

for my mother, Patricia Dawson

FIVE SONNETS

I. i thank You God for most this amazing

E. E. Cummings

J.A.C. Redford

mp $\text{♩} = 54$

5 *f* *quasi harp* *f* *pp* *mp* *8va*

i thank You God for most this a - maz - ing

8 *mf* *L'istesso tempo* $\text{♩} = \text{♩}$ *mf* *3*

day: for the leap - ing green - ly spir - its of

10 *mp* *mp* *3*

trees and a blue true dream of sky; and for



12 *mp* *crescendo* *poco* *a*

ev - ery - thing which is nat - u - ral which is

14 *poco* *ff*

in - fi - nite which is yes

16 *cantabile* *mp* *ritard*

19 **A tempo primo** *mf* *pp*

(i who have died am a - live a - gain to -

mf *quasi harp* *pp*