

# The Vulnerable Venerable

Flowing ♩ = 70

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Soprano

Piano

*p* *mp*

*Con Ped.*

S

In the fur-rows he tra-ces on the parch-ment. Ah

Pno.

*p* *mp*

S

ah

Pno.

*mp* *mf* *mp*

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S 13 *mp* *mf*

In the fur-rows he tra-ces on the parch-ment. There he

Pno. *mp*

S 17 *f*

sows the seeds of his di - vine words. He can-not take up the plow?

Pno. *mp* *mf* *f*

S 21 *p* Almost a Whisper...

Then let him take up the pen. If he can't-

Pno. *mp* *p*

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*p* ...Returning to full voice *mf*

S  
24  
take up the plow then let him take up the pen.

Pno.  
*p* *mf*

S  
27  
It is more use - ful. It is more

Pno.  
*mp* *p*

S  
31  
use - ful. Let him sow the seeds of his di - vine

Pno.  
*pp* *mf* *p* *mf* *pp*

S *mp*  
35  
words.

Pno. *mp*

S *mp*  
39  
He will reach with - out  
o - pen - ing his

Pno. *subito pp* *mp*

No Ped. Con Ped.

S *mp*  
43  
mouth.  
and with-out lea-ving his cloi-ster he will

Pno. *mp*

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47 *mf* *rit.* *a tempo* *f* *mp*

S

jour-ney far o-ver land and sea

Pno.

*mp* *mf* *mp*

51 *mp* *pp*

S

Pno.

*mp* M.S.

54 *mf* *f* *ff*

S

Land and sea.

Pno.

*mf* *f*