

# Shall Thy Confidence Wax Strong

Inspired by Doctrine & Covenants 121:45 and Isaiah 41:10

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1  $\text{♩} = 80$

Voice

Piano

Let

*rit.*

7

1.

vir - tue gar-nish my thoughts to-day; be in my mind I pray while I'm on this earth. Let  
vir - tue strength-en the girl I am so I can live God's plan for me on this

*a tempo*

ms. 7 8va 2nd time through

11

2.

earth. But if at times I'm un - cer - tain, and my con - fi - dence grows dim. I'll re - mem - ber my



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17

Sav - ior, and turn my heart to Him. For He said, "Fear not, for I am with thee. Be not dis - mayed, for I am thy

*rit.* *a tempo*

*rit.* *a tempo*

(2nd time) To Coda ⊕

God. I will strength - en thee, I will help thee. And by vir - tue shall thy con - fi - dence wax strong."

*rit.*

*rit.*

D.S. al Coda

29

Let vir - tue be in the words I use; guide me in all I choose as I seek His light. Let sight. But  
vir - tue help me be clean and pure, so I stand strong and sure, wor - thy in His

*a tempo*

ms. 30 8va 2nd  
time through

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35

♩ Coda

Slower

strong. A qui-et night in Geth-sem-a-ne, my Sav-ior prayed for me and a-

*molto rit.*

Detailed description: This system contains measures 35 through 39. The vocal line begins with a long note on 'strong.' followed by a melodic line for 'A qui-et night in Geth-sem-a-ne, my Sav-ior prayed for me and a-'. The piano accompaniment features a 'molto rit.' marking and consists of chords in the right hand and a moving bass line in the left hand.

40

toned for me. I'm pre-cious in His sight, so for me He gave His life. So

*rit.*

*rit.*

Detailed description: This system contains measures 40 through 44. The vocal line continues with 'toned for me. I'm pre-cious in His sight, so for me He gave His life. So'. The piano accompaniment includes 'rit.' markings in both the right and left hands, with the right hand playing chords and the left hand playing a moving bass line.

45

when I feel un-cer-tain, I'll re-mem-ber Christ my Friend; how He lived for me, suf-fered and

*a tempo*

*rit. cresc.*

*a tempo*

*rit. cresc.*

3

Detailed description: This system contains measures 45 through 49. The vocal line continues with 'when I feel un-cer-tain, I'll re-mem-ber Christ my Friend; how He lived for me, suf-fered and'. The piano accompaniment features 'a tempo' markings in both hands and 'rit. cresc.' markings in the right and left hands. A triplet of eighth notes is marked with a '3' above it in the final measure.

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50

Tempo 1

die - died for me. I'll serve Him to the end. So I will fear not; He will be with me. I can suc -

*a tempo*

*a tempo*

This system contains measures 50 through 54. It features a vocal line and a piano accompaniment. The key signature is one sharp (F#). The tempo is marked 'Tempo 1'. The lyrics are: 'die - died for me. I'll serve Him to the end. So I will fear not; He will be with me. I can suc -'. The piano part includes a fermata over the first measure and a 'rit.' marking in the second measure.

55

Slower

ceed with Him by my side. He's my an - chor; He's my guide. And by vir - tue shall my

*rit.*

*rit.*

This system contains measures 55 through 59. The tempo is marked 'Slower'. The lyrics are: 'ceed with Him by my side. He's my an - chor; He's my guide. And by vir - tue shall my'. The piano part includes a 'rit.' marking in the second measure.

60

con - fi - dence wax strong.

*rit.*

*rit.*

This system contains measures 60 through 64. The lyrics are: 'con - fi - dence wax strong.'. The piano part includes a 'rit.' marking in the second measure. The system ends with a double bar line.