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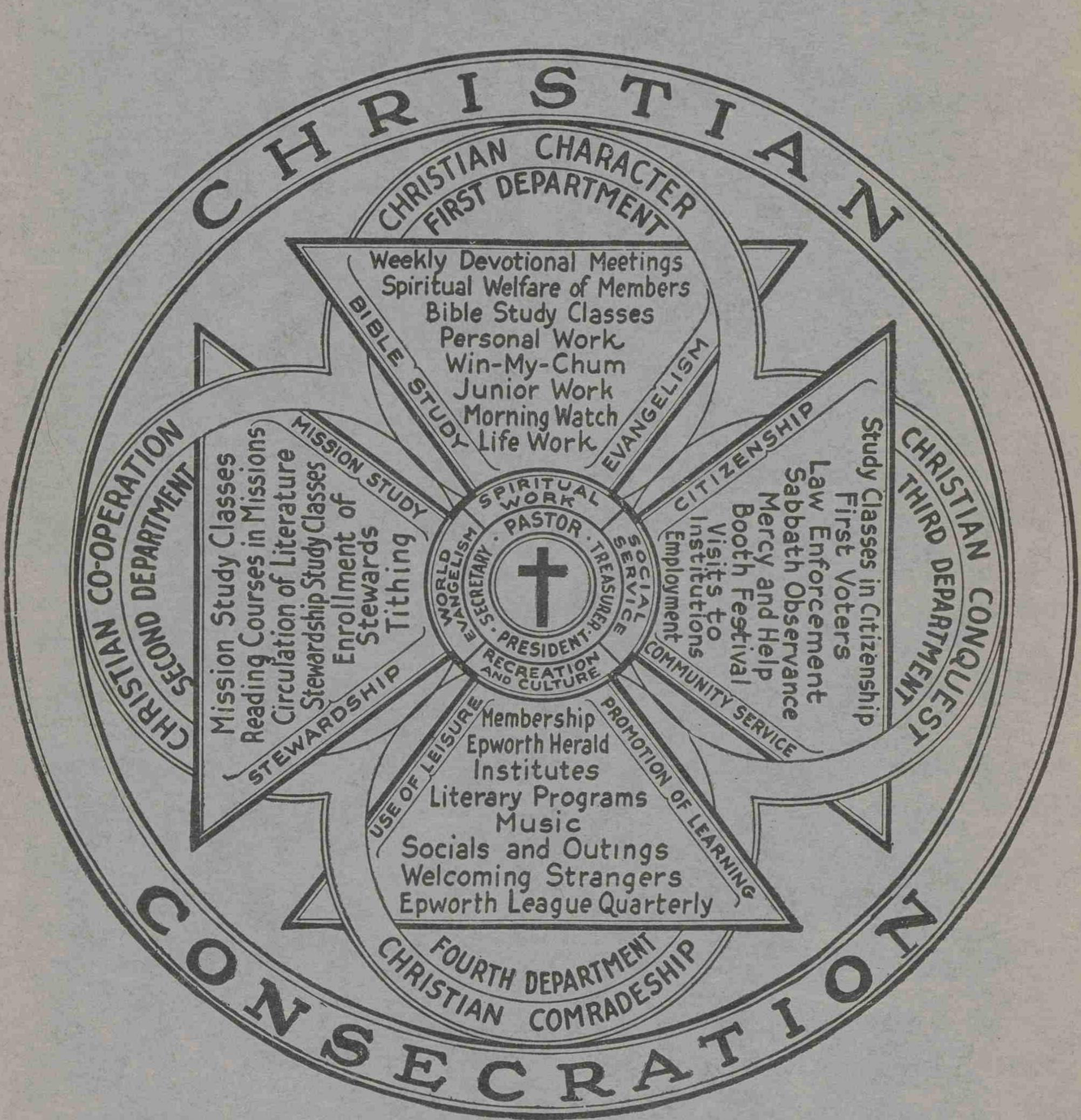
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Foreword

THIS little book has been prepared primarily to meet the needs of the Summer Institutes of the Epworth League. When there are so many song books and hymnals available, a word of explanation for the compilation of another is appropriate.

- 1. In order that every Leaguer might have a song book as his constant companion during the Institute period, it was imperative that a small and very inexpensive collection be compiled.
- 2. Two thirds of the selections represent the congregational music of the greatest and most permanent value. Only in so far as Epworth Leaguers make these great hymns their familiar possession will they appreciate the incomparable contribution which they make to the development of the spiritual life, and the urge to service.
- 3. A few hymns are included representing the new social atmosphere. We feel that no new hymn book has a claim upon attention which does not include some selections of the type represented by the hymns "In Christ There is No East Nor West," and "When Wilt Thou Save the People?"
- 4. A number of gospel songs are found in the collection. We do not think that the day of the gospel song is over, in spite of the abuses to which this type of religious folk-song has been subjected. The peculiar genius of the Epworth League could not find full expression without them.

