

SIOUX PRAYER

for University Baptist Church Chancel Choir, Seattle, WA

traditional Lakota

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SOP
Oh our Fath - er the Sky, hear us and give us strength and support. Oh

S.
O Earth, hear us and give us support. Oh

S.
Oh our Moth - er the Earth, hear us and give us support. Oh

A.
Oh Father, hear us, and give support.

S.
Spi - rit of the East, send us your wis - dom.

S.
Spi - rit of the East, send us your wis - dom. Oh Spi - rit of the South,

A.
Oh Spi - rit of the South

12 *mp* *cresc. poco a poco* N.B.

S. Oh Spi-rit of the West, may we al-ways be

S. *cresc. poco a poco* N.B.
may we tread your path of life. Oh Spi-rit of the West, may we al-ways be

A. *cresc. poco a poco* N.B.
may we tread your path of life. Oh Spi-rit of the West, may we al-ways be

16 *f* *cresc.*

S. rea-dy for the long jour-ney. Oh Spi-rit of the North

S. *f* *mp* *cresc.*
rea-dy for the long jour-ney. Oh Spi-rit of the

A. *f* *mf*
rea-dy for the long jour-ney. Oh

20 N.B. *f* rit.

S. pu-ri-fy us with your clean-sing winds.

S. N.B. *f*
North pu-ri-fy us with your clean-sing winds.

A. *cresc.* N.B. *f*
Spi-rit of the North pu-ri-fy us with your clean-sing winds.