

The Valley of Unity

Part IV: "His Being Is His Evidence"

Bahá'u'lláh

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TENOR $\text{J} = 120$

O my Bro-ther! jour-ney u-pon these planes in the spir - it of search, not in
blind i - mi - ta-tion. A pure heart is as a mir - ror, cleanse it with the bur-nish of
love and se - ver-ance from all save God that the true sun may
shine with - in it and the e - ter - nal morn - ing dawn.
Then wilt thou clear-ly see the mean-ing of... the heart of My faith-ful ser-vant con-tain-eth
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S. Me." And thou wilt take up thy life in thine hand, and with in-fi nite long-ing cast it be-

A. Me." And thou wilt take up thy life in thine hand, and with in-fi-nite long-ing cast it be-

T. Me." And thou wilt take up thy life in thine hand, and with in-fi-nite long-ing cast it be-

B. Me." And thou wilt take up thy life in thine hand, and with in-fi-nite long-ing cast it be-

33 $\text{♩} = 80$

S. fore the new Be - lo ved One. When-so-e-ver the light____ of the Man-i-fes - ta tion of the

A. fore the new Be - lo-ved One. When-so-e-ver the light____ of the Man-i-fes - ta tion of the

T. fore the new Be - lo-ved One. When-so-e-ver the light____ of the Man-i-fes - ta tion of the

B. fore the new Be - lo-ved One. When-so-e-ver the light____ of the Man-i-fes - ta tion of the

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S. King of One-ness set-tleth_ u-pon the thron_e_ of the heart and soul, His shin-ing be-com-eth

A. King of One-ness set-tleth_ u-pon the thron_e_ of the heart and soul, His shin-ing be-com-eth

T. King of One-ness set-tleth_ u-pon the thron_e_ of the heart and soul, His shin-ing be com-eth

B. King of One ness set-tleth_ u-pon the thron_e_ of the heart and soul, His shin-ing be-com-eth

43

S. vi - si - ble in e - v'ry limb and mem - ber... At that time the mys - ter - y of the

A. vi - si - ble in e - v'ry limb and mem - ber... At that time the mys - ter - y of the

T. vi - si - ble in e - v'ry limb and mem - ber... At that time the mys - ter - y of the

B. vi - si - ble in e - v'ry limb and mem - ber... At that time the mys - ter - y of the

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S. famed tra - di - tion gleam - eth out of the dark - ness: "A ser - vant is drawn un - to

