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LIAM LAWTON



Workshop 5-05
Saturday, February 25 1 PM - 2:15 PM
2023 Los Angeles Religious Education Congress

About the Presenter

Liam Lawton has been composing and performing for over twenty years. His niche is his own brand of sacred and inspirational music, which has become repertoire for choirs and individuals throughout the world.

He has recorded 14 collections to date with a number of them achieving platinum status. A number of artists at home and abroad have recorded his material and his liturgical works have translated into many languages including Swedish, French, German, and Irish. Liam publishes with GIA Publications, Inc. in Chicago, Illinois, one of the major liturgical music publishers in the United States. His music has been performed for many state occasions in Ireland the United Kingdom, and the United States.

His work and performances have brought him to such stages as Carnegie Hall, Chicago Symphony Hall, Anaheim Convention Centre, National Concert Hall Dublin, The Paul VI Auditorium at the Vatican, The White House, and many of the world's sacred sites.

Liam has recorded a number of TV specials and his works have been narrated by such greats as Gregory Peck, Frank McCourt, Joan Cusack, John Malkovitch, and Mick Lally of the Abbey theatre in Dublin.

Liam's second book *The Hope Prayer*—a book of poetic reflections—became a best seller in 2010 in Ireland. Recently he was one of the people invited to perform at the International Eucharistic Congress held in Dublin, singing his own compositions before a live audience of 75,000 people and a Televised audience of 200 million. Liam is a Roman Catholic priest of the Diocese of Kildare & Leighlin south of Dublin. He has continued to hold the position of Director of Sacred Music in his Diocese. He resides in Edenderry, Co. Offaly, Ireland.

To preview and purchase music from Liam, visit:
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Holy Ground

Liam Lawton, Arr. Chris de Silva

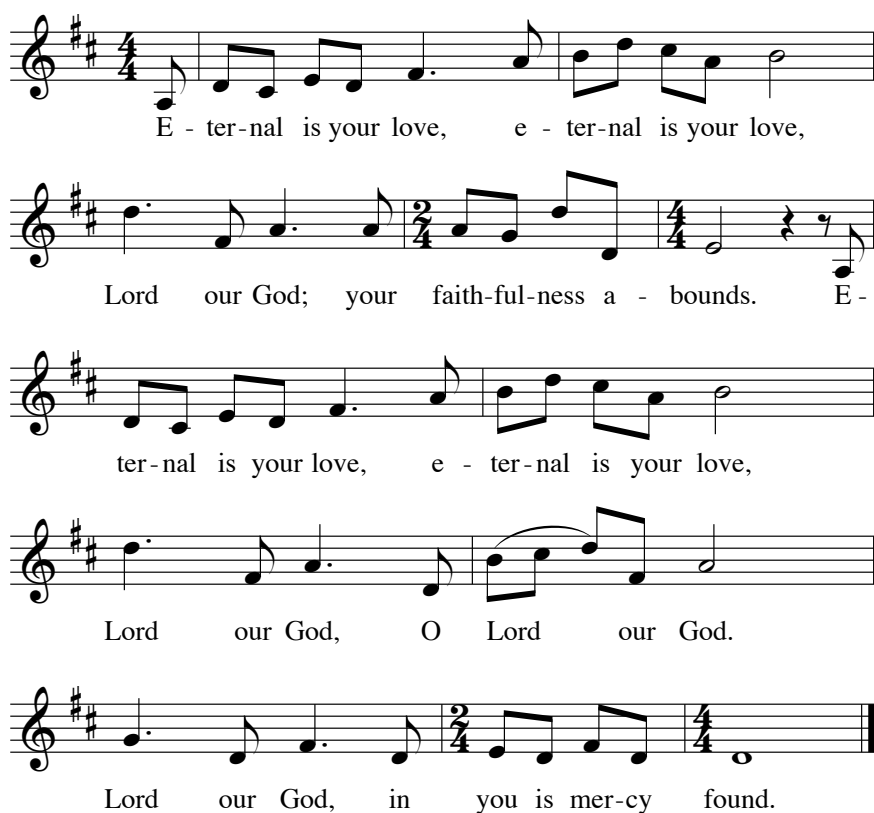
This is ho - ly ground. In this ho - ly
place where God's love is found, we
come to seek his face. For
all who gath-er, bless-ings rich a -
bound, where the an - gels
fol - low, here on ho - ly ground.

