

16. Faith - encore - score for additional choir

Uit: "Brandsma, een verhaal voor vandaag"

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♩ = 84 A

T+S

B+A

Saint!
Sick!

Is he _ a saint?
When I _ got sick

Is this _ a mi - ra - cle?
doc - tors _ said can - did - ly:

And does _ it count when _ I
"Chan - ces _ are slim, you _ are

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T+S

B+A

say that _ it is!
was at _ stage four.

Proof!
Pushed!

say that _ it is?
now at _ stage four."

What is _ my proof?
Still they _ pushed on:

Is it _ em - pi - ri - cal?
hou - rs _ of sur - ge - ry,

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T+S

B+A

I
Thir

1. tell you this! _

2. ty times, more!

What will _ you think when _ I
ra - di - o - the - ra - py,

tell you all this?

thir - ty times, more.

But also there is this:
Some cloth from Brandsma's habit.
I held it up against the spot and prayed.
And all around the town
the congregation gathered.
They prayed and prayed to Titus for his aid.

12 C

T+S

B+A

Gone!

It

Can - cer _ and curse, all of _ it va - nished now. What can _ I say? Did _ it

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T+S
8
came from Above! But still here! Faith, hope and love!

B+A
come from_ Above? I should_bead, still! _am here to-day, carried_ by faith and by hope and by love.

My faith and hope and love
are centered around Titus.
His story gives me strength, he gives me light.
And all those folks who prayed,
the doctors who kept trying,
I have to think Saint Titus was their guide.

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T+S
8
when my sto - ry was key!

B+A
This is _ the day Ti-tus _ is can-on-ized. He is _ a saint now, _ my sto-ry _ was key:

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T+S
8
healed! where

B+A
I have _ been healed! Could it ___ be o - ther-wise? Peo - ple, _ wher - e - ver _ on

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T+S
8
they may be _ his sto - ry free!

B+A
earth they may be, now know _ Saint Ti - tus. His sto - ry breaks free!