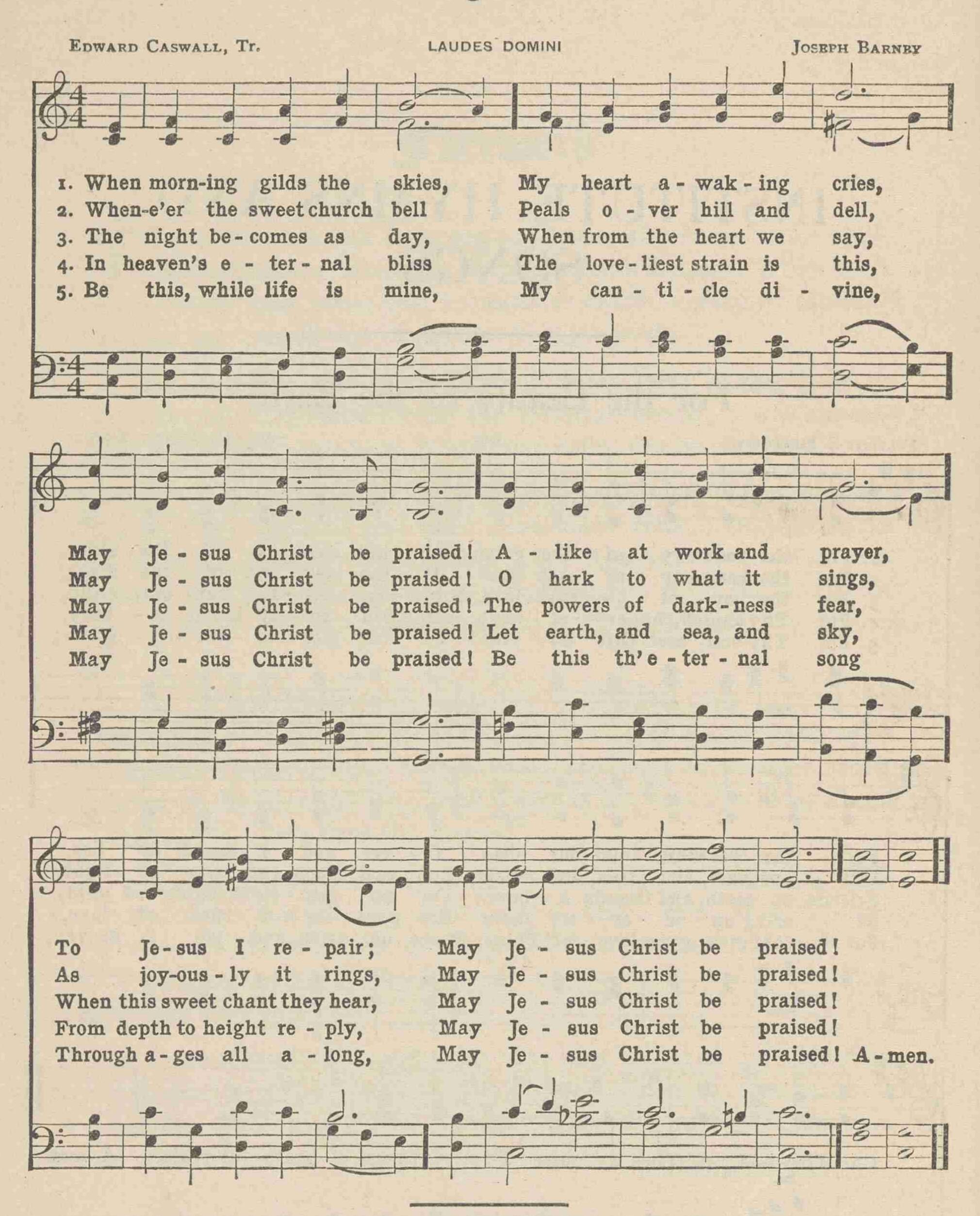
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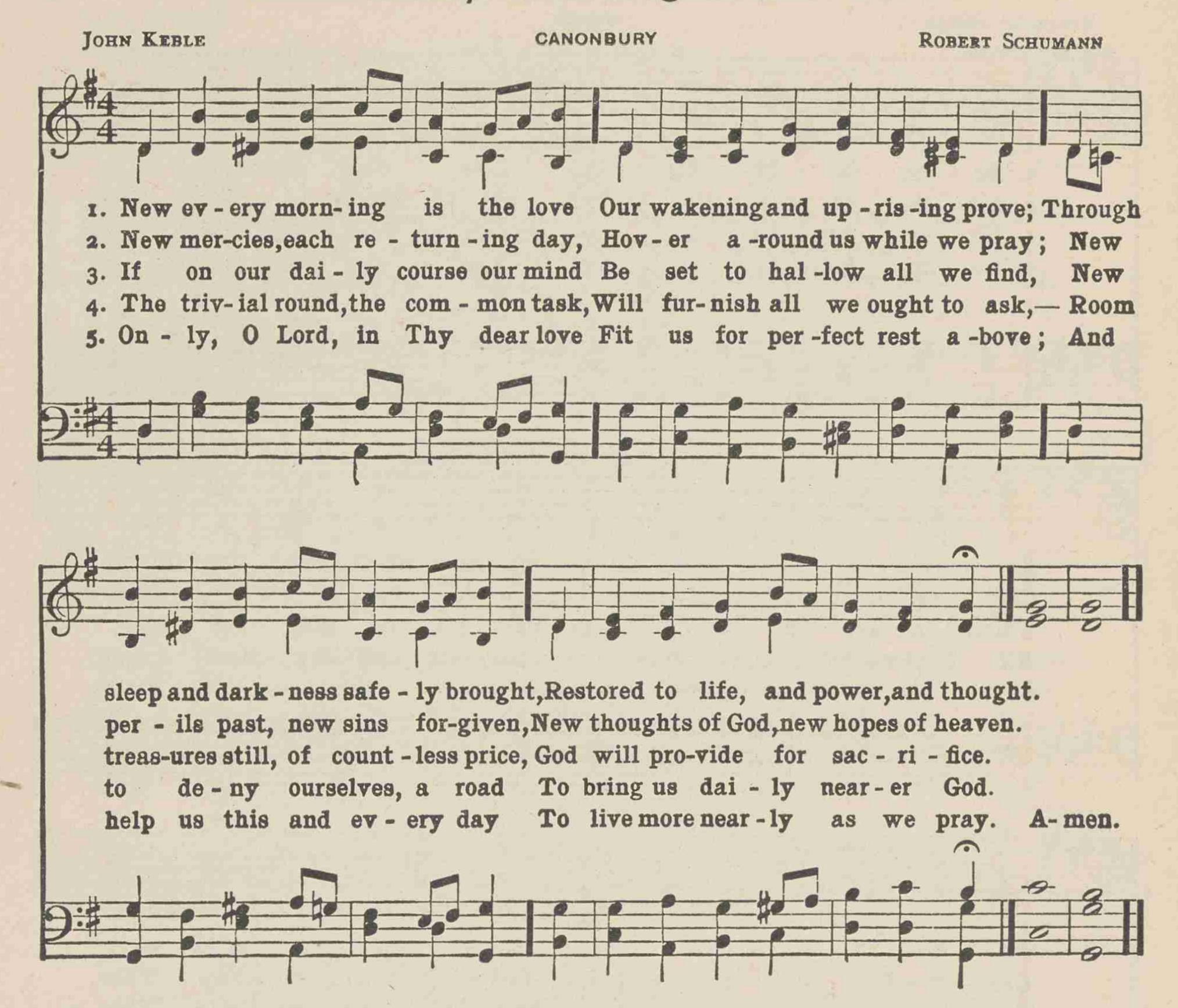
For the Beauty of the Earth





Let the words of my mouth and the meditation of my heart Be acceptable in thy sight,
O Jehovah, my rock, and my redeemer.—Psalm 19.14.

