

22. Amuworo ayi otu nwa For unto us a child is born

Isaiah 9: 6

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Andante *mf*

**SOPRANO
ALTO**

O n'i - hi n'a - mu-wo - r'a-yi o - tu nwa, o - tu
For un - to us now a child is born, un - to

**TENOR
BASS**

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nwa, o - tu nwa, n'i - hi n'a - mu-wo - r'a-yi o - tu nwa. O - tu nwa ka e
us, un-to us, for un-to us now a child is born. Un - to us, un - to

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nye-wo - r'a - yi, o - tu nwa ka e nye-wo - r'a - yi.
us a child's born, un - to us, un - to us a child's born.

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O - tu nwa nwo-ke ka e nye-wo - r'a - yi, o - tu nwa ka e
Un - to us a Son, un - to us a Son's giv'n, un - to us, un - to

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nye-wo-r'a - yi. —
us a Son's giv'n.

n'i - hi n'a - mu-wo-r'a-yi o-tu_ nwa.
for_ un-to us now a child is_ born.

O - tu
Un-to

N'i-hi n'a - mu-wo-r'a-yi o-tu_ nwa,
For un-to us now a child is_ born,

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nwa, — o-tu nwa, n'i - hi n'a - mu-wo-r'a-yi o-tu_ nwa.
us, — un-to us, for_ un-to us now a child is_ born.

A - mu-wo-r'a - yi o-tu_ nwa,
A Son has been giv'n to_ us,

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a - mu-wo-r'a - yi o-tu_ nwa, — a - mu-wo-r'a - yi o-tu_ nwa.
a Son has been giv'n to_ us, — a Son has been giv'n to_ us.

o - tu_ nwa nwo-ke;
gi - ven un - to us;

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O - tu_ nwa nwo-ke ka e nye-wo-r'a - yi, — ka e nye-wo-r'a - yi, — ka e
Un - to_ us a Son, un-to us a Son's giv'n, un - to us a Son's giv'n, un - to

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nye-wo - r'a - yi. _____ O - tu_ nwa_ ka e nye-wo - r'a - yi, _____
 us a Son's giv'n. _____ Un - to_ us, un - to us a child's born, _____

mf _____ f

ka e nye-wo - r'a - yi.
 un-to us a Son's giv'n.

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o - tu_ nwa_ ka e nye-wo - r'a - yi. _____ O - tu_ nwa nwo-ke ka e
 un - to_ us, un - to us a child's born. _____ Un - to us a Son, un - to

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nye-wo - r'a - yi, _____ o - tu_ nwa_ ka e nye-wo - r'a - yi. _____
 us a Son's giv'n, _____ un - to_ us, un - to us a Son's giv'n.

mf

N'i - hi n'a -
 For un-to

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mf

n'i - hi n'a mu-wo-r'a-yi o-tu_ nwa. _____ O - tu_ nwa nwo-ke, ka e
 for_ un-to us now a child is_ born. _____ Un - to_ us a Son, un - to

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- mu-wo-r'a-yi o-tu_ nwa,
 us now a child is_ born,

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36 *mp cresc.* *mf cresc.*

nye-wo - r'a - yi, — ka e nye-wo - r'a - yi, — ka e nye-wo - r'a - yi. —
 us a Son's giv'n, un - to us a Son's giv'n, un - to us a Son's giv'n.

mp cresc. *mf cresc.*

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O - tu nwa — ka e nye-wo - r'a - yi, — o - tu nwa — ka e
 Un - to us, — un - to us a child's born, — un - to us, — un - to

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42 **SOPRANO SOLO** *f*

Chi - ne-ken - ke — bu di - ke, — Chi - ne-ken -
 The might-y God, — Prince of Peace, The might-y

mf

nye-wo - r'a - yi. — us a child's born. — O - tu nwa nwo-ke ka e nye-wo - r'a - yi, —
 Un - to us a Son, un - to us a Son's giv'n, —

mf

45 **TENOR SOLO** *f*

- ke bu di-ke. — Nnan-ke bu nna mgbe ni-le.
 God, Prince of Peace. Fa - ther e - ver - last - ing.

o - tu nwa — ka e nye-wo - r'a - yi. — O - tu nwa — ka e
 un - to us, — un - to us a Son's giv'n. — Un - to us, — un - to

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