

Dedicated to the quest for peace in Jerusalem

Peace to the World

by

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for

*Soprano, Baritone, Mixed Chorus,
(with optional Youth Chorus)
and Piano or Full Orchestra*

English and Hebrew text by SHELLEY OLSON

Version 2

SATB choral pitches appear in piano reduction

Peace to the World was composed for performance by soprano soloist, baritone soloist, chorus (SATB) with optional unison youth chorus, and orchestra, consisting of

2 flutes, 1 oboe, 1 clarinet, 2 bassoons, 2 horns, 2 trumpets,
2 trombones, timpani, percussion (cymbals), and Violin I,
Violin II, Viola, Cello and Contrabass. A narrator (optional) may also be used.

Orchestral parts and full score are available from the composer.

A chamber version of "Peace to the World" is also available, set for youth chorus, soprano soloist, baritone soloist and piano. The chamber version also includes eight additional Chanukah songs, comprising "*A Chanukah Cantata*". A CD recording of the Cantata, recorded by North Shore Temple Emanuel Choir, Sydney, Australia, under the direction of Judy Campbell, is available from Tara Publications, www.tara.com Keyword: olson or by telephone: 1-800-827-2400. The piano-vocal score is available from the composer.

The world premiere of "*A Chanukah Cantata*" took place on December 5, 1999, in Sydney, Australia, under the direction of Judy Campbell. The American premiere of *A Chanukah Cantata* took place on December 7, 2000 at the White House, Washington, DC.

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Lyrical ♩ = 100

Soprano

Alto (and Youth Chorus)

Tenor

Bass

marcato f Cha - nu - kah,

Narrator begins (optional) *f marcato*

Red.

*

mf

marcato mf Cha - nu-kah,

mf Cha - nu-kah,

Cha - nu-kah, Cha - nu-kah, Cha - nu-kah, *mf* Cha - nu-kah,

mf

Red.

* *Red.*

* *Red.*

* *simile*

8 *ff*

Cha - nu-kah, Peace in Je - ru - sa-lem!

8 Cha - nu-kah, Peace in Je - ru - sa-lem!

8 Cha - nu-kah, Peace in Je - ru - sa-lem!

8 Cha - nu-kah, Peace in Je - ru - sa-lem!

8 *ff*

8 *ff* *f*

12 *p*

12 *p* Cha-nu-kah,

12 *p* Cha-nu-kah,

82 *p* Cha-nu-kah,

12 *p*

12 *p*

16 *mp* *lyrical*

16 *mp* Cha-nu-kah, this we pray,

16 *mp* Cha-nu-kah, this we pray,
(* Youth Chorus solo)

86 *mp* Cha-nu-kah,

16 *mp* *lyrical*

16 *mp*

20

20 Peace to the world, this ho - - - li - day.

20 Peace to the world, this ho - - - li - day.

Baritone solo

20 Peace to the world, this ho - - - li - day.

20

* When performing with Youth Chorus, mm 17-31 are performed with Youth Chorus alone, plus one, solo baritone and one, solo soprano entering m 24.

When performing without Youth Chorus, mm 17-23 are sung by soprano section; mm 24-31 are sung by alto section plus one, solo soprano entering m 20 and one, solo baritone entering m 24.

mf *Sop. solo*

24 Sim sha - lom I' Ye - ru - - - sha - la - - - im,

mf 24 Sim sha - lom I' Ye - ru - - - sha - la - - - im,

84 *mf*

24 Sim sha - lom I' Ye - ru - - - sha - la - - - im,

mf 24

28 *mp*

28 Peace to the world on Cha - - nu - kah!

28 Peace to the world on Cha - - nu - kah!

88 *mp*

28 Peace to the world on Cha - - nu - kah! - - -

mp 28

Translation: Grant peace to Jerusalem.

Tutti chorus A

32 *mf* Cha - - - nu - kah, for this we pray,

mf Cha - - - nu - kah, for this we pray,

82 Cha - - - nu - kah, for this we pray,

32 *mf* A

36 Peace to the world, this ho - - - li -

36 Peace to the world, this ho - - - li -

86 Peace to the world, this ho - - - li -

36

40

40 day.

40 day.

80 day.

40

40

3

44

mf

44 *mf* Peace to the world on Cha - - nu -

44 Peace to the world on Cha - - nu -

44 *mf* Peace to the world on Cha - - nu -

84

44

44

mf

48 Sop. solo **B** *f*

48 kah! An - - gels call, from the

48 kah!

88 kah!

48 Sop. solo **B** *f*

48

52 (*Youth Chorus solo)

52 night, Mir - - - a - cle, of the

52

82

52

52

* If performing without Youth Chorus, soprano solo mm 49-58.