A. famed tra - di - tion gleam - eth out of the dark - ness: "A ser - vant is drawn un - to

T. famed tra - di - tion gleam - eth out of the dark - ness: "A ser - vant is drawn un - to

B. famed tra - di - tion gleam - eth out of the dark - ness: "A ser - vant is drawn un - to

BASSO CONTINUO

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52

S. Me in pray'r un - til I ans - wer him; and when I have ans - wer'd him, I be -

A. Me in pray'r un - til I ans - answer him; and when I have ans - answer'd him, I be -

T. Me in pray'r un - til I ans - answer him; and when I have ans - answer'd him, I be -

B. Me in pray'r un - til I ans - answer him; and when I have ans - answer'd him, I be -

BASSO CONTINUO

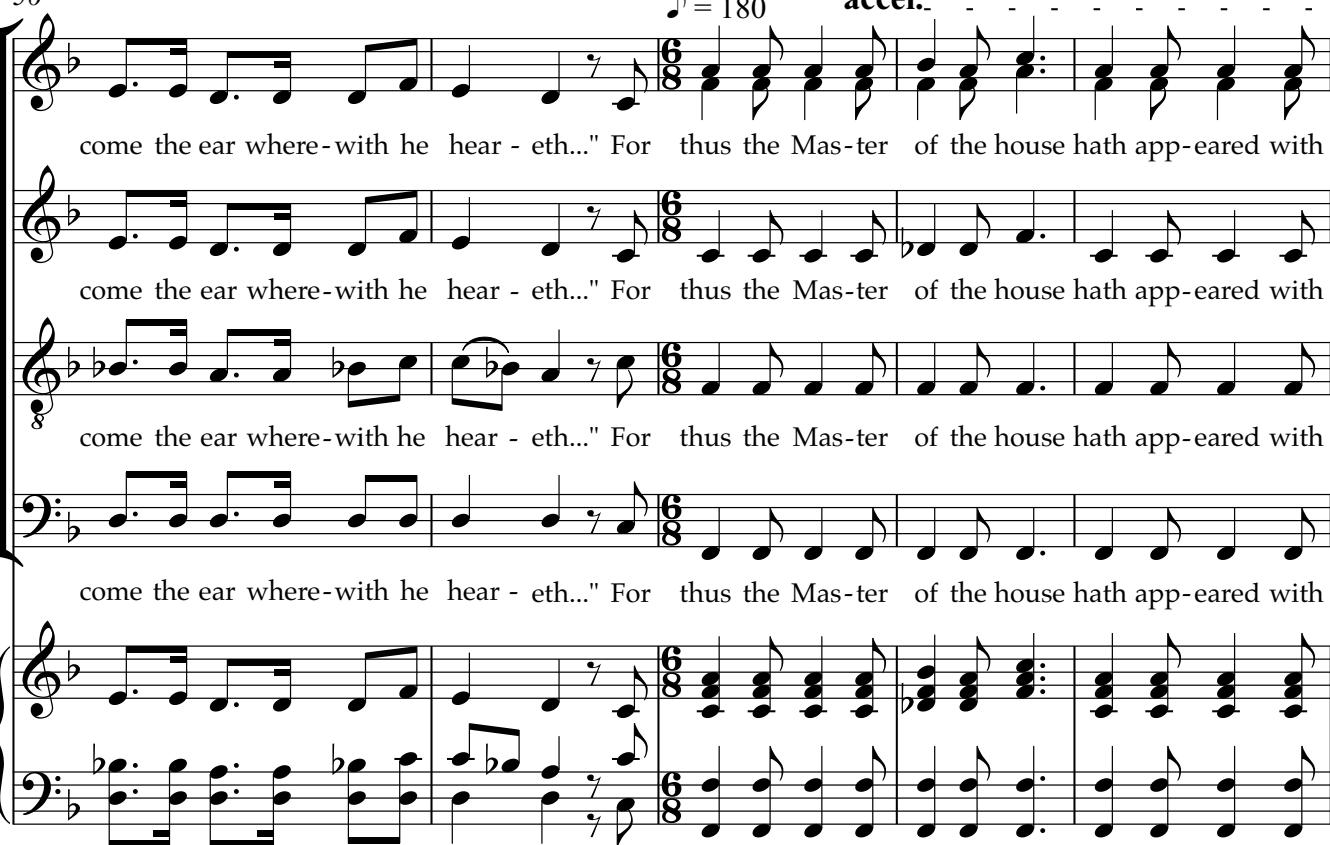
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S. come the ear where-with he hear - eth..." For thus the Master of the house hath app-eared with

