

Interstice

18. Ashrei

Psalms 84:5, 144:15,  
145 (complete)

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from *Pesukei d'Zimrah*

For solo quartet or chamber group

**Soprano** *f* Ash -

**Alto** *f* Se - lah! Ash -

**Tenor** *f* Ash - rei yo - sh'-vei vei - te - cha od ye - ha - le lu - cha, se - lah! Ash -  
*O hap - py those who sit in God's house, we will sing Your praises: lah!*

**Bass** *f* Se - lah! Ash -

**6**

**S** rei ha - am she - ka - cha lo; ash rei ha - am she - A - do - nai e - lo - hav.  
*hap - py the na - tion for whom*

**A** rei ha - am she - ka - cha lo; ash rei ha - am she - A - do - nai e - lo - hav.

**T** rei ha - am she - ka - cha lo; ash rei ha - am she - A - do - nai e - lo - hav.  
*hap - py the na - tion that knows tis so, O hap - the na - tion for whom God is the Lord!*

**B** rei Ash - - rei Te - hi - lah

**10** *poco rit.* *a tempo*

**S** Te - hi - lah le - Da vid: A - ro - mim - cha e - lo - hai ha Me - lech; va - a - va - r' -  
*I shall ex - alt You O my God and Sov - ereign, and I shall*

**A** Te - hi - lah le - Da vid: A - ro - mim cha e - lo - hai ha me - lech va - a - va - r' -

**T** Te - hi - lah le - Da vid: A - ro - mim - cha e - lo - hai ha Me - lech va - a - va - r' -  
*Sing a Psalm of Da vid!*

**B** le - Da - vid A - ro - - - mim - cha E lo - hai ha - Me - lech va - a - va - r' -

**14**

**S** cha shim - cha l' o - lam va - ed.  
*bless Your Name for e - ver and e'er*

**A** cha shim - cha l' - o - lam va - ed B' chol yom a - va - r' che - ka; va - a - ha - l' -  
*Ev - 'ry day I shall bless You, I shall sing the*

**T** cha shim - cha l' - o lam va - ed B' - chol yom a - va - r' che - ka; va - a - ha - l' -

**B** *ff* cha shim - cha l' o - lam va' - ed

18 *ff*

S *Ga dol A - do - nai um - hul - lal m' - od; v' -*  
*For great is the Lord and His praise is vast; To*

A lah shim - cha l' - o - lam va - ed. Oooh Doo! Doo! v' -  
*praise of Your Name for e'er and e'er*

T lah shim - cha l' - o - lam va - ed Oooh Doo! Doo! v' -

B l' - o lam va - ed. Oooh Doo! Doo!

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S lig - du - la - to ein che - ker Dor l' - dor y' - sha - bach ma - a - se - cha ug  
*tell of His great - ness there's no end From age to age we shall ho - nor Your deeds, and Your*

A lig - du - la - to ein che - ker Dor l' - dor y' - sha bach ma - a - se - cha ug -

T lig du - la to ein che - ker Dor l' - dor y - sha bach ma - a - se - cha ug -

B Ooh! Dor l' - dor Ooh

26 *mp* *mf*

S vu - ro - te - cha ya gi - du. v' - div -  
*po - wer we shall re late and the*

A vu - ro - te cha ya - gi - du Ha dar k' - vod ho - de cha  
*The splen - dor and glo - ry of Your pow'r*

T vu - ro - te - cha ya - gi - du Ha dar k' - vod ho - de - cha

B Doo doo doo Ooh Ha dar k' - vod ho - de - cha

30 *ff* *mf*

S rei nif - l' - o - te - cha a - si - cha Ve - e - zuz no - r' - o - te - cha yo - mei ru u - g' -  
*words of Your won - ders I shall tell. And the strength of Your awe - some - ness speaks of You and Your*

A A - - - - - si - cha Ah Doo Doo Doo

T Nif l' o - te - cha a - si - cha Ah Doo Doo

B A - - - - - si - cha Ah Doo Doo ug -

34 *f*

S du - la - t' - cha a - sap - re - na Ze - cher rav tu - v' - cha ya bi - 'u v' -  
*great - ness I shall re - tell Mem - 'ries - of Your o - ver - flow - ing good - ness and Your*

