



ALASTAIR STOUT

A Book of Prayers

SATB

Sweetest Wood

adagio (♩ = 48)

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S. A. *p* Sweet-est wood, sweet-est iron, *mp* sweet-est wood, sweet-est iron,

T. B. *p* *mp*

5 S. A. *mf* sweet - est wood, sweet - est iron, *f* sweet - est wood, sweet - est iron,

T. B. *mf* *f*

9 S. A. *ff* sweet - est, sweet - est weight, *mf* sweet - est weight, sweet - est

T. B. *ff* *mf*

13 S. A. *mp* weight is hung on thee, *p* hung on thee.

T. B. *mp* *p*

A Prayer of Saint Lucy

GEORGE MACKAY BROWN

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$\text{♩} = 76$
p *mp* *mf* *p*

S. A. Saint Lu - cy, see sev'n bright leaves in the win - ter tree

T. B.

22 *mp* *pp*

S. A. Sev'n dia - monds shine In the deep - est dark - est mine

T. B.

26 *mf* *f* *mf* *relax*

S. A. Sev'n fish go, a glimm-ring shoal Un-der the

T. B.

29 *rall.* *piu lento* ($\text{♩} = 60$) *mf* *rall.*

S. A. ice of the North Pole Sweet St Lu - cy, be

T. B. Sweet St Lu - cy, be

Sweet St Lu - cy, be kind

a tempo
p **3** *mf* *p* **rall.**
pp

S. A. kind To us poor and win - tered and blind, and blind.

T. B.

Christ in Creation

JOSPEH MARY PLUNKETT

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1 *p* *mf* *f*

S. A. I see his blood up - on the rose And in the stars the glo - ry of his

T. B.

4 *p* *mf* *f* *p* *mf*

S. A. eyes His bo - dy gleams a - mid e - ter - nal snows His tears fall from the

T. B.

7 *p* *mf* *pp* *mf* *p* *mf*

S. A. I see his face in ev - 'ry flow'r; The thun - der

S. A. skies. *mf* I see his face *pp* *mf* in ev - 'ry flow'r; The thun der

T. B.

10

S. A. and the sing - ing of the birds Are but his voice and car - ven by his

T. B.

13

S. A. pow'r Rocks are his writ - ten words. All path-ways by his feet are

T. B. All path-ways by his feet are

mf

mp

mf

16

S. A. worn, His strong heart stirs the ev - er-beat - ing sea. His crown of thorns

T. B. worn, His strong heart stirs the ev - er-beat - ing sea. His crown of

f

ff

f

ff

19

S. A. is twined with ev-'ry thorn His cross is ev - 'ry tree.

T. B. thorns is twined with ev - 'ry thorn His cross is ev - 'ry tree.

mp

mp

pp

pp

pp

rall.