

# Why Did You Pass Me By?

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Text taken from 'Death' by Charles Hudson, Psalm 116 and Isaiah Chapter 2

♩ = c.50

*mf* *mp* *mf*

Tenor Solo

Why did you pass me by, why? We've of-ten met be-fore, you and I, fa-

Soprano

Alto

Tenor

Bass

Organ

*ppp* *mp*

Ped.



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T. Solo

mi - liar on the field of war. —

S.

The sor - rows of death

A.

The sor - rows of death

T.

The sor - rows of death

B.

sor - rows of death

Org.

*pp* *p* *mf*

Without Ped.

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T. Solo

S. *f* *mf* *mp*  
 com-passed me\_ and the powers of hell gat hold up-on me; I found

A. *f*  
 and the powers of hell the powers of hell gat hold up -

T. *f*  
 and the powers of hell gat hold, the powers of hell gat hold up -

B. *f*  
 and the powers of hell gat hold, the powers of hell gat hold up -

Org. *f*

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T. Solo

S. *p* *ff*  
 trou-ble and sor- row. Then called I up - on the name of the Lord

A. *p* *ff*  
 -on me: I found trou-ble and sor- row. called I up - on the name of the Lord

T. *p* *ff*  
 on me: I found trou-ble and sor-row. Then called I up - on the name of the Lord

B. *p* *ff*  
 -on me: I found trou-ble and sor- row. called I on the Lord

Org. *p* *ff*

Ped.

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T. Solo *mf* Why did you pass me by? *p*

S. Solo *mp* de - li-ver my soul.

S. *pp* O Lord

A. *pp* O Lord I be-seech thee de - li - ver my soul. *p* For thou hast de

T. *pp* O Lord I be-seech thee de - li - ver my soul. *p* For thou hast de

B. *pp* O Lord I be-seech thee de - li - ver my soul. *p* For thou de

Org. *pp* *p*

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T. Solo *mf* We've met in hos - pi - tals be - fore,

S. O Lord,

A. *mp* *pp* *mp* li-vered my soul from death, mine eyes from tears and my feet from fall - ing...

T. *mp* *pp* *mp* li-vered my soul from death, mine eyes from tears and my feet from fall - ing...

B. *mp* *pp* *mp* li-vered my soul from death, mine eyes from tears and my feet from fall - ing...

Org. *mp* *pp* *mp*

Ped.

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T. Solo *mf* In peace-ful times, in times of war. Why

S. *p* *mf* I will walk be-fore the Lord in the land of the li - ving.

A. *pp* *p* *mf* I will walk be-fore the Lord in the land of the li - ving.

T. *pp* *p* *mf* I will walk be-fore the Lord in the land of the li -

B. *pp* *p* *mf* I will walk be-fore the Lord in the land of the li -

Org. *pp* *p* *mf*



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T. Solo *pp* did you pass me by, Ah why?

S. *ppp*

A. *ppp*

T. *ppp* ving.

B. *ppp* ving.

Org. *pp*

Without Ped.

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S. *mf* They shall beat their swords in-to plough shares, *mf* na-tion shall not lift up

A. *mf* and their spears in-to prun-ing hooks

T. *mf* A - men,

T. *mf* A - men,

B. *mf* A - men,

B. *mf* A - men,

Org. *mf*

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S. sword a-gainst na-tion nei-ther shall they learn war a - ny more. *f* *mf* *mp* A - -

A. *p* *mf* *mp* A - men, A - men, A -

A. *mp* *f* *mf* A - - - men, A - - -

T. *p* *mp* *f* *mf* A - - - men, A - - - men,

T. *p* *mf* *p* A - men, A - - - men,

B. *p* *f* *mf* *p* A - - - men, A - - - men,

B. *p* *mf* *p* A - men, A - men, A -

Org. *p* *f* *mp* *p*

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S. *p* *mp* *p* *p* *mp*  
 men, A - men, A - men, A -

A. *p* *mp* *p*  
 - men A - men, A - men,

A. *p* *mp* *p* *pp* *p*  
 -men, A - men, A - - - men,

T. *p* *pp*  
 A - - - men,

T. *mp* *p* *pp* *p* *pp* *p*  
 A - men A - - - men, A - men,

B. *p* *mp* *p* *pp* *p* *pp*  
 A - - - men, A - - - men,

B. *mp* *pp* *p* *pp* *pp*  
 - - - men, A - - - men, A -

Org. *pp*

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S. *pp* *pp* *ppp*  
 - men, A - - - men.

A. *pp* *p* *pp* *ppp*  
 A - men, A - men.

A. *pp* *pp* *ppp*  
 A - men, A - - - men.

T. *pp* *p* *ppp*  
 A - - - men. A - - - men.

T. *pp* *pp* *p* *pp* *pp* *ppp*  
 A - men, A - men.

B. *pp* *p* *pp* *ppp*  
 A - men, A - - - men.

B. *p* *pp* *ppp*  
 - - - men, A - - - men.

Org. *ppp* poss.  
 + Ped.