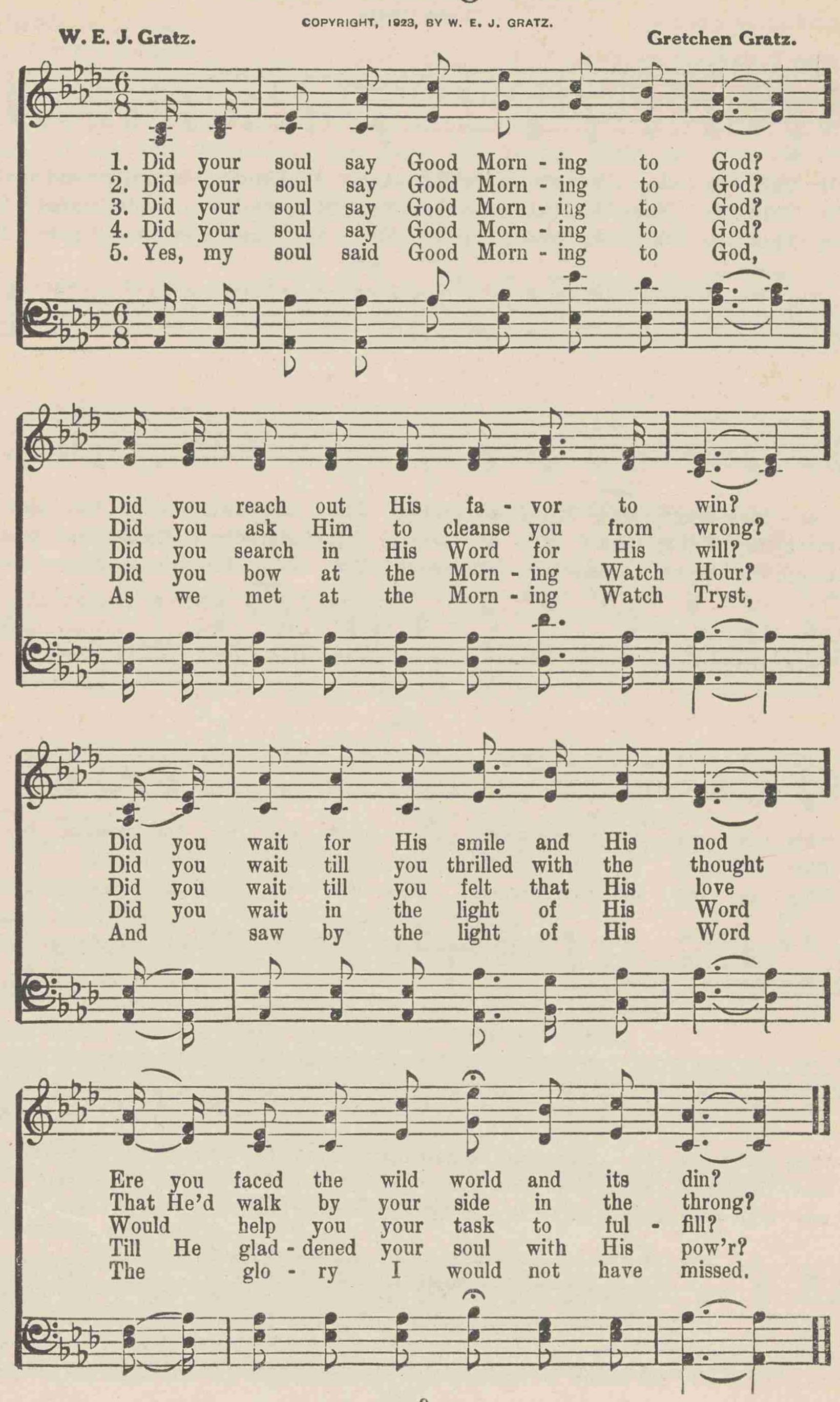




5 O God, Thy World Is Sweet with Prayer

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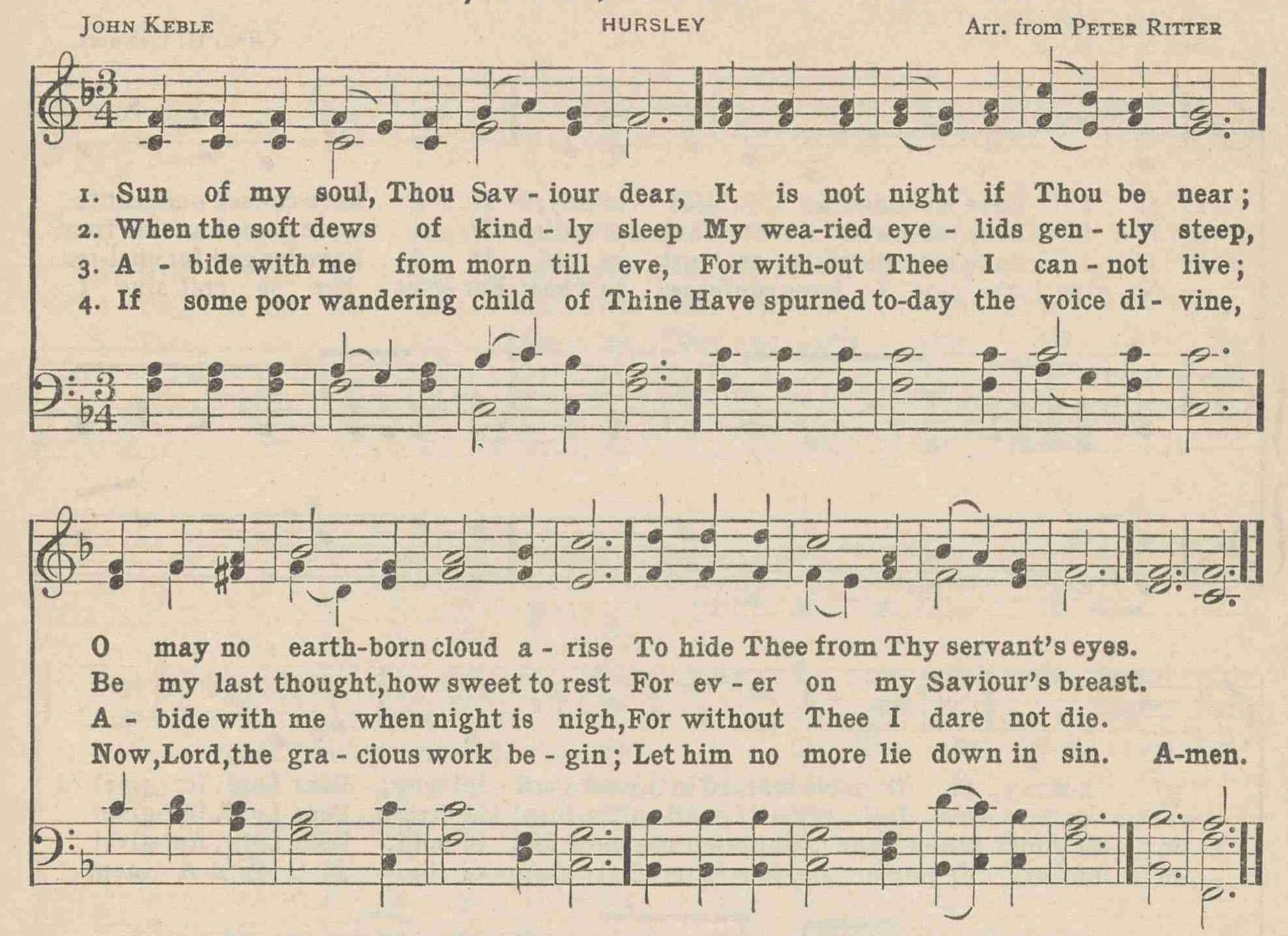
- O God, thy world is sweet with prayer,
 The breath of Christ is in the air;
 We rise on thy free Spirit's wings,
 And every thought within us sings.
- 2. Thou art our Morning and our Sun,
 Our work is glad, in thee begun,
 Our foot-worn path is fresh with dew,
 For thou createst all things new.
- 3. O God, within us and above,
 Close to us in the Christ we love,
 Through him, our only guide and way,
 May heavenly life be ours to-day!
 —Lucy Larcom.



This is My Father's World



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- 5 Watch by the sick; enrich the poor With blessings from Thy boundless store; Be every mourner's sleep to-night Like infant's slumbers, pure and light.
- 6 Come near and bless us when we wake, Ere through the world our way we take, Till in the ocean of Thy love We lose ourselves in heaven above.

O Jehovah, our Lord, How excellent is thy name in all the earth, Who hast set thy glory upon the heavens!

