

Dedicated to the Choir of St Columba's Church, Maryhill, Glasgow

O RADIANT DAWN

for mixed voices a cappella
from *The Strathclyde Motets*

Antiphon for 21 December

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Andante ♩ = c84

SOPRANO
ALTO

TENOR
BASS

f

O Ra - diant Dawn, O Ra - diant Dawn,

f

5

O Ra - - diant Dawn, Splen - dour of e -

9

- ter - nal Light, Sun of Jus - tice, Sun of

13

Jus - tice, Sun of Jus - tice:

* **Note:** Grace notes always on the beat

17 *p* *cresc poco a poco*

come, come, come, come,

p *cresc poco a poco*

(*cresc poco a poco*)

21 *f*

come, come, shine on those who dwell in

(*cresc poco a poco*) *f*

24 *p*

2nd time to Coda ⊕

dark - ness and the sha - dow of death. I -

p

2nd time to Coda ⊕

27 *poco*

- sai - ah had pro - phe - sied, The peo - ple who walked in

31

dark - ness have seen a great _ light; up - on

34

mf

those who dwelt in the land of gloom a light has _ shone.'

⊕ CODA

38

p

A - men, a - men, a - men,

42

a - men, a - men, a - - men.

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