

Covington Choral Music

Levels of Difficulty

E (Easy): Suited for middle school or developing choirs, introducing simple two- or three-part singing and slightly more active phrasing.

ME (Medium-Easy): Designed for advanced middle school or entry-level high school groups, featuring independent vocal parts and mild harmonic shifts.

M (Medium): Built for solid high school or standard community choirs, featuring wider dynamic contrasts, more complex rhythms, and standard four-part SATB textures.

MA (Medium-Advanced): Geared toward accomplished high school, collegiate, or advanced church/community choirs, featuring complex harmonies, easy dissonance, polyphonic movement, and unfamiliar languages.

A (Advanced): Written for professional or professional-quality choirs. Features complex harmonies, complex rhythms and meters, polyphonic movement, dissonance, tone clusters and challenging or unfamiliar languages.

**Based on the difficulty scale used by J.W. Pepper*