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For the the Rev. Theodore Ploplis, in appreciation

# I KEEP THE LORD BEFORE ME

Anthem for Chorus SATB, Soprano or Tenor solo & 2 Handbells

Ps. 16 :8-9; Ps. 116: 12-13; Colos. 3: 15. Paraph. R.P.

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Mystically [ $\text{♩} = \text{c. } 76$ ] *pp*

S  
A

T  
B

Bells

*pp*

I keep the Lord be

fore me al - ways; for with the Lord al - ways at my

(5)

*mp* *cresc.*

side noth - ing can ev - er shake me, can shake me.

(9)

*cresc.*

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*mf*

So my heart \_\_\_\_\_ is glad \_\_\_\_\_ and my tongue \_\_\_\_\_ cries out \_\_\_\_\_ with \_\_\_\_\_

*mf*

(13)

*dim.* *pp*

joy, \_\_\_\_\_ with \_\_\_\_\_ joy. \_\_\_\_\_ Then how shall I

*pp* (b)

(17) *dim.* *p*

*cresc.* *mf*

make my re - turn \_\_\_\_\_ to the Lord \_\_\_\_\_ for all the good \_\_\_\_\_

*mf*

(21) *cresc.* *cresc.* *mf*

*cresc.*

— God has done — for — me? —

(24) *cresc.* The —

*f*

The — cup of sal - va - tion I will — raise — and

(27) cup — of sal - va - tion I — will — raise —

of - fer a sac - ri - fice of thanks, cal - ling, — cal - - -

(30) and of - fer a sac - ri - fice of thanks, cal - ling, cal -

ling, cal - ling on the name\_\_\_\_ of the\_\_\_\_ Lord.\_\_\_\_

33 - ling on the name\_\_\_\_ of the\_\_\_\_ Lord.\_\_\_\_

*cresc.* *f* *cresc.* *f* *dim.*

Solo: Tenor or Soprano *mp*

So may the word of Christ,\_\_\_\_

*pp* So may Christ now dwell\_\_\_\_

*pp* So may Christ dwell in us all, so

*pp* So may Christ dwell in us all,\_\_\_\_

37 So may Christ now dwell\_\_\_\_

*pp*