56 light! *p* Cha - nu-kah,

56 *p* Cha - nu-kah,

86 *p* Cha - nu-kah,

56 *p* Cha - nu-kah,

56 *p* Cha - nu-kah,

60 *ff* Cha - nu - kah, Peace in Je - ru - - sa - lem!

60 *ff* Cha - nu - kah, Peace in Je - ru - - sa - lem!

80 *ff* Cha - nu - kah, Peace in Je - ru - - sa - lem!

60 *ff* Cha - nu - kah, Peace in Je - ru - - sa - lem!

60 *ff* Cha - nu - kah, Peace in Je - ru - - sa - lem!

3

63 *C* *f*

63 Cha - - - nu - kah, for this we

63 *f* Cha - - - nu - kah, for this we

83 Cha - - - nu - kah, for this we

63 *C* *f*

63 *f*

66 *mf*

66 pray, *mf* Peace to the

66 pray, *mf* Peace to the

86 pray, *mf* Peace in. Je -

66 *mf* Peace to the

66 *mf*

69 world this ho - - - li - day.

69 world this ho - - - li - day.

69 ru - sa - lem this ho - - - li - day.

69 world this ho - - - li - day.

69

72

72

72 *mp* Sim sha -

82 Sim sha -

72

72

75 *mf*

75 *mf* Peace to the world on

75 lom. *mf* Peace to the world on

85 lom. *mf* Peace to world on

75 *mf*

75 *mf*

78 **D**

78 Cha - - - nu - kah!

78 Cha - - - nu - kah!

88 Cha - - - nu - kah! *f* Baritone solo

78 Cha - - - - nu - **D**

78

81

81 kah, Cha - - - nu - kah!

84

84 *tutti* Sim sha - lom, to - vah, uv - ra -

84 *tutti* Sim sha - lom, to - vah, uv - ra -

* Translation: Grant peace, goodness and blessing.

87

87

87

87

cha,

Baritone solo

cha, Sim sha - lom, to -

90

90

90

90

80

vah

90

90

93 *mf* nes ga - dol, yi - hi - yeh

93 *mf* nes ga - dol, yi - hi - yeh

93 *mf* nes ga - dol, yi - hi - yeh

83 nes ga - dol, yi - hi - yeh

93 *mf*

93 *mf*

3

3

3

96 *ff* kan!

96 *ff* kan!

96 *ff* kan!

86 *ff* kan!

96 *ff*

96 *ff*

Narrator (optional)

f

E

E

* Translation: A great miracle will occur here.

100 *mp*

100 *mp* Cha - nu-kah, Cha - nu-kah,

100 *mp* Cha - nu-kah, Cha - nu-kah,

800 *mp* Cha - nu-kah, Cha - nu-kah,

100 *mp*

100 *mp*

104 *ff* *f*

104 Peace in Je - ru - sa-lem! Cha - - - nu - kah for

104 *f* Peace in Je - ru - sa-lem! Cha - - nu - kah, for

804 Peace in Je - ru - sa-lem! Cha - - nu - kah, for

104 *ff* *f*

104 *ff* *f*

108

108 this we pray,

108 this we pray,

808 this we pray,

108

108

112 *mp*

112 *mp* Oo - - - - -

112 *mp* Oo - - - - -

812 Peace in Je - ru - sa - lem this ho - - - li - day.

mp

112 *mp* Oo - - - - -

112

116 *mf*

116 Sim sha - lom I' Ye - ru - - - sha - la - - - im,

116 Sim sha - lom I' - Ye - ru - - - sha - la - - - im,

816 Sim sha - lom I' Ye - ru - - - sha - la - - - im,

116 *mf*

116

120

120 Peace to the world, sha - lom.

120 Peace to the world, sha - lom.

820 Peace to the world, sha - lom.

120

120

124 *f* F

124 *f* Cha - - nu - kah, for

124 *f* Cha - - nu - kah, for

824 *f* Cha - - nu - kah, for

124 *f* F

124 *f*

128 this we pray, Peace to the

128 this we pray, Grant

828 this we pray, Peace to the

128 Grant

128 3

132 world this ho - - - li - day. Sim sha -

132 peace, this ho - - - li - day. Sim sha -

832 world this ho - - - li - day. Sim sha -

132 peace, this ho - - - li - day. 3

132

136 lom l' Ye - ru - - - sha - la - im, Peace to the

136 lom l' Ye - ru - - - sha - la - im, Peace to the

836 lom l' Ye - ru - - - sha - la - im, Peace to the

136

136

140

140 world, sha - lom!

140 world, sha - lom!

840 world, sha - lom!

140

140

144

fff

144 *fff* Cha - - - nu - kah!

144 *fff* Cha - - - nu - kah!

844 *fff* Cha - - - nu - kah!

144

144

fff

fff

148 *f*

148 *f* A - - - - -

148 *f* A - - - - -

848 *f* A - - - - -

148 *f*

148 *f*

152

152 men.

152 men.

852 men.

152

152

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