

Ye Elders of Israel/As Sisters in Zion

For the Missionaries

SATB

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The musical score is arranged for SATB voices and piano. It begins with a piano introduction in E-flat major, 4/4 time, marked *mp* and *mf*, leading to a *f* dynamic. The vocal parts (TT, BB, and SATB) enter with the lyrics: "Ye el— ders of Is— rael, come join now with me And seek out the righ - teous, wher - e'er they may be; In des— ert, on moun— tain, on land, or on". The score includes dynamic markings (*mp*, *mf*, *f*) and articulation marks like slurs and accents. A rehearsal mark '5' is placed above the first measure of the vocal lines in the second system.

*The parts to these selected verses can be sung from the hymnbook, #319 and #309, with the exception of measure 60, when the altos sing an F.

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sea, And bring them to Zi - on, the pure and the free. O Bab - y - lon, O

Bab - y - lon, we bid thee fare - well; We're going to the moun - tains of E - phraim to

33

dwell. (#309 verse 1) As sis - ters in

rit. *a tempo*

Zi - on, we'll all work to - geth - er; The bless - ings of God on our la - bors we'll

simile

seek.—We'll build up his king - dom with ear - nest en - deav - or; We'll com - fort the

(#309 Verse 3) 49

wea - ry and strength - en the weak. How vast is our pur - pose, how broad is our

49

mis - sion, If we but ful - fill it in spir - it and deed.— Oh, naught but the

Spir - it's di - vin - est tu - i - tion Can give us the wis - dom to tru - ly suc -

(#319 verse 2) SA *f* 68

ceed. The har - vest is great, — and the

TB *f*

rit. *f* 68

la - b'ers are few; But if we're un - nit - ed, we all things can do. We'll

gath - er the wheat - from the midst of the tares And bring them from

bond - age, from sor - rows and snares. O Bab - y - lon, O Bab - y - lon, we bid thee fare -

mf rit. [84]

[84] *mf rit.*

well; We're going to the moun - tains of E - phraim to dwell.

mp *p*

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