

SSAA arrangement commissioned by
Vox Femina of Los Angeles, Iris Levine, Artistic Director

Cherish Your Doubt

for SSAA choir and piano, with vocal soloists

Elizabeth Alexander

(♩ = 80-84) *Soulful and sincere*

Pno

(Where no pedal markings appear, use only very light pedal for occasional color)

5

Solo *

9

p

Spring - time with - out win - ter ___ would en - ter with a yawn ___ and

Solo

13

dawn with - out the night ___ would be a te - di - um ___ of light. ___ Re -

Solo

17

u - nion fol - lows part - ing, re - new - al fol - lows death, ___ And our

generously

* Soloists are welcome to *ad lib* freely, taking liberties with rhythm, pitch, dynamics and vocal inflection.

21 *mp*

Solo

songs of love have grown from the ver - y

mp

Ped. Ped.

25

Solo

seeds our doubt has sown

Ped. Ped.

30

Solo

Our hearts and minds would ne - ver grow.

mp

S I

With - out (t) a doubt, With -

mp

S II

With - out (t) a doubt, With -

mp

A I

With - out (t) a doubt, With -

mp

A II

With - out (t) a doubt, With -

mp

* Ped. Ped. Ped.