

# Psalm 42

*Wie der Hirsch schreit nach frischem Wasser - op. 42*

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**Lento**

Piano {

S. A. T. B.

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1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20

p sf f Ped. \*

p As the hart longs for streams of

p As the hart longs for streams of wa - ter

p wa - ter, O God, so my spir - it longs for thee, as the hart longs for streams of

p As the hart longs for streams of wa - ter

mfp As the

16 *cresc.*

S. as the hart for streams of wa - ter, O God, so my spir - it longs for thee.

A. wa - ter, for streams of wa - ter, O God, so my spir - it longs for thee, O God, so my

T. for streams of wa - ter, for streams of wa-ter, O God, so my spir - it longs for thee, O

B. *cresc.* hart longs for streams of wa - ter, O God, so my spir - it longs for thee, for

Pno. *f* *p*

*p* 22 *cresc.*

S. O God, so my spir - it longs for thee, for thee, as the hart longs for streams of

A. spir - it longs for thee, so my spir - it longs for thee, as the hart for streams of wa -

T. *cresc.* God, so my spir - it longs, O God, so my spir - it longs for thee, as the hart for streams of

B. *cresc.* thee, for thee, O God, so my spir - it longs for thee, as the hart for streams of

Pno. *f* *cresc.* *f*

S. 32 - it longs for thee,  
A. thee, longs for thee,  
T. 8 spir - it longs for thee,  
B. spir - it longs for thee,

Pno. *p* *f*

36 *p*

S. O God, so my spir - it longs for thee, longs

A. O God, so my

T.

B.

Pno. *p*

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S. for thee, for thee, O God, so my spir -

A. spir - it longs for thee, longs for thee,

T. O God, so my spir - it longs for

B.

Pno.

42

S. it longs for thee, for thee, O God, so my

A. for thee, for thee, for thee,

T. thee, longs for thee, for thee,

B. O God, so my spir - it longs for thee, longs for

Pno. *sempre p*

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S. spir - it longs for thee, for thee, -

A. - - - O God, so my spir - it longs for

T. - - - longs for thee, O God, so my spir - it

B. - - - thee, so my spir - it, my spir - it longs for

Pno. *cresc.*

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S. spir - it longs for thee, as the hart  
A. spir - it longs, as the hart longs, as the hart  
T. spir - it longs for thee,  
B. spir - it longs for thee,  
Pno.

S. *longs, o God, so my spir - it longs for thee,*

A. *longs, O God, so my spir - it longs for thee,*

T. *O God, so my spir - it longs for thee, as the hart*

B. *O God, so my spir - it longs for thee,*

Pno. *ff*

58

Soprano (S.) vocal line:

A. (Alto) vocal line:

Tenor (T.) vocal line:

Bass (B.) vocal line:

Piano (Pno.) accompaniment:

Text lyrics:

O God, so my spirit - it longs for  
 O God, so my spirit - it longs for  
 longs, as the hart longs, O God, so my spirit - it longs for  
 as the hart longs, O God, so my spirit - it longs for

**ff** dynamic markings appear above the vocal staves at measure 58.

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S. thee, O God, so my spir - it longs for thee, as the hart longs, as the

A. thee, O God, so my spir - it longs for thee, as the hart longs, as the hart, the

T. thee, O God, so my spir - it longs for thee, as the hart longs, as the hart, the

B. thee, O God, so my spir - it longs for thee, as the hart longs, as the

Pno.

64

S. hart longs, \_\_\_\_\_

A. hart longs, as the hart longs for streams of

T. hart longs, \_\_\_\_\_

B. hart longs, as the hart longs for streams of

Pno.

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S. - - - - -

A. wa - ter, O God, so my spir - it longs for thee, O

T. - - - - -

B. wa - ter, O God, so my spir - it longs for thee, O

Pno. { - - - - -

O God, so my spir - it longs for thee, O

p

72

74

S. — so my spir - - - it longs for thee, for

A. God, so my spir - it longs for thee, for thee, for thee,

T. God, so my spir - it longs for thee, longs for thee, for thee,

B. God, so my spir - - - it longs for thee, for thee,

Pno. { - - - - -

p

76

p

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S. *f*

thee, so my spir - it longs\_ for thee, as the hart longs for streams of

A. *f* *sf*

longs for thee, for thee, as the hart longs for streams of

T. *f* *sf.*

for thee, for thee, as the hart longs for streams of

B. *f* *sf.*

O God, so my spir - it for thee, as the hart longs for streams of

Pno. *f*

82 *p*

S. wa - ter, O God, so my spir - it longs for thee.

A. wa - ter, O God, so my spir - it longs for thee.

T. *p*  
8 wa - ter, O God, so my spir - it longs for thee.

B. *p* wa - ter, O God, so my spir - it longs for thee.

Pno. *p* *Ped.* \*