

Händel — *Messiah*

# 37. The Lord gave the Word (Chorus)

**Andante allegro**

Oboe I  
Oboe II  
Violini I  
Violini II  
Viola  
Soprano  
Alto  
Tenor  
Bass  
Basso Continuo

**Andante allegro**

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