A. come the ear where-with he hear - eth..." For thus the Master of the house hath app-eared with

T. 8 come the ear where-with he hear - eth..." For thus the Master of the house hath app-eared with

B. come the ear where-with he hear - eth..." For thus the Master of the house hath app-eared with



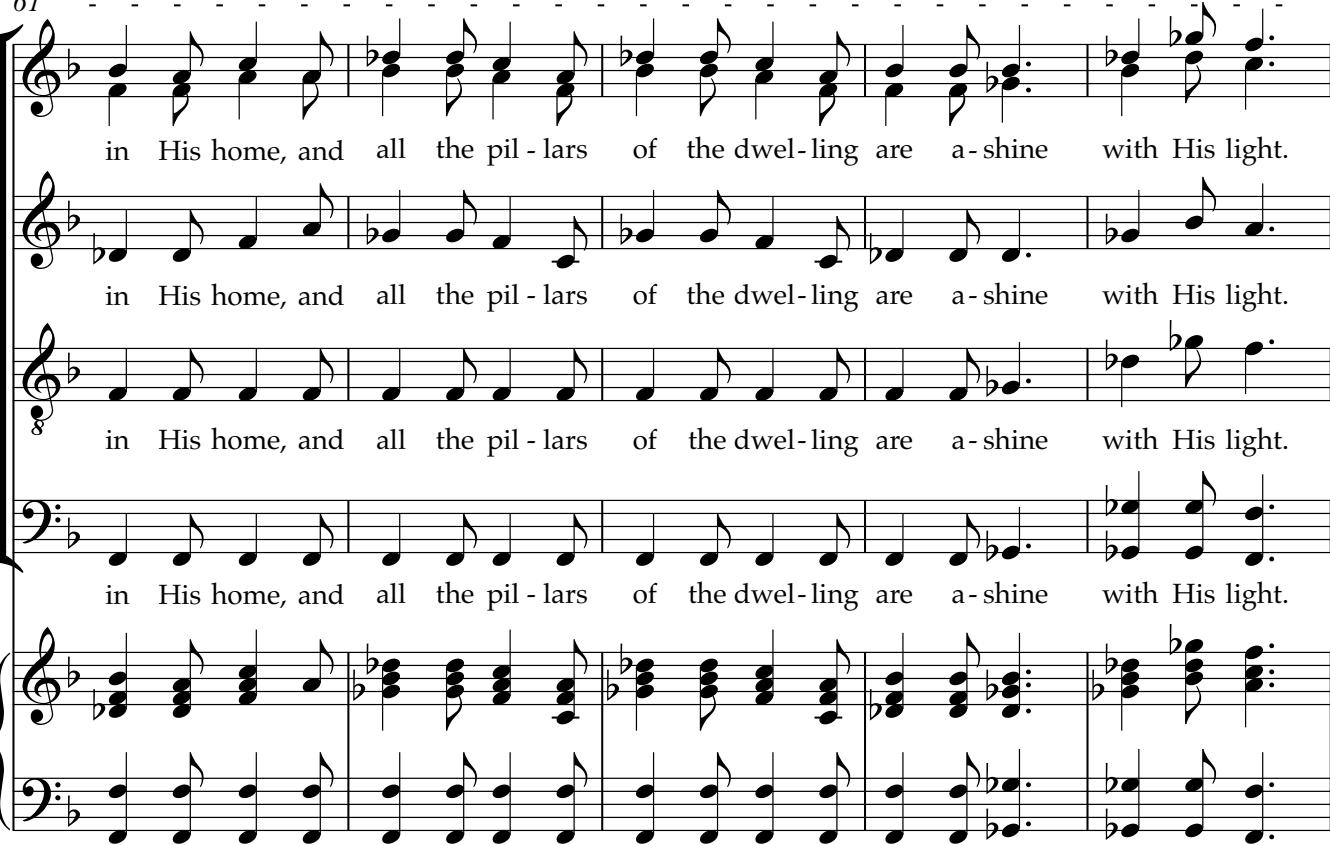
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S. in His home, and all the pil-lars of the dwel-ling are a-shine with His light.

A. in His home, and all the pil-lars of the dwel-ling are a-shine with His light.

T. 8 in His home, and all the pil-lars of the dwel-ling are a-shine with His light.

B. in His home, and all the pil-lars of the dwel-ling are a-shine with His light.



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66 $\text{♩} = 210$

T. And the ac - tion and ef-fect of the light are from the Light-Gi - ver; so it is that

B. And the ac - tion and ef-fect of the light are from the Light-Gi - ver; so it is that

71

T. all move through Him and a-rise by His will, by His will. by His will. And

B. all move through Him and a-rise by His will, by His will. by His will.

77 $\text{♩} = 140$

T. this is that spring where-of the near ones drink. let none con-strue these

81

T. ut - ter - an - ces to be an - thro - po - mor - phi - sm

83

T. nor see in them the de-scent of the worlds of God in - to the grades of the crea - tures -

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86 $\text{♩} = 80$

S. For God is, in His es- sence, ho-ly a-bove the at-tri-butes of hu-man

90

S. crea-tures, and e - ver will re-main so. No man _____ hath e - ver

93

S. known Him; no soul _____ hath e - ver found. the path - way to His

97

S. be - ing. Ev 'ry mys - tic know-er hath wan-dered far a-stray in the

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100

S. 

