

# elegy

Choral setting by Ted Vives

text based on "A Parable of Immortality"  
by Henry Van Dyke (1852 - 1933)

**Adagio** ♩ = 40 **A** **Freely**

**Soprano**  
ooo ohh A

**Alto**  
*mp* Solo *ten.* *ten.*  
I am stand - ing u - pon, u - pon the sea - shore

**Tenor**  
*p*  
ooo ohh

**Bass**  
ooo ohh

**Piano**  
(for rehearsal only)

**Adagio** ♩ = 40 **A** **Freely**

**S**  
7 **Tutti** *mp* **B**  
ship spreads her white sails to the morn - ing breeze. Just where

**A**  
**Tutti** *mf*  
Ship starts for the o - cean blue the o - cean blue. A ship at my

**T**  
8 Spread your white sails un - til at last you hang.

**B**  
I stand and watch un - til at last you hang.

**Pno.**  
7 **Slightly faster** ♩ = 50 **B**