When I consider thy heavens, the work of thy fingers, The moon and the stars, which thou hast ordained; What is man, that thou art mindful of him? And the son of man, that thou visitest him? For thou hast made him but little lower than God, And crownest him with glory and honor. Thou makest him to have dominion over the works of thy hands; Thou hast put all things under his feet: All sheep and oxen, Yea and the beasts of the field, The birds of the heavens, and the fish of the sea, Whatsoever passeth through the paths of the seas. O Jehovah, our Lord, How excellent is thy name in all the earth!—Psalm 8.

An Evening Prayer



I will lift up mine eyes unto the mountains:

From whence shall my help come?
My help cometh from Jehovah,
Who made heaven and earth.

He will not suffer thy foot to be moved:

He that keepeth thee will not slumber. Behold, he that keepeth Israel Will neither slumber nor sleep. Jehovah is thy keeper;

Jehovah is thy shade upon thy right hand.

The sun shall not smite thee by day, Nor the moon by night.

Jehovah will keep thee from all evil: He will keep thy soul.

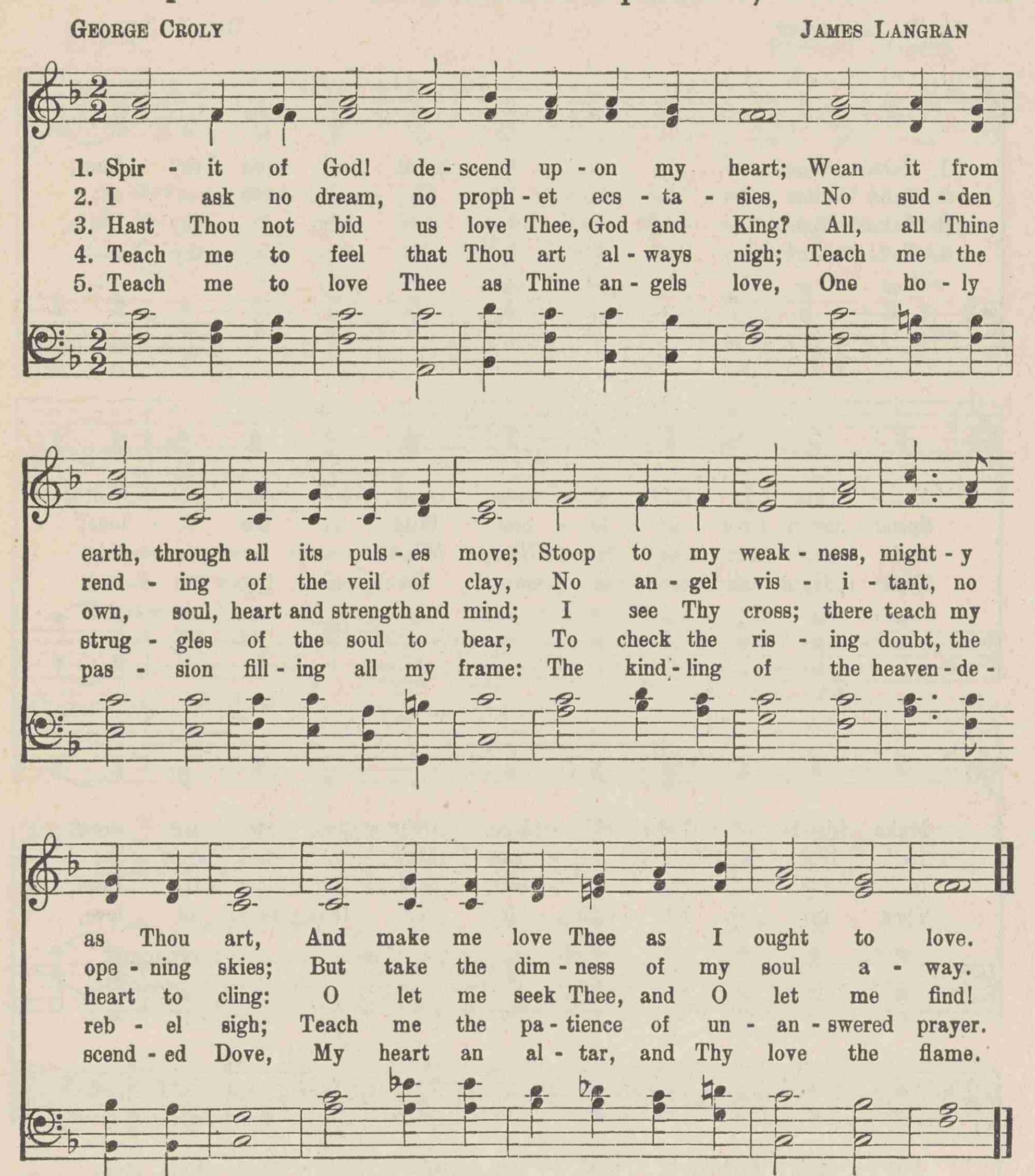
Jehovah will keep thy going out and thy coming in