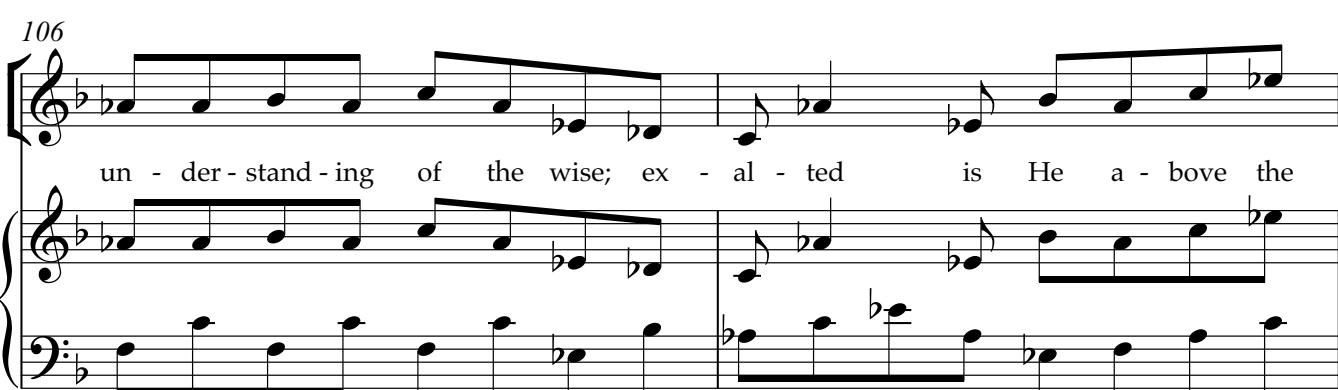
val-ley of the know-ledge of Him; ev'- ry saint hath lost his way in

103

S. 

seek - ing to com-pre-hend His Es - sence. Sanc-ti-fied is He a-bove the

106

S. 

un - der - stand - ing of the wise; ex - al - ted is He a - bove the

108

S. 

know-ledge of the know-ing! The way is barred and to seek it is im - pi - e - ty; His

A. 

The way is barred and to seek it is im - pi - e - ty; His

111

S. proof is His signs; His be-ing is His e - vi - dence.... How can ut-ter no-thing-ness

A. proof is His signs; His be-ing is His e - vi - dence.... How can ut-ter no-thing-ness

T. How can ut-ter no-thing-ness

B. How can ut-ter no-thing-ness

115

S. gal-lop its steed in the field of pre-ex - is-tence, or a fleet - ing sha-dow reach to the

A. gal-lop its steed in the field of pre-ex - is-tence, or a fleet - ing sha-dow reach to the

T. gal-lop its steed in the field of pre-ex - is-tence, or a fleet - ing sha-dow reach to the

B. gal-lop its steed in the field of pre-ex - is-tence, or a fleet - ing sha-dow reach to the

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S. e - ver - last - ing sun?____ The Friend hath said, "But for Thee,

A. e - ver - last - ing sun?____ The Friend hath said, "But for Thee,

T. e - ver - last - ing sun?____ The Friend hath said, "But for Thee,

B. e - ver - last - ing sun?____ The Friend hath said, "But for Thee,

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S. we had not known_ Thee,... nor at-tained Thy pre - sence."—

A. we had not known_ Thee,... nor at-tained Thy pre - sence."—

T. we had not known_ Thee,... nor at-tained Thy pre - sence."—

B. we had not known_ Thee,... nor at-tained Thy pre - sence."—