A Oooh *f* Aah Ze - cher rav tu - v' - cha ya - bi - 'u v' -

T Oooh *f* Aah Ze - cher rav tu - v' - cha ya - bi - 'u v' -

B du la - t' - cha a - sap - re - na Ze - cher rav tu - v' - cha ya - bi - 'u v' -

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S tzid - ka - t' - cha y' - ra - nei - - nu  
*right - eous - ness spur us to joy - ous song*

A tzid ka - t' - cha y' - ra - nei nu *Cha* nun v' - ra - chum A - do - nai  
*The grace and the mer - cy of God*

T tzid ka - t' - cha y' - ra nei nu *Cha* nun v' - ra - chum - A - do - nai e -

B *ff* tzid ka - t' - cha y' - ra - nei - nu *f* Ah

42 *ff*

S *Tov A - do - nai la - kol v' - ra - cha*  
*Good is the Lord to all and His*

A e - rech a - pa - yim ug - dawl cha - sed *Tov* la - kol v' -  
*He, slow to an - ger and great in kind - ness*

T rech a - pa - yim ug - dawl cha - sed *Tov!* la kol v' -

B ug - dawl cha - sed *Tov* la - - kol Oh!

46

S mav al kol ma - a - sav Yo du cha A - do - nai kol ma - a -  
*mer - - - cy is on all He cre - a - ted Thanks the the Lord, from*

A ra - cha - mav al kol ma - a - sav Doo di - doo di - doo di - doo di -

T ra - cha mav al kol ma - a - sav Doo di - doo doo

B Ah Doo di - doo

49 *mp*

S se - - - cha va - cha - si - de - - - cha y'-va - r' - chu - - - cha *mp*  
*all Your works, and Your faith - - - ful ones shall bless You*

A doo di-doo di-doo dum Doo di - doo Ah \*cha-cha-cha! *The k' - mp*

T doo di - doo di-doo dum Doo - bi - doo - bi - doo Ah K' - *mp*

B doo bee doo bee doo Doo di - doo Ah K' - *mp*

52 *mf*

S *u - g' - vu - ro - t' - cha y' - da -*  
*and of might that is Yours they shall*

A vod mal - chu - t' - cha yo - mei - ru u - g' vu - ro t' - cha y' - da -  
*ho - nor of Your king - dom: of that they speak Ooh*

T vod mal - - chu - t' - cha yo - mei - ru u - g' vu - ro t' - cha y' - da -

B vod mal - - chu - t' - cha yo - mei - ru Ooh

55 *ff* *mf*

S bei - ru L' - ho di - 'a liv - nei ha - a dam g' - vu - ro - tav u - ch' - vod ha - dar mal - chu -  
*ut - ter words. To bring know - lege to all - hu - ma kind of Your pow'r, - of the ho - nor and splen - dor of Your*

A Ah Doo doo doo Oh

T bei - ru Ah Doo doo oh

B Ah Doo doo k' - vod ha - dar

59 *f* *mp*

S to king dom Mal - chu - t' - cha mal - chut - - kol o - la - mim u - mem shal - t' - cha b' - chol  
*Your king - dom a king - dom of in - fi - ni - ties Your do - min - ion of all*

A Ooh o - la - mim Ah *mp*

T Ah Ooh o - la - mim Ah *mp*

B mal - chu - to mal - chut - cha mal - chut kol o - la - mim u - mem shal - t' - cha b' - chol

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S dor va - dor So meich A - do - nai l' - chol ha - no - f' - lim v' - zo keif l' - chol ha - k' - fu  
*age and age* *You hold up, O Lord,* *all the* *ff* *ff* *ff*  
*ff* *mp* *f* *ff*

A dor va - dor Ah ha - no - f' - lim v' - zo keif l' - chol ha - k' - fu  
*f* *mp* *f* *ff*

T dor va - dor Ah ha - no - f' - lim v' - zo keif l' - chol ha - k' - fu  
*f* *mp* *f* *ff*

B dor va - dor So - meich A - do - nai l' - chol ha - no - f' - lim v' - zo - keif l' - chol ha - k' - fu  
*f* *mp* *f* *ff*

67

S fim. Ei nei chol ei - le - cha y' - sa - bei - ru v' - a ta no - tein la - hem et och -  
*bent. The eyes of all look towards You and hope and You doth give to them what to*  
*mf* *mp* *mp* *mp*