From this time forth and for evermore.

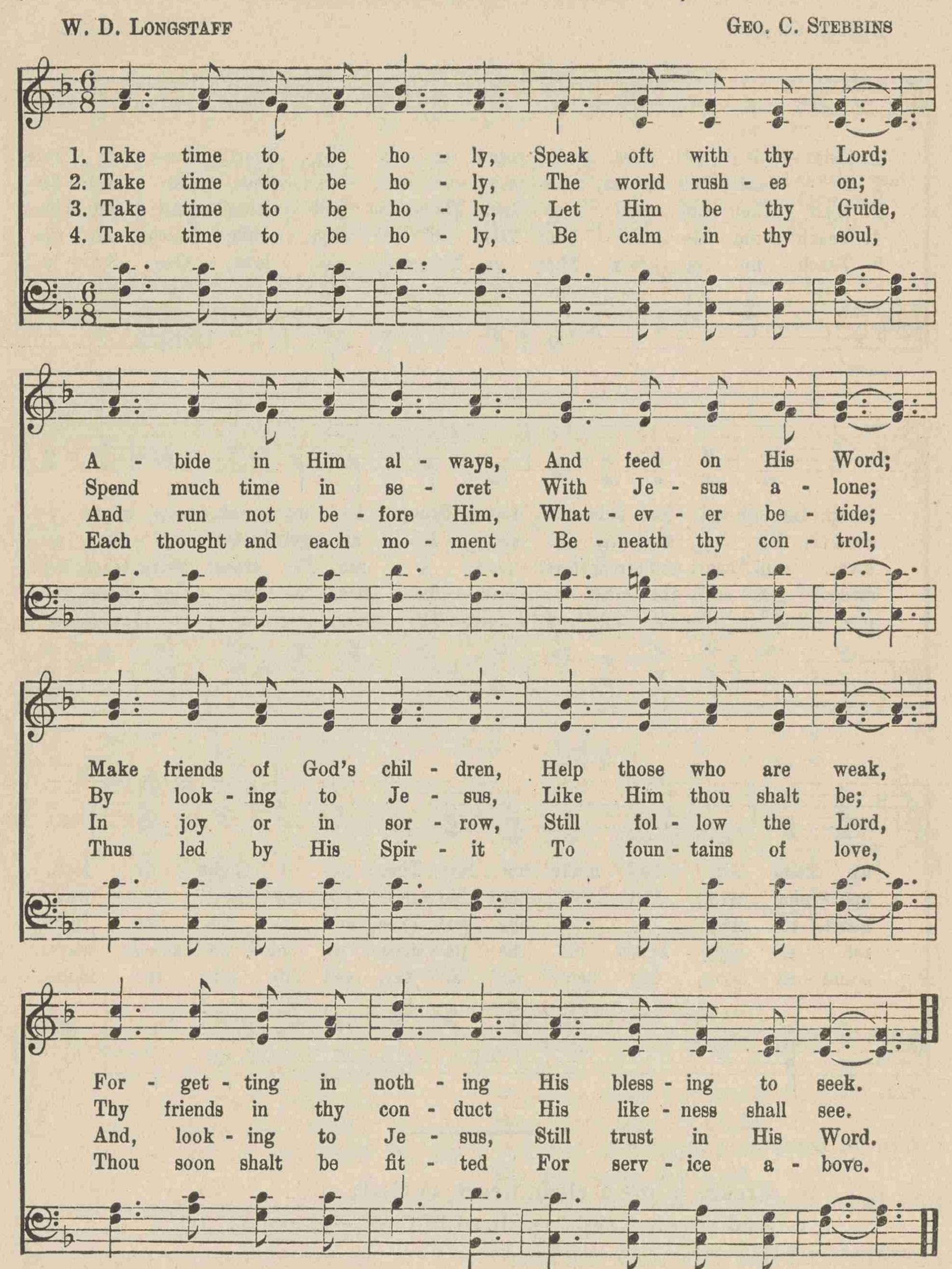
-Psalm 121.

Spirit of God! Descend Upon My Heart

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Create in me a clean heart, O God;
And renew a right spirit within me.—Psalm 51.10.



