

O V E R T U R E

Ode for his Majesty's Birthday, 1770

Arranged for SATB Recorders by R. D. Tennent †

William Boyce (1711–1779)

Larghetto

4

7

10

Allegro

14

18

23

27

31

36

†Original in D minor.

40

45

50

55

60

65

69

74

79

84

88

The musical score consists of eleven staves of music for a solo instrument. The staves are numbered 40, 45, 50, 55, 60, 65, 69, 74, 79, 84, and 88, followed by a final 'g' symbol. Each staff begins with a measure number and ends with a 'g' symbol. The music features sixteenth-note patterns with various slurs, grace notes, and dynamic markings like accents and staccato dots. The key signature changes from one staff to the next, indicating different sections of the piece.