

# Keep Watch, Dear Lord

in memoriam: Easter 2020

Music: Chris Hutchings

Words: attr. Augustine

Slow and calm ♩ = 45

Soprano  
Alto  
Tenor  
Bass

Keep watch, dear Lord, with those who work, or wait, or

S  
A  
T  
B

weep this night, and give thine an gels charge

S  
A  
T  
B

charge o - ver those who sleep; Lord, give thine an - gels  
o - ver those who sleep; Lord, give them  
sleep, o - ver those who sleep; Lord, give them  
charge o - ver those who sleep; Lord, give them

Keep Watch, Dear Lord

*poco rit.* *p* *a tempo* *p* *cresc. poco a poco*

S charge o - ver all who sleep. Tend the sick, tend the

A charge o - ver all who sleep. Tend the sick, tend the

T charge o - ver all who sleep; Tend the sick,

B charge o - ver all who sleep; Tend the sick,

*mp* *p* *mp* *p*

S sick, tend the sick, Lord Christ;

A sick, tend the sick, Lord Christ;

T tend the sick, tend the sick, Lord Christ;

B tend the sick, tend the sick, Lord Christ;

*Slightly faster*  $\text{♩} = 51$  *mp* *p*

S give rest to the wea - ry, give rest to the wea - ry,

A give rest to the wea - ry, rest to the wea - ry,

T give rest to the wea - ry, give rest to the wea - ry,

B give rest, give rest to the wea - ry,

33 *p*

S give rest to the wea - ry;

A give rest to the wea - ry;

T give rest to the wea - ry;

B give rest to the wea - ry;

Slower but not sorrowful ♩ = 42

37 *p* *mp* *p*

S bless the dy - ing, bless the dy - ing,

A bless the dy - ing, bless the dy - ing,

T bless the dy - ing, bless the dy - ing,

B

41 *p* *mp* *p*

S bless the dy - ing, bless the dy - ing;

A bless the dy - ing, bless the dy - ing;

T bless the dy - ing, bless the dy - ing;

B *mp* *mf* *mp*

Keep watch, O Lord, with those who wait;

## Keep Watch, Dear Lord

45 *mp* *mf* *mp*

S keep watch, O Lord, with those who weep;

A *p* *mp* *p*  
bless the dy - ing, bless the dy - ing;

T *p* *mp* *p*  
bless the dy - ing, bless the dy - ing;

B *p* *mp* *p*  
bless the dy - ing, bless the dy - ing;

## Tempo I ♩ = 45

49 *p*

S Soothe the suf - fer - ing, soothe the suf - fer - ing, soothe the suf - fer - ing,

A *p*  
Soothe the suf - fer - ing, soothe the suf - fer - ing, soothe the suf - fer - ing,

T *p*  
Soothe the suf - fer - ing, soothe the suf - fer - ing, soothe the suf - fer - ing,

B *p*  
Soothe the suf - fer - ing, soothe the suf - fer - ing, soothe the suf - fer - ing,

## Slightly faster ♩ = 51

52 *pp* *cresc.*

S com - fort the af - flic - ted; Shield us all, shield us all,

A *pp* *cresc.*  
com - fort the af - flic - ted; Shield us all, shield us all,

T *pp* *cresc.*  
com - fort the af - flic - ted; Shield us all, shield us all,

B *pp* *cresc.*  
com - fort the af - flic - ted; Shield us all, shield us all,

*rit. poco a poco*

55

S shield us all, shield us all, shield us all, *f*

A shield us all, shield us all, shield us all, *f*

T shield us all, shield us all, shield us all, *f*

B shield us all, shield us all, shield us all, *f*

Tempo I ♩ = 45

58

S shield us all; and all for thy love's sake, and all for thy love's *f* *mp* *p* *mp*

A shield us all; and all for thy love's sake, and all for thy love's *f* *mp* *p* *mp* *p*

T shield us all; and all for thy love's sake, and all for thy love's *f* *mp* *p* *mp*

B shield us all; and all for thy love's sake, and all for thy love's *f* *mp* *p* *mp* *p*

62

S sake, and all for thy love's sake, for thy love's *p* *mp* *mf*

A all for thy love's sake, and all for thy love's sake. O *mp* *p* *mf*

T sake, and all for thy love's sake. O *p* *mp* *mf*

B all for thy love's sake, and all for thy love's sake. O *mp* *p* *mf*

Slower but not dragging ♩ = 40

67 *pp* *poco cresc.*

S sake. Keep watch with those who work, or wait, or weep this

A Lord, keep watch with those who work, or wait, or weep this

T Lord, keep watch with those who work, or wait, or weep this

B Lord, keep watch with those who work, or wait, or weep this

73 *p*

S night; \_\_\_\_\_ and give thine an - gels charge o - ver all who

A night; \_\_\_\_\_ and give thine an - gels charge o - ver all who

T night; and give thine an - gels charge o - ver all who sleep, o - ver all who

B night; \_\_\_\_\_ and give thine an - gels charge o - ver all who

79 *mp* *mf* *p*

S sleep; Lord, give thine an - gels charge o - ver all who sleep,

A sleep; Lord, give them charge o - ver all who sleep.

T sleep; Lord, give them charge o - ver all who sleep.

B sleep; Lord, give thine an - gels charge o - ver

85 *p*

S all who sleep, all who sleep,

A

T all who sleep, all who sleep,

B all who sleep, all who sleep,

89

S all who sleep, all who sleep

A *mp* give thine an - gels charge o - ver all who sleep, *mf* *p*

T all who sleep, all who sleep,

B all who sleep, all who sleep,

*rit. molto*  
*(optional solo)*

93 *p* *mp* *pp*

S Keep watch, dear Lord, with all who weep this night.

A *pp* all who weep, all who weep this night.

T *pp* all who weep, all who weep this night.

B *pp* all who weep, all who weep this night.