A fim. Ooh Ooh Ooh

T fim. Ooh Ooh Ooh

B fim. Ooh Ooh Ooh

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S lam b' - i to Po - te ach et ya de - cha u - mas - bi - 'a l' -  
*eat, in its time You o - pen up Your hand sa - tis - fy - ing what*

A Po - te - ach et ya - de - cha u - mas - bi - 'a

T Po - te - ach et ya - de - cha u - mas - bi - 'a

B B' - i - to Po tei - ach et ya - de - - - - cha u - mas - bi - 'a l' *ff*

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S chol chai ra - tzon  
*all who live want*

A l' - chol chai ra - tzon tza dik A - do - nai b' - chol d' - ra - chav v' - cha sid b' - chol  
*For just is the Lord in all of His ways, and - faith - ful in all*

T l' - chol chai ra - tzon Ah - - - - -

B chol chai ra - tzon tza - dik A - do - nai b' - chol d' - ra chav v' - cha - sid b' - chol

79 *ff*

S *ka rov A-do-nai l' chol ko-r'-av l' chol a-sher yik-r'-u-hu ve-e met r'*  
*For close is the Lord to all who call to all who call up - on Him in truth The*

A *ma - a - sav ka rov A - do - nai l' chol ko - r' - 'av l' chol Ah ve - e - met - r' -*  
*that He does*

T *ma - a - sav Oh chol ah l' chol be - E met*

B *ma - a - sav ka - rov l' - chol kor - av be - e - met*

84 *mp*

S *tzon y' - rei av ya - a - seh v' - et shav - 'a - tam yish ma v' - yo - shi - eim*  
*wants of those in awe He shall do their cries shav - 'a - tam He hears and them He saves* *mf*

A *tzon y' - rei - av ya - a - seh v' - et shav - 'a - tam yo - - - shi - eim Sho -*  
*He* *mf*

T *Oh di - doh ya - a - seh v' - et shav - 'a - - - tam yo - shi - eim Sho -*  
*He* *mf*

B *Oh shav - 'a - tam yo - - - shi - eim*

88 *mf* *ff*

S *y' - et kol ha-r'-sha-im yash - mid T' - hi -*  
*while all of the wic - ked He des - troys May the*

A *meir A - do - nai et kol o - ha - yav R' - sha - - - im yash - mid T' - hi - lat*  
*guards (the Lord) all those who love Him*

T *meir A - do - nai et kol o - ha - yav R' - sha - im yash - mid T' - hi - lat*

B *Ah R' - - - sha - im yash - mid*

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S *lat A - do - nai y' - da - ber pi vi - va - rech kol ba - sar shem kawd -*  
*praise of the Lord be spo - ken by my mouth; may all flesh bless His Name most*

A *A - do - nai y' - da - ber pi vi - va - rech kol ba - sar shem kawd*

T *A - do - nai y' - da - - - ber pi Ah*

B *Y' - - - da - - - - ber pi Ah*

95 Optional: Have half chorus join at Va'anachnu *ff*

S  
 sho l' - o - lam va - ed Va - a nach nu n' - va - rech Yahh mei - a tah v' -  
*Ho - ly for - e'er and e'er As for* *ff* we shall bless the Lord from now to

A  
 sho l' - o - lam va - ed Va - a nach nu n' - va - rech Yahh mei - a tah v' -

T  
 Va - - - a nach nu n' - va - rech Yahh mei - a tah v' -

B  
 Va - - - a nach - nu n' - va rech Yahh mei - a - tah v' -

101 Recommended: have entire chorus come in on the "Halleluyah"s

S  
 ad o - lam Ha - l' - lu - yah Ha - l' - lu - yah Ha - l' lu yah  
*e - ver - more:*

A  
 ad o - lam Ha - l' - lu - yah Ha - l' - lu - yah Ha - l' lu -

T  
 ad o - lam Ha - l' - lu - yah Ha - l' - lu - yah Ha - l' lu -

B  
 ad o - lam Ha - l' - lu yah Ha - l' - lu - yah! Ha - l' - lu - yah Ha - l' - lu - yah

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S  
 Ha - l' - lu - yah Ha - l' - lu - yah

A  
 yah Ha - l' - lu - yah

T  
 yah Ha - l' - lu - - - yah

B  
 Ha - - - - - le - - - - - lu yah!