

Georg Friedrich Händel (1685-1759)

Gird on thy Sword

Saül – 13. Chorus (4 voices)

Allegro 10

Soprano
Alto
Tenore
Basso

Gird on thy Sword, gird on thy Sword thou Man of Might, thou Man of Might, Pur-sue thy won-ted Fame, thy won-ted Fame, thy won-ted Fame:

Pur-sue, pur-sue, pur-sue, pur-sue thy won-ted Fame, thy won-ted Fame:

Pur-sue, pu-sue, pur-sue, pur-sue thy won-ted Fame, thy won-ted Fame:

Pur-sue, pur-sue, pur-sue, pur-sue thy won-ted Fame, thy won-ted Fame: Go on, go

Go on, go on, go on, be pros-pe-rous in Fight, go on, pur-sue thy won-ted

Go on, go on, go on, be pros-pe-rous in Fight, go on, pur-sue thy won-ted

Go on, go on, go on, be pros-pe-rous in Fight, go on, pur-sue, pur-

on, go on, go on, br pros-pe-rous in Fight, go on, pur-sue, pur-

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re-trieve the He - brew Name: Re-trieve, pur-sue, re - trieve the He - brew Name. Go on, re - sue. Re - - - trieve re-trieve the He - brew Name:Pur-sue, go on, pur - thy won - ted Fame: Go on, pur - sue thy won - ted Fame: Go on, trieve the He - brew Name. Re - - - trieve,

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trieve the He - brew Name, go on, go on thy won-ted Fame: Re-trieve, re-trieve the He-brew Name. sue, re - trieve, go on, pur - sue, pur-sue th won-ted Fame. Re - trieve pur-sue thy won - ted Fame, Go on, pur-sue, re - trieve, re - trieve the He - brew Name. re-trieve the He - brew Name. Go on, pur - sue, pur-sue thy won - ted Fame.

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Go on, go on, pur - sue, re - trieve, re - trieve the He-brew Name, re-trieve, re - trieve, the He - brew Name. Re - trieve, re-trieve the He - brew Name, re-trieve, go on, pur - Go on, pur-sue, pur-sue, re - trieve the He - brew Name. Go on, pur - Re-trieve, re - trieve the He-brew Name. Go on, re-trieve, pur -

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re-trieve the He - - - - brew Name. Re - trieve sue. Re - trieve, re - trieve the He - brew Name, sue thy won - ted Fame. Re - trieve the He - brew Name. Re - trieve the He - brew sue, re-trieve, re - trieve the He - brew Name, re - trieve the He - brew Name, the He - brew

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re - trieve the He - - - brew Name, re - - - trieve, _____

the He - brew Name, re - trieve, re -

Name, the He - - - - - brew Name, _____ re -

Name, the He - brew Name, _____

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re - trieve the He - brew Name. Go on, pur - sue, re - trieve, pur - sue thy won - ted Fame, _____

trieve the He - brew Name. Go on, pur - sue, re - trieve, pur - sue thy won - ted Fame, thy

trieve the He - brew Name. Go on, pur - sue, re - trieve, pur - sue thy won - ted Fame, _____

the He - brew Name. Go on, pur - sue, re - trieve, pur - sue thy won - ted Fame, _____

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thy won - ted Fame: Re - trieve, re - trieve, _____ re - trieve the He - brew Name. _____

won - ted Fame, thy won - ted Fame: Re - - - - trieve, _____ re - trieve the

thy won - ted Fame: Re - - - - trieve, _____

thy won - ted Fame:

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Re - trieve, go on, pur - sue, go on, re - trieve the He - brew Name. He - brew Name. Re - trieve, go on, re - trieve, go on, re - trieve the He - brew Name. re - trieve the He - brew Name. Re - trieve, go on, re - trieve, go on, re - trieve the He - brew Name.

He - brew Name. Re - trieve, go on, re - trieve, go on, re - trieve the He - brew Name. re - trieve the He - brew Name. Re - trieve, go on, re - trieve, go on, re - trieve the He - brew Name.

re - trieve the He - brew Name. Re - trieve, go on, re - trieve, go on, re - trieve the He - brew Name.

Re - - - - trieve _____ the He - brew Name. Go on, re - trieve, go on, re - trieve the He - brew Name.

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Thy strong right Hand, with Ter - ror arm'd, with Ter - ror arm'd, shall thy ob - du - rate Foes dis - may,

Thy strong right Hand, with Ter - ror arm'd, with Ter - rir arm'd, shall thy ob - du - rate Foes dis - may,

Thy strong right Hand, with Ter - ror arm'd, with Ter - ror arm'd, shall thy ob - du - rate Foes dis - may,

Thy strong right Hand, with Ter - ror arm'd, with Ter - ror arm'd, shall thy ob - du - rate Foes dis - may,

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shall thy ob - du - rate Foes dis - may, shall thy ob - du - rate Foes dis - may,

shall thy ob - du - rate Foes dis - may, shall thy ob - du - rate Foes dis - may,

shall thy ob - du - rate Foes dis - may, shall thy ob - du - rate Foes dis - may,

shall thy ob - du - rate Foes dis - may, shall thy ob - du - rate Foes dis - may,

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may, shall crowd,

may, shall crowd, while o - thers, by thy

may, While o - thers, by thy Vir - tue charm'd, shall crowd to own thy right-eous Sway.

may, shall crowd,

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shall crowd to own thy right-eous Sway, thy right-eous Sway.

Vir - tue charm'd, shall crowd to own thy right-eous Sway, to own thy right-eous Sway, thy right-eous Sway.

shall crowd to own thy right-eous Sway, thy right-eous Sway.

shall crowd to own thy right-eous Sway, thy right-eous Sway.

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While o - thers, by thy Vir - tue charm'd, while o - thers, by thy Vir - tue charm'd, by thy Vir - tue charm'd,

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shall crowd, shall crowd to own thy right - eous Sway, thy right - eous Vir - tue charm'd, shall crowd to own thy right - eous Sway, thy right - eous shall crowd, shall crowd to own thy right - eous Sway, thy right - eous shall crowd, while o - thers, by thy Vir - tue charm'd, shall crowd to own thy right - eous Sway, thy right - eous

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Sway. shall crowd to own thy right - eous Sway, thy right - eous Sway, thy right - eous Sway. While o - thers, by thy Vir - tue charm'd, to own thy right - eous Sway, thy right - eous Sway, thy right - eous Sway. While o - thers, by thy Vir - tue charm'd, to own thy right - eous Sway, thy right - eous Sway, thy right - eous Sway. shall crowd to own thy right - eous Sway, thy right - eous Sway, thy right - eous

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Sway, while o - thers, by thy Vir - tue charm'd, shall crowd to own thy right - eous Sway, shall Sway, while o - thers by thy Vir - tue charm'd, shall crowd to own thy right - eous Sway, shall Sway, while o - thers, by thy Vir - tue charm'd, shall crowd to own thy right - eous Sway, shall Sway, while o - thers, by thy Vir - tue charm'd, shall crowd to own thy right - eous Sway, shall

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crowd, shall crowd, shall crowd, shall crowd, shall crowd, shall

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to own thy right-eous Sway, shall crowd, to own thy right - eous Sway, thy

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right - eous Sway, while o - thers, by thy Vir - tue charm'd, by thy Vir - tue charm'd, shall crowd to

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own thy right - eous Sway, shall crowd to own thy right - eous Sway.