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Text: based on Isaiah 40:9,
Authorised Version

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O Sion, that bringest good tidings

An Anthem out of the 40th Chap: of Isaiah.

The musical score consists of three staves (Treble, Bass, Alto) and three endings (1., 2., 3.). The music is in common time, with various key signatures (G major, C major, F major, D major, A major, E major). The lyrics are as follows:

O Si - on, that bring est good tid ings,good tid ings of peace, good
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O Si - on, that bring est good tid ings,good tid ings of peace, good tid ings of peace, good
tid ings,good tid - ings of peace, Get thee up in - to the high
peace, good tid - ings of peace, Get thee up in-to the high moun - tain, the high
tid ings,good tid - ings of peace, Get thee up in-to the high moun - tain, the high moun -
tain; O Je - ru - sa - lem, that bring - est,that bring - est good
moun - tain; O Je - ru - sa - lem, that bring - est good tid - ings,that bring - est good
- tain; O Je - ru - sa - lem, that bring - est good tid - ings, O Je - ru - sa - lem,that bring - est good
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tid ings, O Je - ru - sa - lem,that bring - est,that bring - est good tid ings. tid ings.
Lift up thy voice, be
Lift up thy voice, lift up thy voice with strength;lift it up, lift it up, be
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Allegro

not a fraid. Lift up thy voice, lift it up with strength.

Say un-to the ci - ties of Ju - dah,

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ci - ties of Ju - dah, say un-to the ci - ties, Be hold your God! Hal-le - lu - jah, hal-le - lu - jah,

Ju - dah, say un-to the ci - ties of Ju - dah, Be hold your God! Hal-le - lu - jah, hal-le - lu - jah,

say un-to the ci - ties, the ci - ties of Ju - dah, Be hold your God! Hal-le - lu - jah, hal-le - lu - jah,

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hal - le - lu - jah, hal - le - lu - jah.

hal - le - lu - jah, hal - le - lu - jah.

hal - le - lu - jah, hal - le - lu - jah.

Emendations: This is the original order of parts: the original clefs are alto, treble and bass. No other indication is given of part allocations. Repeats are marked in the source by double bars and % signs, sometimes with first and second time bars.