

Commissioned by the Ottawa Regional Youth Choir, Barbara Clark, director,
for their 20th anniversary

To Everything There Is a Season

SATB *divisi*, with Piano and optional Flute and Oboe*

Ecclesiastes 3:1–8

Ruth Watson Henderson

Allegro con brio ♩ = 69

****Flute** *mf*

****Oboe** *mf*

S **Allegro con brio** ♩ = 69 *mf*

a sea-son for song, a

A *mf*

A time for sing-ing, a time for sing-ing,

T *mf*

A time, a time,

B *mf*

A time, a time,

Allegro con brio ♩ = 69 *mf*

*In the absence of flute and oboe, the piano may play these parts in measures 2 through 8.

Duration: 4:30

**Flute and Oboe parts are found on pages 25–28.

5

f

f

f

sea-son for song, for song, for song, for song. _____

_____ a time, _____ a time, a time for song.

f

_____ a time, _____ a time, a time for song.

f

_____ a time, _____ a time, a time for song.

8

f

_____ a time, _____ a time, a time for song.

_____ a time, _____ a time, a time for song.

_____ a time, _____ a time, a time for song.

9

mf

SA

TB

mf

12

f

f

SA *mf*

TB To ev - 'ry - thing there is a sea - son, — and a

f

mf

15

mf

time to ev - 'ry pur - pose un - der the heav'n:

18

unis. A sea - son, *div.* A time

and a time,

21

mp

to ev - 'ry pur - pose un - der the heav'n:

24

mf

mf be born,

mf A time to be born,

mf

27

and a time to die; and a

to die; A time to plant,

31

time to pluck up, pluck up, that which is plant - ed;—

pluck up, pluck up, that which is plant - ed;—