

O That I Could Travel

Words of 'Abdu'l-Bahá

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The musical score is arranged for a choir with eight parts: Soprano 1, Soprano 2, Alto 1, Alto 2, Tenor 1, Tenor 2, Bass 1, and Bass 2. The music is in 4/4 time with a key signature of two flats (B-flat and E-flat). The lyrics are: "O that I could tra - vel, on foot and in the ut-most po-ver-ty rai-sing the call of Ya - Ba-há-u'l-Ab - há. in ci - ties, vil-la-ges, moun - tains, de-serts and o - ceans O that I could". The score includes dynamic markings such as *mf* and *mp*. A page number '8' is located at the beginning of the second system.

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S 1 *Tutti sopranos*
pro - mote the di - vine tea - chings. This a - las, I can - not do how in -

S 2
pro - mote the di - vine tea - chings.

A 1 *Tutti altos*
pro - mote the di - vine tea - chings. This a - las, I can - not do how in -

A 2
pro - mote the di - vine tea - chings.

T 1 *Tutti tenors* *mp*
8 tra - vel, This a - las, I can - not do, This a - las, I can - not do how in -

T 2
8 tra - vel,

B 1 *Tutti basses*
tra - vel, This a - las, I can - not do how in -

B 2
tra - vel,

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S 1 *mp*
tense - ly I de - plore it. Please God, ye may a - chieve it. Please God, ye may a - chieve it. Oo

A 1 *mf*
tense - ly I de - plore it. Please God, ye may a - chieve it. Please God, ye may a - chieve it. Please God, ye may a -

T 1
8 tense - ly I de - plore it. Please God, ye may a - chieve it. Please God, ye may a - chieve it. Oo

B 1
tense - ly I de - plore it. Please God, ye may a - chieve it. Please God, ye may a - chieve it. Oo

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S 1
O that I could tra - vel, O that I could tra - vel, if some teach - ers go to

A 1
chieve it. Please God, ye may a - chieve it. O that I could tra - vel, O that I could tra - vel, if some teach - ers go to

T 1
8 O that I could tra - vel, O that I could tra - vel, if some teach - ers go to

B 1
O that I could tra - vel, O that I could tra - vel, if some teach - ers go to

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S 1 Aus - tra - lia, New Zea - land, Tas - ma - ni - a, most great re - sults will be forth - com - ing,

A 1 Aus - tra - lia, New Zea - land, Tas - ma - ni - a, most great re - sults will be forth - com - ing,

T 1 Aus - tra - lia, New Zea - land, Tas - ma - ni - a, most great re - sults will be forth - com - ing,

B 1 Aus - tra - lia, New Zea - land, Tas - ma - ni - a, most great re - sults will be forth - com - ing,

45 *rit.*

S 1 most great re - sults will be forth - com - ing. This a - las, I can - not do how in - tense - ly I de - plore it. Please

A 1 most great re - sults will be forth - com - ing. This a - las, I can - not do how in - tense - ly I de - plore it. Please

T 1 most great re - sults will be forth - com - ing. This a - las, I can - not do how in - tense - ly I de - plore it. Please

B 1 most great re - sults will be forth - com - ing. This a - las, I can - not do how in - tense - ly I de - plore it. Please

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S 1 God, ye may a - chieve it, Please God, ye may a - chieve it, O that I could tra - vel,

A 1 God, ye may a - chieve it, Please God, ye may a - chieve it, O that I could tra - vel,

T 1 God, ye may a - chieve it, Please God, ye may a - chieve it, O that I could tra - vel,

B 1 God, ye may a - chieve it, Please God, ye may a - chieve it, O that I could tra - vel,

57 *rit.*

S 1 rai - sing the call of Ya - Ba - há - u'! - Ab - há. rai - sing the call of Ya - Ba - há - u'! - Ab - há.

A 1 rai - sing the call of Ya - Ba - há - u'! - Ab - há. rai - sing the call of Ya - Ba - há - u'! - Ab - há.

T 1 rai - sing the call of Ya - Ba - há - u'! - Ab - há. rai - sing the call of Ya - Ba - há - u'! - Ab - há.

B 1 rai - sing the call of Ya - Ba - há - u'! - Ab - há. rai - sing the call of Ya - Ba - há - u'! - Ab - há.