The Spangled Sky At Night

Sop.  Alto

Andantino piacevole

Men

Organ or P.fte

Suggestions in boxed text are for a two-manual pedal organ

Music by Hazel Hudson

I. The spangled sky at night no eye can long ignore: it fills us with delight, yet mixed with fear and awe. For this dear planet of our birth, our home and haven, Mother Earth, u-

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pon creation's strand, is but a grain of sand.
2. Of star-dust we are made, our lives a fleeting flash, and stars like us will fade, their glory turned to ash. Ah

Yet wisdom tells the

listening soul that this dear planet has a goal: its purpose and design, the will of the Divine
3. Unknowable the mind that formed creation's laws. Yet

in ourselves we find reflections of that cause. The inner voice that bids us rise to

courage, love, self sacrifice, resounds through time and space the echoes of God's

grace.
4. For Love, who made the sky that stirs the human heart, for Love, who made the eye that sees the Maker's art, Ah

For Love, that took on human form and died that we might be re-born, let all creation raise its song of endless praise.