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More Like the Master





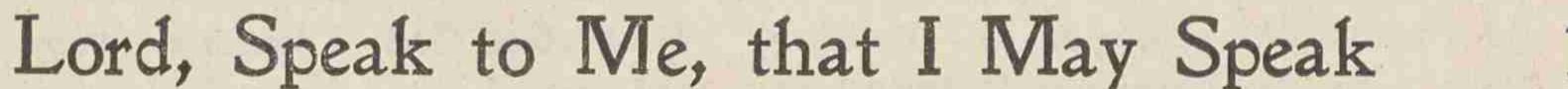
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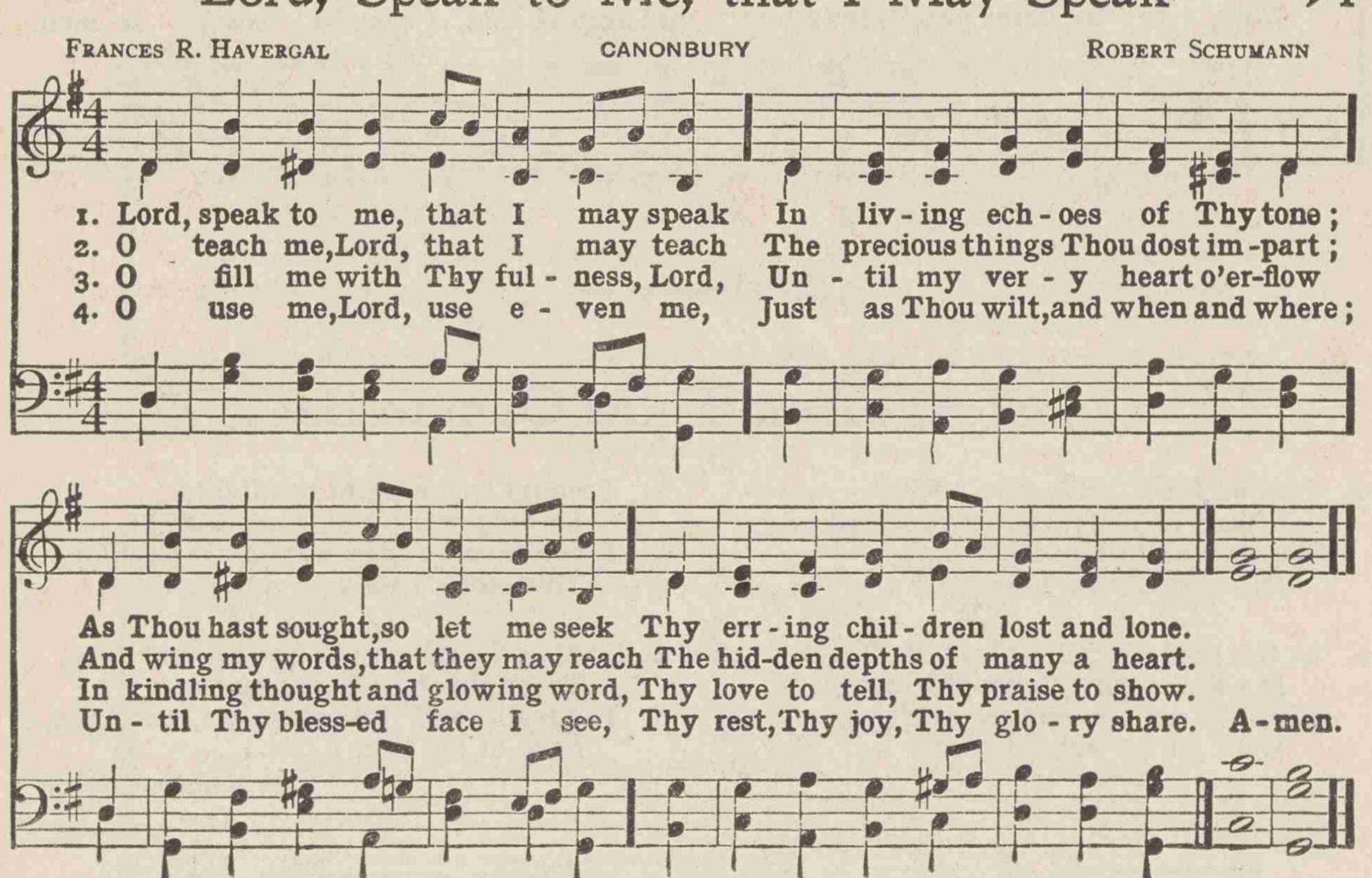
Day is done, gone the sun,

