

The Kingdom of Love

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Commissioned by the Kantori Women's Choir; Mayde Creek High School, Houston, Texas,
Charlie Collins, Director

The Kingdom of Love

Two-part choir, flute or recorder, keyboard or harp, and percussion

Carl P. Daw, Jr., 1985

David Ashley White, 1985, 1998

Lively $\text{♩} = \text{ca. } 72$

Flute

Finger cym.
Side drum

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Optional doubling of voices in stanza 1

(A)

19 *f*
 Make straight in the des - ert a high - way;— pre -

22 *f*
 pare the way of the Lord:_____ let moun - tains and hills bow in
for

25 rev - erence____ and val - leys rise up for their King._____ In

28

joy shall the wil - der - ness blos - som, and streams through the des - ert be
poured; the eyes of the blind shall be o - pened, and
tongues that were si - lent shall sing.

Break

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37 (Play) **B**

forth in - to sing - ing, O Zi - on, — your King is com - ing to

you. — Je - ru - sa - lem, shout with re - joic - ing, — he

comes to re - deem you from fear. — For God shall bring peace and a -

for

40

43

46

bun - dance, your praise and re - nown to re - new; pre -

49

pare to re - ceive your sal - va - tion: the prom - ised Re - deem - er is

52

I
near.
II

The reign of the Lord will be

The

55

grac - cious, — its bless - ings ev - er will last; — for

reign of the Lord will be grac - cious, — its bless - ings ev - er will

* Add bells if desired, doubling keyboard.

** Add tambourine if desired, following the rhythm of the drum.

58

then will God bring to ful - fill - ment____ the prom - ise of peace from a -
last;_____ for then will God bring to ful - fill - ment____ the

61

bove._____ All crea - tures will pros - per to - geth - er, to
prom - ise of peace from a - bove._____ To plow - shares all swords will be

64

plow-shares all swords will be cast: _____ earth's people will find their true
cast: _____ earth's people will find their true

67

free - dom _____ in God's per - fect King - dom of Love, _____ in
free - dom _____ in God's per - fect King - dom of Love, _____ in

10 (D) $\text{d} = \text{j}$ rit. *a tempo, with energy*
 70 $\frac{2}{2}$ $\frac{2}{2}$ rit. *a tempo, with energy*
 God's per - fect King - dom of Love.
 $\frac{2}{2}$ God's per - fect King - dom of Love.
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 $\frac{2}{2}$ $\frac{6}{4}$ $\frac{6}{4}$ $\frac{6}{4}$
 $\frac{2}{2}$ $\frac{6}{4}$ $\frac{6}{4}$ $\frac{6}{4}$

 73 $\frac{2}{2}$ $\frac{6}{4}$ $\frac{6}{4}$ $\frac{6}{4}$ ff
 $\frac{2}{2}$ $\frac{6}{4}$ $\frac{6}{4}$ ff
 $\frac{2}{2}$ $\frac{6}{4}$ ff