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Eternal Is Your Love

Liam Lawton

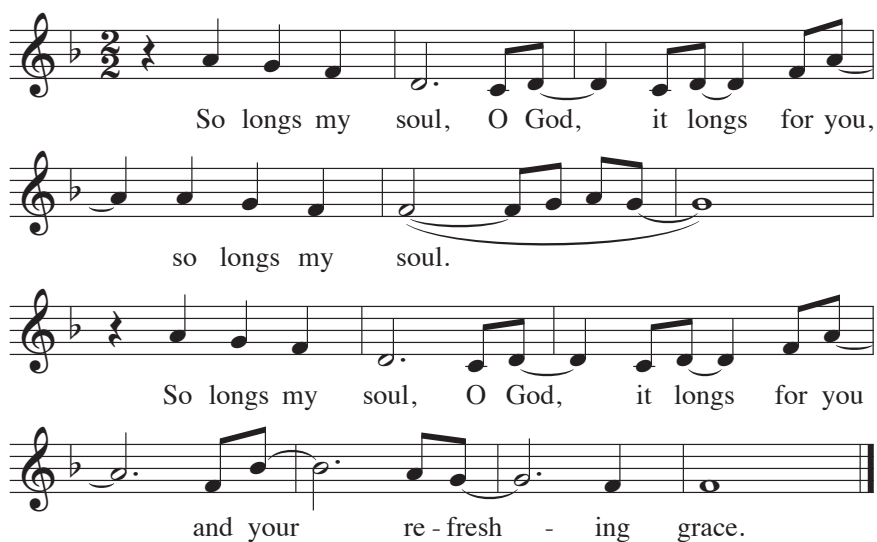


E - ter-nal is your love, e - ter-nal is your love,
 Lord our God; your faith-ful-ness a - bounds. E -
 ter-nal is your love, e - ter-nal is your love,
 Lord our God, O Lord our God.
 Lord our God, in you is mer-cy found.

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So Longs My Soul

Liam Lawton, Arr. Chris de Silva



So longs my soul, O God, it longs for you,
 so longs my soul.
 So longs my soul, O God, it longs for you
 and your re - fresh - ing grace.

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The Clouds' Veil

Liam Lawton

E - ven though the rain hides the stars,
e - ven though the mist swirls the hills,
e - ven when the dark clouds veil the sky,
God is by my side. E - ven when the sun shall fall in
sleep, e - ven when at dawn the sky shall weep,
e - ven in the night when storms shall rise,
God is by my side. God is by my side.

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Rise Up

Liam Lawton, Arr. Chris de Silva

Rise up, oh, rise up! Show your
face un - to the Lord. Rise up, oh,
rise up! Bring his love in - to the world, that you may
gaze on his ho - ly coun - te - nance, that you may
share his ho - ly word. Rise up, oh,
rise up! Bring his love in - to the world.

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Come and Listen

Liam Lawton

1. 7 Glo - ri - fy the Lord with me, to -
 2. 7 Come and lis - ten well my child, O
 3. 7 I will bless the Lord all times, his
 4. Then glo - ri - fy the Lord with me, to -

geth - er praise his name. Glo - ri - fy the
 come, and fear the Lord. Come and lis - ten
 praise shall set me free. I will bless the
 geth - er praise his name. Glo - ri - fy the

Lord with me, for - ev - er and the
 well my child, and hear his ho - ly
 Lord all times, and all my fear shall
 Lord with me, for - ev - er and the

same. All peo - ples, now re - vere the
 word. The Lord is close to all who
 flee. In the Lord my soul shall make its
 same. All peo - ples now re - vere the

Lord, and lift your heads on high.
 call, who call a - loud his name.
 boast; let the hum - ble hear and be glad.
 Lord, and lift your heads on high.

O look to him and be ra - di - ant, for
 O taste and see the Lord is good, from
 The Lord is close to all who call, to
 O look to him and be ra - di - ant, then

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God will hear your cry.
 age to age the same.
 all hearts that are sad.
 "Al - le - lu - ia" cry.

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In the Breaking of the Bread

Liam Lawton

Refrain

In the break - ing of the bread, we will
find our hope, al - le - lu - ia. In the
words, just as you said, we be -
lieve, O Lord, al - le - lu - ia.

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Ubi Caritas

Liam Lawton

U - bi ca - ri - tas, u - bi ca - ri - tas, u - bi ca - ri - tas et
a - mor, u - bi ca - ri - tas, u - bi ca - ri - tas,
u - bi ca - ri - tas De - us i - bi est.

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You Are Not Alone

Liam Lawton

You are not a - lone, though you're on your
own. I will hold you deep in my
heart. Do not be a - fraid.
I have heard your prayer, so do not
wor-ry, do not be a - fraid. You're not a -
lone, you are not a - lone.

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In Silence and Peace

Liam Lawton

Tru-ly, tru-ly my soul is at rest in
si-lence and peace, in si-lence and peace.
Tru-ly, tru-ly my soul is at rest in
si-lence and peace, in si-lence and peace.

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There Is A Place

Liam Lawton

There is treas - ure in our fields, there is

treas - ure in our skies, there is treas - ure in our

dream-ing from the soul to the eye,

for wher - ev - er we gath - er in the

light of God's grace, and for all whom we re -

mem - ber, there will ev - er

be a place.

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There Are Many Rooms

Liam Lawton



There are man-y rooms in my Fa - ther's house.

Do not be a - fraid, and have no doubt;

I am go-ing there to pre - pare a place.