From the hill, from the lake, from the sky,
All is well, safely rest,

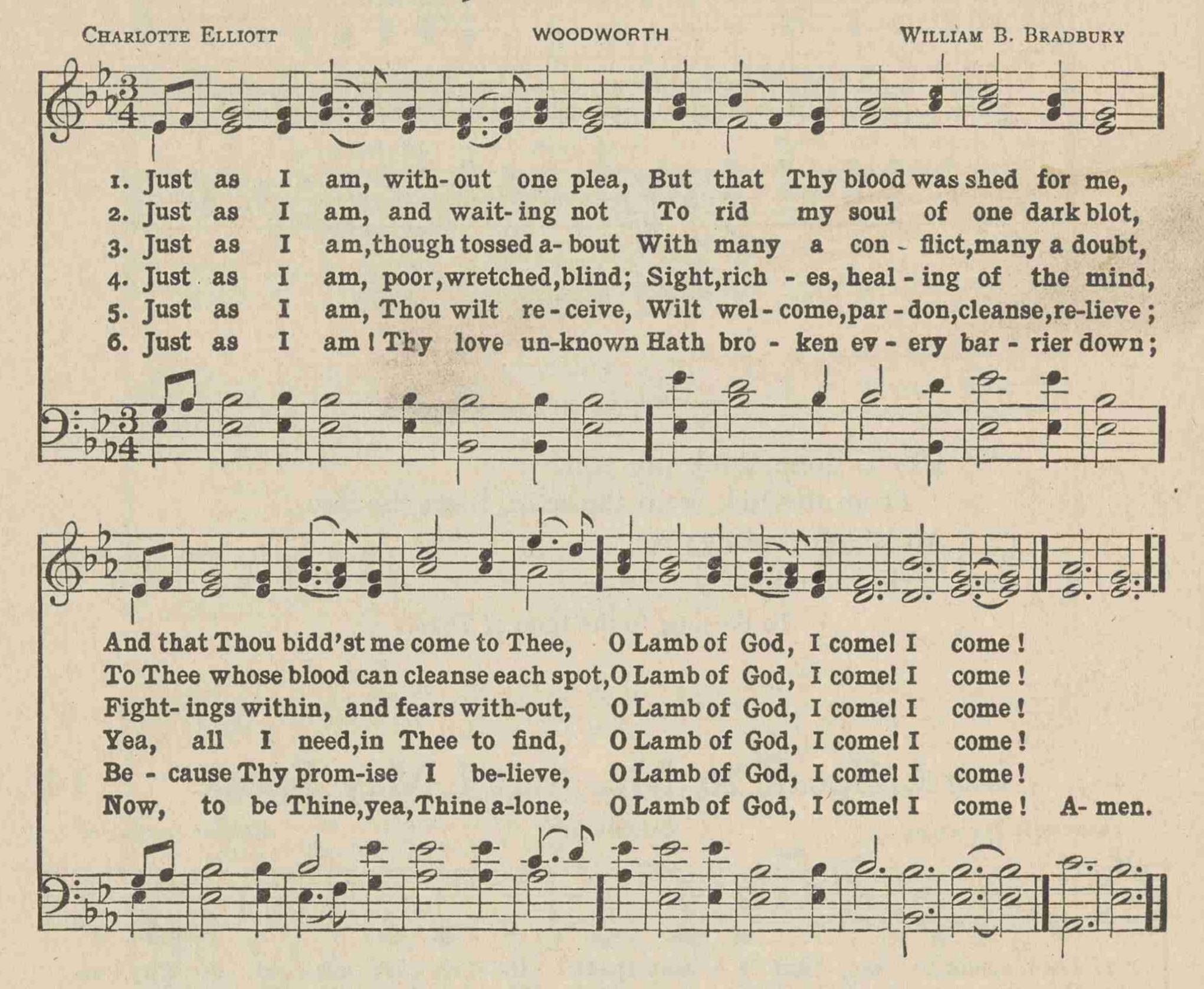
God is nigh.

To be sung to the tune of Taps.





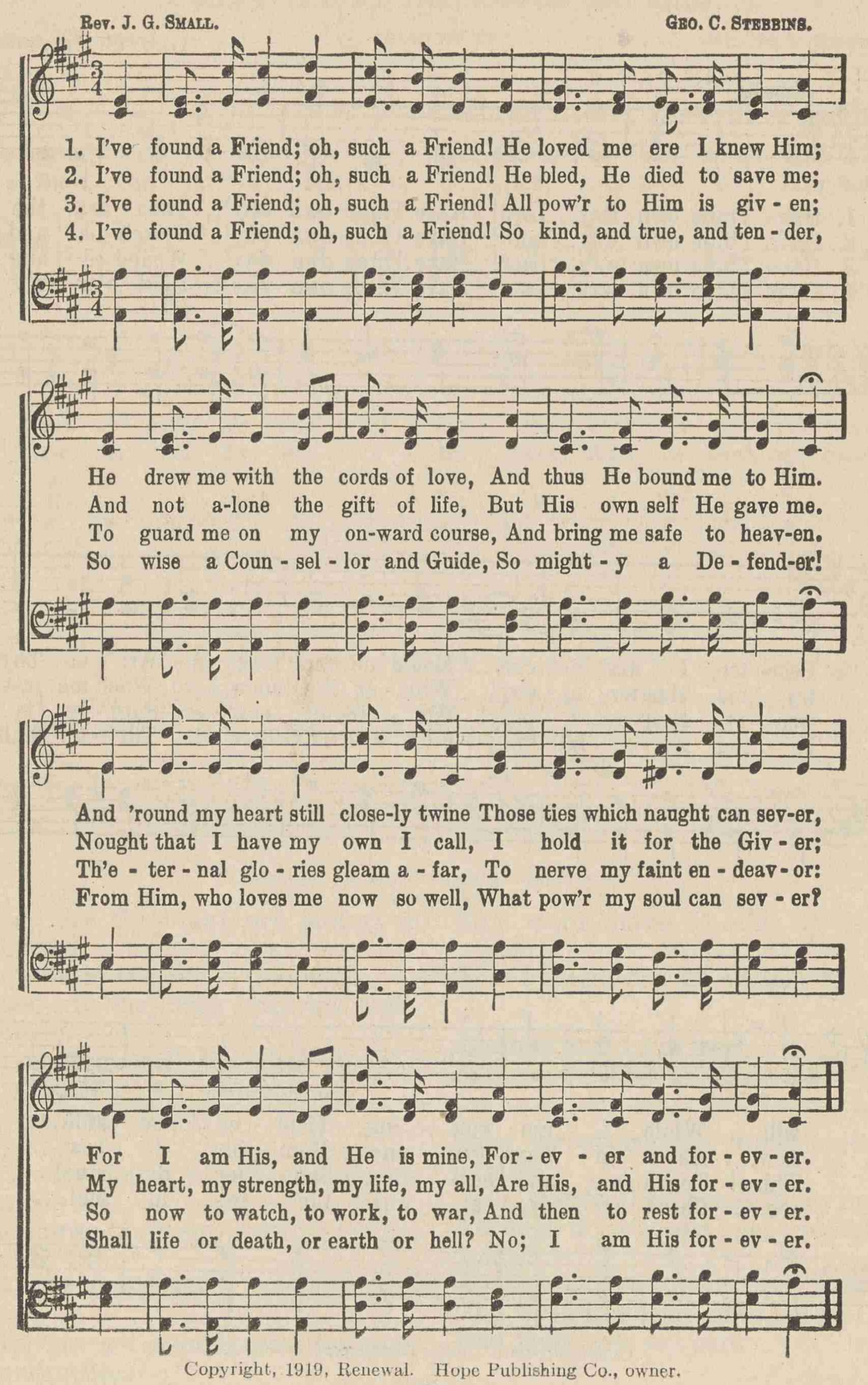
Just As I Am



Just As I Am, Thine Own to Be

- I. Just as I am, thine own to be,
 Friend of the young, who lovest me,
 To consecrate myself to thee,
 O Jesus Christ, I come.
- 2. In the glad morning of my day,
 My life to give, my vows to pay,
 With no reserve and no delay,
 With all my heart I come.
- 3. I would live ever in the light,
 I would work ever for the right,
 I would serve thee with all my might;
 Therefore, to thee I come.
- 4. Just as I am, young, strong, and free,
 To be the best that I can be
 For truth, and righteousness, and thee,
 Lord of my life, I come.

