

for Clare College, Cambridge

# A CLARE BENEDICTION

a cappella version, for mixed choir S.A.T.B.

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Andante tranquillo e legato (♩ = c. 84)

May the Lord show his mer - cy up - on you; ——— may the

A. } Hum  
T. }  
B. }

5 light of his pre - sence be your guide: ——— *mp*

S. } May he guard ———  
A. }  
T. }  
B. }

10 you and up - hold ——— you; may his spi - rit be ev - er by your

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15 *p* o - ver you; —  
 side. — When you sleep, — may his an - gels watch o - - ver

*p*

20 *cresc.* *mf* grace: —  
 you; — when you wake, — may he fill you with his  
 grace: May you

*cresc.* *mf* grace: —

24 *cresc.* *f* *poco rall.* *dim.*  
 May you love him and serve — him all — your —  
 love him, love him and serve — him all — your —  
 May you *cresc.* *f* *dim.*

*cresc.* *f* *poco rall.* *dim.*

*a tempo (poco meno mosso)* *rit.*  
 Then in hea - ven — may you see — his face.  
 days, — *mp* *dim.* *p*

A. } Hum  
 T. }  
 B. }

*mp* *dim.* *p*