

NEW PRODUCT RELEASE INFORMATION for PAIM

Product Title & Stock Number: 2806146E Jerusalem the Golden

Product Author: Dale Witte

Interesting Facts about Author: Witte is choir director at Winnebago Lutheran Academy in Fond du Lac, WI. He is widely sought as both a conductor and composer/arranger in our synod. He also serves on the Psalms Subcommittee for the WELS Hymnal Project. NPH has published both his keyboard and choral works.

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Summary of Product: Concertato for SATB, Trumpet, Organ, and Congregation. This arrangement of the popular Gustav Holst tune from The Planets (middle section of Jupiter, which also serves as the hymn tune for CWS728) was commissioned for the 2014 WELS Conference on Worship, Music and the Arts. The original commission was fully orchestrated; this reduction provides a more accessible option for congregations. The choral writing is at times moderately advanced; the organ and trumpet writing more so. Nonetheless, the reduction makes it possible for the arrangement to be used since full orchestra is rarely an option.

Key Benefits/Features of Product: popular tune/text from CWS, reduction for better accessibility, includes congregation

Different Uses for Product, including Anticipated Market: especially useful for larger congregations looking for festival concertatos, particularly for End Times. That said, the lack of brass and percussion should serve a wider segment of congregations.

Current NPH Products Related to Product: many NPH concertatos, especially those with only a solo instrument.