

for Brian M. Dehn  
**La Carona**

II. Annunciation

John Donne (1572-1631)

D. James Royer

Voice

Foreboding ♩ = 80

Piano

*mp* Sal - va - tion to

8

all that will is nigh, That All, which al - ways is All <sup>3</sup> everywhere, Which cannot sinne, and

13

yet all sinnes must beare, — which can - not die, yet can - not chuse but die,

*rit*

18 *a tempo*

Loe, faith-full Vir - gin, — yeelds him-selfe to lye In pri - son, — in thy wombe; and

*a tempo*

21

though he there Can — take no — shine, nor — thou give, yet he'll weare Tak-en from thence,

*cresc.*

8<sup>va</sup>

24

flesh, flesh, which deaths — force may trie, trie.

3

27

*molto rit.*

8<sup>va</sup>

30 *a tempo* ♩ = 63

*mp* Ere by the speares time was cre-a- ted, thou Wast

8va

3

33

in his minde, who is thy Sonne and Bro- ther Whom

36 *poco accel.*

thou con- ceiv'st con- ceiv'd; yea thou art now Thy

*poco accel.*

39

Mak- ers mak- er, and thy Fa- thers mo- ther,

*poco rit.*

42 *a tempo*

*mp* Thou hast light

*8va*

continuously held

*a tempo*

45

in darke; and shutst in lit - tle roome, Im

48

men - si - ty cloys - terd in my deare

51

dying away

womb