

Songs of Spirit

♩ = 106 B G#m B E F#sus F#7 B B A#dim B

1. Songs of spir - it, like a prayer breath-ing in the
 2. In the bur - geon - ing of spring, in the sum - mer's
 3. Sing - ing, sing - ing ev - ery - where, at the heart of

4 C#m7 F# B B G#m B E F#sus F#7 B

am - bient air; sing - ing in the morn - ing light,
 scent - ed bloom, in the au - tumn's mel - low glow,
 ev - ery - thing; in my soul I hear them sing;

7 B A#dim B C#m7 F# B F# B D#dim

in the ra - diance of the day, in the twi - light
 in the win - ter's ice and snow; shade, or shine, or
 mys - tic mu - sic of the spheres; songs that, with my

10 G#m C#7 F# C#m G#m D#sus D#7 G#m

shad - ows gray, in the brood - ing hush of night;
 joy, or gloom, as the sea - sons come and go,
 ut - most art, I can on - ly catch in part;

13 B E F# G#m C#7 F#

dark or light, or storm, or fair—
 bleak and bare, or blos - som - ing—
 bro - ken ech - oes, cold and bare,

15 E B C#m B C#m7 F#7 B

sing - ing, sing - ing ev - ery - where.
 still the songs that sing and sing!
 of the songs my spir - it hears.

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Music: Jacob Hintze, 1622-1702, harmony by J.S. Bach, 1685-1750

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