

OXFORD

Bob
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Sacred

BC18

SATB

and keyboard

for Grupo Vocal Olisipo

IRISH BLESSING

Traditional

BOB CHILCOTT

With a gentle lilt $\text{♩} = c.92$

SOPRANO
ALTO

unis. *mp cantabile*

May the

PIANO
or
ORGAN

dolce

mp

5

road rise to meet you, — may the wind be e-ver at your back, may the

9

sun shine warm u - pon your face, and the rain fall soft u-pon your fields,

13 *cresc.* *mf*

And un - til we meet a - gain,

17 *dolce* *div.* *unis.*

May God hold you, may God hold you, e - ver in the

21

palm of his hand.

25 *mf* *hfr*

SOPRANO
ALTO
TENOR
BASS *mf*

May the road rise to meet you, — may the wind be e-ver at your

29

back, may the sun shine warm u - pon - your - face, and the

32

rain fall soft u-pon your fields, And un - til we meet a -

T. your fields,

cresc.

cresc.

36

- gain, may. God - hold - you, s. hold you, (div.) may God

Low R

f mf

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40 hold you, *mp*
 hold you, e - ver in the palm of his hand, *mp*

44 *poco rit.* a little slower *p*
 E - ver in the palm of his hand. *p*

poco rit. a little slower *p*

48 *p* rit. e dim. *pp*
 the palm of his hand. *p* rit. e dim. *pp*

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