

The Valley of Search

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Bahá'u'lláh, The Seven Valleys and the Four Valleys

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Choir (treble)

$\text{♩} = 100$

mp

The first is the Val-ley of Search. The steed of this

PIANO

mf

p

Choir

5

1. 2.

Val-ley is pa - tience; The pa - tience; with-out

Choir

10

1. 2.

pa - tience the way - fa - rer on this jour - ney With-out jour - ney

Choir

15

1.

will reach no - where and at - tain no goal. will reach

20 *cresc.* *mf*

Choir goal. Nor should he e - ver be down-heart-ed if he strive for a

25 *dim.* *mp* *cresc.* *mp*

Choir hun-dred thou-sand years Nor should he years and yet

30 *dim.* *mp* *cresc.* *mp*

Choir fail to be - hold the beau-ty, the beau-ty of the Friend he should not

36 *mf*

Choir

fal- ter. In this jour- ney the seek - er... see-eth all cre - a - ted

In this jour- ney the seek - er... see-eth all cre - a - ted

42

Choir

things wan-der-ing dis - trac-ted, dis - trac-ted in search of the

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48

Choir

Friend. How ma-ny a Ja - cob will he see hunt-ing af-ter his

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53

S. hast ing to seek the Be

A. hast ing to seek the Be

T. hast ing to seek the Be

B. hast ing hast-ing to seek, to seek the Be-

Choir
Jo-seph; he will be-hold ma-ny a lo-ver

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58

S. - lo - ved the Be - lo - ved. *f* At ev'ry

A. - lo - ved the Be - lo - ved. *f* At ev'ry

T. - lo - ved the Be - lo - ved. *f* At ev'ry

B. - lo - ved, Be - lo - ved, Be - lo - ved, Be - lov'd the Be - lo - ved. *f* At ev'ry

63

S. step, aid from the in - vi - si - ble Realm will at - tend him and the heat of his search will *cresc.*

A. step, aid from the in - vi - si - ble Realm will at - tend him and the heat of his search will *cresc.*

T. step, aid from the in - vi - si - ble Realm will at - tend him and the heat of his search will *cresc.*

B. step, aid from the in - vi - si - ble Realm will at - tend him and the heat of his search will *cresc.*

♩ = 90

68 **ff** rit.

S. grow. **ff**

A. grow. **ff**

T. grow. **ff**

B. grow. **ff**

Choir *mp* It is in

mp It is in

ff *dim.* *p*

74

Choir cum-bent on these ser-vants that they cleanse the heart - which is the well-spring

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78

Choir

of di-vine trea-sures - from ev'-ry mark-ing, and that they turn a-way from
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81

Choir

i - mi - ta - tion, which is fol - low - ing the tra - ces of their fore - fa - thers and sires, and
i - mi - ta - tion, which is fol - low - ing the tra - ces of their fore - fa - thers and sires, and

84

Choir

shut the door of friend - li - ness and en - mi - ty u - pon_ all the peo - ples of the earth... That
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poco accel.
cresc.

90

S.

is, what - e - ver he hath seen, and heard, and un - der - stood, all must he set at naught, that

A.

is, what - e - ver he hath seen, and heard, and un - der - stood, all must he set at naught, that

T.

is, what - e - ver he hath seen, and heard, and un - der - stood, all must he set at naught, that

B.

is, what - e - ver he hath seen, and heard, and un - der - stood, all must he set at naught, that

$\text{♩} = 72$

93 *f*

S. he may en - ter the realm of the spir - it, which

A. he may en - ter the realm of the spir - it, which

T. he may en - ter the realm of the spir - it, which

B. he may en - ter the realm of the spir - it, which

f

97 *sfz*

S. is the Ci - ty of God.

A. is the Ci - ty of God.

T. is the Ci - ty of God.

B. is the Ci - ty of God.

sfz

Labor is Needed

101
S.

La - bor is need - ed___ if we are to seek Him. Ar - dor is need - ed___

106
S.

if we are to drink,___ drink of the hon - ey___ of re - u - nion with Him. _