Come and fol-low me, come and you will see,

come and take your rest in God's safe em - brace.

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Journey of a Soul

Liam Lawton



Jour-ney of a soul, where love will find a home.

Jour-ney of a soul, to fill the heart with hope.

And when the night seems far, and when it's dark,

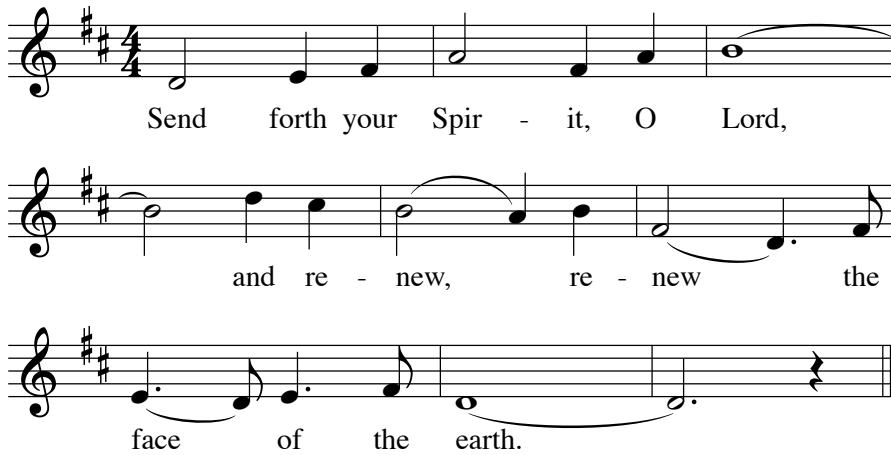
jour-ney of a soul, come and take me home.

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Send Forth Your Spirit

Liam Lawton, Arr. John McCann



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The Lord Will Heal the Broken Heart

Liam Lawton, Arr. John McCann



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Sing of a Lady

Liam Lawton, Arr. Paul A. Tate

So come and sing with me. We'll
raise a joy - ful song to lead the world from
dark to light and turn to right from wrong.
So come and sing with me a
hymn of joy-ful praise: A - ve Ma - ri - a,
A - ve Ma - ri - a, A - ve Ma -
ri - a, the hope of all our days.

The musical score is written on seven staves in treble clef, key of D major (two sharps), and 3/4 time. The melody is simple and melodic, with lyrics written below the notes. The first line starts with a quarter rest followed by a quarter note. The second line has a quarter note followed by a quarter rest. The third line ends with a half note. The fourth line starts with a quarter note followed by a quarter rest. The fifth line has a quarter note followed by a quarter rest. The sixth line has a quarter note followed by a quarter rest. The seventh line ends with a half note.

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Sacred Land

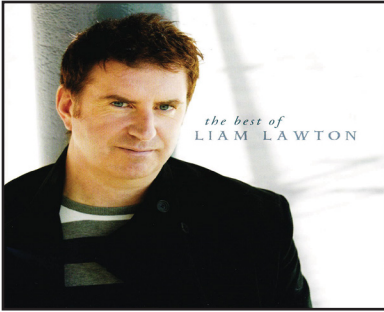
Liam Lawton

Trav-el on with hopes and dreams and
plans, trav-el on, one day you'll un-der-
stand, all you learn is gui-ded from a -
bove, all you do can change the world with
love. Let God lead you by the hand
as you cross the sa-cred land.

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Voices of Angels

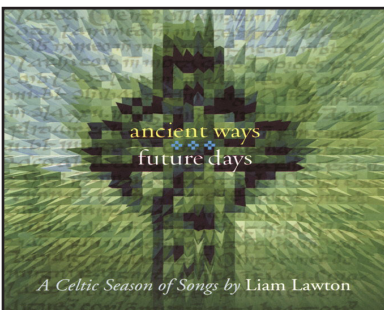
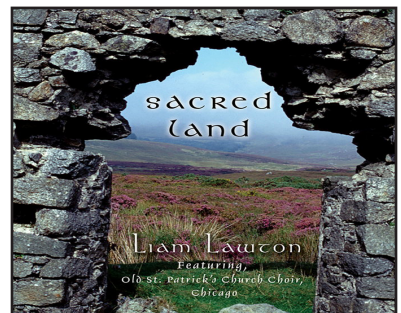
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New from Liam Lawton



Come and Listen

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A collection born in the midst of the COVID-19 lockdown, *Come and Listen* offers music for both the happiest and saddest of life's occasions, the everyday and the special, all blessed with Liam's Celtic sensibilities.

"You Are Not Alone" incorporates Psalm 23 and is suitable for funerals while "Love Will Find You" is a wonderful choice for weddings with either choir or soloist. "Lord of Sorrow, Lord of Shame" and "Ubi Caritas et Amor" will find their place amongst your favorites for Holy Week while "In the Breaking of the Bread" is a lovely and useful communion piece based on the famous Stowe Missal.

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