

Dios está aquí

God is here today

Spain

$\text{♩} = 60-66$ E *legato* B/D# C#m7

Dios es - tá a - quí, tan
God is here to - day; as

5 A B7 E

cier - to co - mo el ai - re que res - pi - ro,
cer - tain as the air I breathe,

8 E7/D E7/C# E7/B A B7

tan cier - to co - mo la ma - ña - na se le -
as cer - tain as the morn - ing sun that

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E B/D# C#m7 A

van ta, tan cier - to co - mo que le
ri ses, as cer - tain when I

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B7 E

can - to y me pue - de o - ír.
sing you'll hear my song.

This gathering song makes a lovely connection between the act of singing and perceiving the presence of God. Pablo Sosa writes that this Spanish song was written (words and music) “in 1979 by Javier Gacías Mateo (b.1956), for a small Catholic youth group where he played the guitar at home prayer and Bible study meetings.”³ What is published here is the refrain of a longer song. When saying the “Dios” in the Spanish, be sure to sustain the second vowel; also watch for elided vowels.