

Nahum Tate and
Nicholas Brady. 1698
(Psalm 11) 86. 86. (C. M.)

The Bird

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G minor
William Billings, 1790

Treble Counter Tenor Bass

Since I have placed my trust in God, A ref - uge al - ways

Tr. C. T. B.

nigh, Why should I, like a tim - orous bird, To

Tr. C. T. B.

Why should I, dis - tant moun-tains fly? Why

Tr. C. T. B.

Why should I, like a tim - orous

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Tr. like a tim - orous bird, to dis-tant moun-tains fly? _____
 C. should I, like a tim - orous bird, to dis-tant moun-tains fly? _____
 T. 8 tim - orous bird, to dis - tant moun - tains
 B. bird, To dis - tant moun - tains, moun - tains

25 Tr. _____ To dis - tant moun - tains, To
 C. Why should I, like a tim-orous bird, to dis-tant moun-tains fly? _____
 T. 8 fly? _____ To dis - tant moun - tains, dis - tant moun - tains, To
 B. fly? _____ To dis - tant moun - tains, dis - tant moun - tains, To

30 Tr. dis - tant moun - tains, dis - tant moun - tains fly?
 C. To dis - tant moun - tains, dis - tant moun - tains fly?
 T. 8 moun - tains, moun - tains fly?
 B. dis - tant moun - tains, To dis - tant moun - tains fly?