

Hymn for Compline  
 Te Lucis ante Terminum  
 for unaccompanied S.A.T.B. (or Ms.T.Bar.B.)



1. Be - fore the en - ding of the day

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$\text{♩} = c. 80$

Soprano  
(or Mezzo)

2. From all ill dreams de - fend our eyes, from nigh - tly fears  
 3. O Fa - ther, that we ask be done through Je - sus Christ,

1. Cre - a - tor of \_\_\_\_\_

Alto  
(or Tenor)

2 From. all ill dreams de - fend our eyes, from nigh - tly fears the  
 3. O fa - ther, that we ask be done through Je - sus Christ thine

1. Cre - a - tor of \_\_\_\_\_

Tenor  
(or Baritone)

2. From all ill dreams de - fend our eyes, from nigh - tly fears  
 3. O Fa - ther, that we ask be done through Je - sus Christ

1. Cre - a - tor of \_\_\_\_\_

Bass

2. From all ill dreams de - fend our eyes, from nigh - tly fears and  
 3. O Fa - ther, that we ask be done through Je - sus Christ, thine

1. Cre - a - tor of the \_\_\_\_\_

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— the world we pray, That with thy won - - - - ted  
 — and fan - ta - sies. Tread un - der - foot \_\_\_\_\_ our  
 — thine on - ly Son, who with the Ho - - - - ly

world \_\_\_\_\_ we pray, That with thy won - ted  
 fan - - - ta - sies. Tread un - der - foot out  
 on - - - ly Son, who with the Ho - ly

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 — and fan - ta - sies. Tread un - der - foot \_\_\_\_\_  
 — thine on - ly Son, who with the Ho - - - -

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 fan - - - ta - sies. Tread un - der - foot \_\_\_\_\_ our  
 on - - - ly \_\_\_\_\_ Son, who with the Ho - - - - ly

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fa - vour thou wouldst be our Guard and Kee - per now.  
ghos - tly foe, that no pol - lu - tion we may know.  
Ghost and thee doth live and reign e - ter - nal - ly.

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Ghost\_ and thee doth live and reign e - ter - nal - ly.

20 *Slower*

A - - - - - men.

*Slower*  
A - - men, A - - - - - men, A - - men.

*Slower*  
A - - men, A - - - - - men, A - - - - - men.

*Slower*  
A - - - - - men, A - - - - - men, A - - - - - men.

Latin text:

Te lucis ante términum,  
rerum Creátor, póscimus,  
ut sólita cleméntia  
sis præsul ad custódiám.

Procul recédant sómnia  
et nóctium phantásmata;  
hostémque nostrum cómprime,  
ne pollúantur córpora.

Præsta, Pater omnípotens,  
per Iesum Christum Dóminum,  
qui tecum in perpétuum  
regnat cum Sancto Spíritu.  
Amen.