

# Verse for the Baptism of our Lord

for unison choir and organ

Mark 1:11b (ESV)

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The musical score is written for a unison choir and organ. It begins with a tempo marking of quarter note = 76 and a dynamic of *mf*. The key signature has two flats (B-flat and E-flat), and the time signature is 4/4. The first system shows the choir melody with lyrics "Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu -" and the organ accompaniment. The organ part features a flowing eighth-note pattern in the right hand and a more static bass line in the left hand. The second system continues the choir melody with lyrics "ia. You are my be - lov - ed" and the organ accompaniment, which includes triplet figures in both hands. The organ part concludes with a final chord in the right hand and a sustained bass note in the left hand.

Scripture taken from The Holy Bible, English Standard Version.

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Son, my be - lov - ed Son, with you with

Org.

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*cresc.* you I am well - pleased. *f* *mf* Al - le - lu - ia,

Org.

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al - le - lu - - - ia.

Org.