

D A D A D A D G D

56

and Lord of Lords.

ev - er, Hal - le - lu - jah! Hal - le - lu - jah! for - ev - er and

ev - er, Hal - le - lu - jah! Hal - le - lu - jah! for - ev - er and

ev - er, Hal - le - lu - jah! Hal - le - lu - jah! for - ev - er and

G D G D G D E A E

59

King of kings,

ev - er, Hal - le - lu - jah! Hal - le - lu - jah! for - ev - er and

ev - er, Hal - le - lu - jah! Hal - le - lu - jah! for - ev - er and

ev - er, Hal - le - lu - jah! Hal - le - lu - jah! for - ev - er and

A E A E A E F# Bm F#

62

and Lord of Lords, and Lord of

ev - er, Hal - le - lu - jah! Hal - le - lu - jah! King of kings, and Lord of

ev - er, Hal - le - lu - jah! Hal - le - lu - jah! King of kings, and Lord of

ev - er, Hal - le - lu - jah! Hal - le - lu - jah! King of kings, and Lord of

Bm F# Bm/F# Bm G/B A7/C# D A/D D A7/D

65

lords, and He shall reign, and

Lords, and He shall reign and He shall

Lords, and He shall reign and He shall reign,

Lords, and He shall reign for - ev - er and ev - - - er,

A

69

He shall reign for - ev - er and ev - er, for-ev-er and

reign for - ev - er and ev - er, King of kings, for-ev-er and

and He shall reign for - ev - er and ev - er, King of kings

and He shall reign for - ev - er and ev - er, King of kings, for-ev-er and

D **D G D**

72

ev - er, Hal - le - lu - jah! Hal - le - lu - jah! And He shall

ev - er, and Lord of lords. Hal - le - lu - jah! Hal - le - lu - jah! And

and Lord of lords. And He shall

ev - er, and Lord of lords. Hal - le - lu - jah! Hal - le - lu - jah! And He shall

G D D G D G D

76

reign for - ev - er, for - ev - er and ev - - - er. King of

He shall reign for - ev - er and ev - - - er, King of

reign for - ev - er, for - ev - er and ev - - - er, King of

reign for - ev - er, for - ev - er and ev - - - er, King of

Bm D G D F# A⁷ E D Asus A D

79

82

kings! and Lord of lords! King of kings! and Lord of
kings! and Lord of lords! King of kings! and Lord of
kings! and Lord of lords! King of kings! and Lord of
kings! and Lord of lords! King of kings! and Lord of

The first system of the musical score, measures 82-85. It features four vocal staves (Soprano, Alto, Tenor, Bass) and a piano accompaniment. The lyrics are: "kings! and Lord of lords! King of kings! and Lord of kings! and Lord of lords! King of kings! and Lord of kings! and Lord of lords! King of kings! and Lord of". The piano part has a busy texture with many sixteenth notes.

85

lords! and He shall reign for - ev - er and ev - - -
lords! And He shall reign for - ev - er and ev - - -
lords! And He shall reign for - ev - er and ev - - -
lords! And He shall reign for - ev - er, for - ev - er and ev - - -

D F# Bm D G D F# A7 E D Asus A

The second system of the musical score, measures 86-89. It continues the vocal and piano parts. The lyrics are: "lords! and He shall reign for - ev - er and ev - - - lords! And He shall reign for - ev - er and ev - - - lords! And He shall reign for - ev - er and ev - - - lords! And He shall reign for - ev - er, for - ev - er and ev - - -". The piano part includes chord markings: D, F#, Bm, D, G, D, F#, A7, E, D, Asus, A.

er. King of kings! and Lord of lords! Hal-le-lu-jah! Hal-le-
er, for-ev-er, and ev-er, for-ev-er, and ev-er. Hal-le-lu-jah! Hal-le-
er, for-ev-er, and ev-er, for-ev-er, and ev-er. Hal-le-lu-jah! Hal-le-
er, for-ev-er, and ev-er, for-ev-er, and ev-er. Hal-le-lu-jah! Hal-le-
D G D G D G D G D
lu-jah! Hal-le-lu-jah! Hal-le-lu-jah! Hal-le-lu-jah!

lu-jah! Hal-le-lu-jah! Hal-le-lu-jah! Hal-le-lu-jah!
lu-jah! Hal-le-lu-jah! Hal-le-lu-jah! Hal-le-lu-jah!
lu-jah! Hal-le-lu-jah! Hal-le-lu-jah! Hal-le-lu-jah!
lu-jah! Hal-le-lu-jah! Hal-le-lu-jah! Hal-le-lu-jah!
G D G D G D D G D
lu-jah! Hal-le-lu-jah! Hal-le-lu-jah! Hal-le-lu-jah!

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Note: This Lead Sheet is intended to serve merely as a reference.
For the complete vocal score and accompaniment, please refer to the Piano/Vocal part.

Lead Sheet for SAT (Soprano, Alto, Tenor/Bass) parts.

Chords: C, F, C, C, G⁷, C, G⁷, C, G^{sus}, G⁷, C

4 Hal - le - lu - jah! Hal - le - lu - jah!

8 G, C G, G, C G, C G, C G, C G, C G, D⁷ G, C G

12 (Tutti) For the Lord God om - ni - po - tent reign - eth.

16 C G, C G, C

20 F C, F C, F C, F C (Sop.) For the Lord God om - ni - po - tent

24 (Ten./Bass) reign - eth. For the Lord God om - ni - po - tent reign - eth.

28 C, G, (Alto/Ten.) C

For the Lord God om - ni - po - tent reign - eth.

Lead Sheet (SAT)

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Key: C

32 The king - dom of this world

36 is be - come the king - dom of our Lord, and of His

40 Christ, and of His Christ. And He shall reign for - ev - er and ev - er, And

44 He shall reign for - ev - er and ev - er, And He shall reign for - ev - er and

48 ev - er, And He shall reign for - ev - er and ev - er. King of

52 kings, and Lord of Lords.

56 King of kings,

59 and Lord of Lords.

62 King of kings,

Lead Sheet
(SAT)

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Key: C

65 Am E Am/E Am F and Lord of Lords,

68 G⁷/B C G/C C G⁷/C G (Bass) (Sop.) and He shall reign for - ev - er and ev - er, and

72 C (Tutti) C F C He shall reign for - ev - er and ev - er, King of kings,

76 F C C F C F C /E Am C F C/E and Lord of lords.

80 G⁷/D C G^{sus} G G C King of kings! and Lord of lords! King of

84 C/E (Tutti) And Am He C F C/E G⁷/D C G^{sus} G kings! and Lord of lords! (Bass) And He shall

88 C F C F C F C F C for - ev - er, and ev - er,

91 F C F C F C C F C Hal - le - lu - jah!