

# Song of a True Seeker

Bahá'u'lláh

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For Solo Voice

♩ = 120

O my bro - ther! When a true seek - er de - ter - min - eth to take the

7

step of search in the path lead - ing un - to the know - ledge of the An - cient of Days,

12

he must, be - fore all else, \_\_\_ cleanse his heart, \_\_\_ which is the seat of

18

the rev - e - la - tion of the in - ner mys - ter - ies of God, from the ob - scur - ing

24

dust of all ac - quired know - ledge and the il - lu - sions of the em - bo - di -

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30  $\text{♩} = 150$

ments of sa-tan-ic fan-cy. He must purge his breast which is the sanc-tu-

38

a-ry of the a-bid-ing love of the Be-lov-ed, of

48

ev'-ry de-file-ment, and sanc-ti-fy his soul from

56

all that per-tain-eth to wa-ter and clay, from all sha-dow-y and e-phem-er-al at-

62

tach - ments. He must so cleanse his heart that no rem - nant

70

of ei-ther love or hate may lin-ger there-in, lest that love blind-ly in-cline him

78

to er - ror, or that hate re - pel him a - way from the truth.