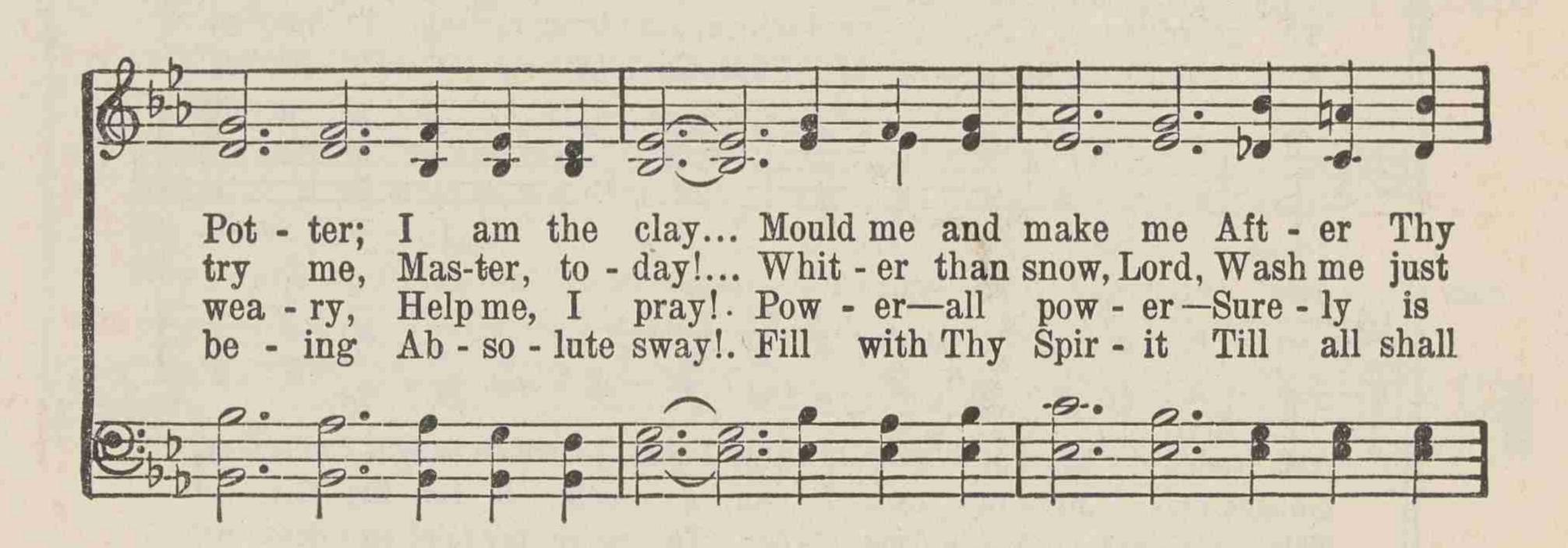
-Marianne Hearn.

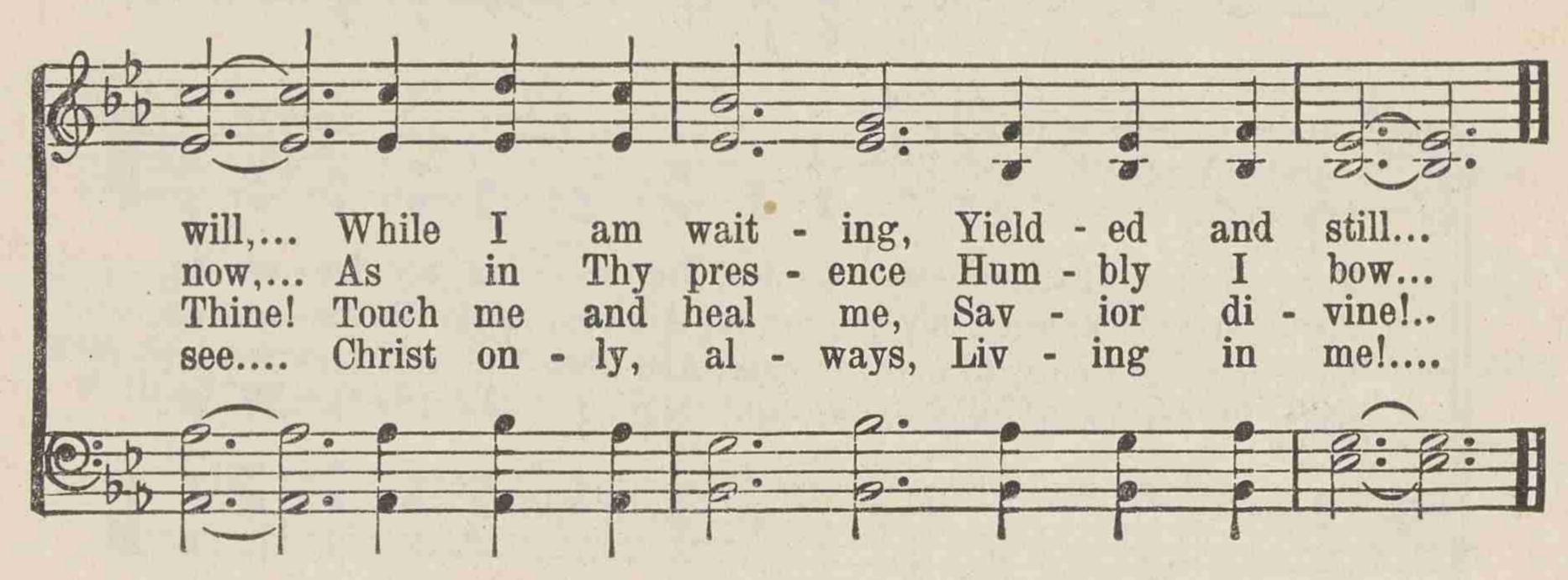


Have Thine Own Way

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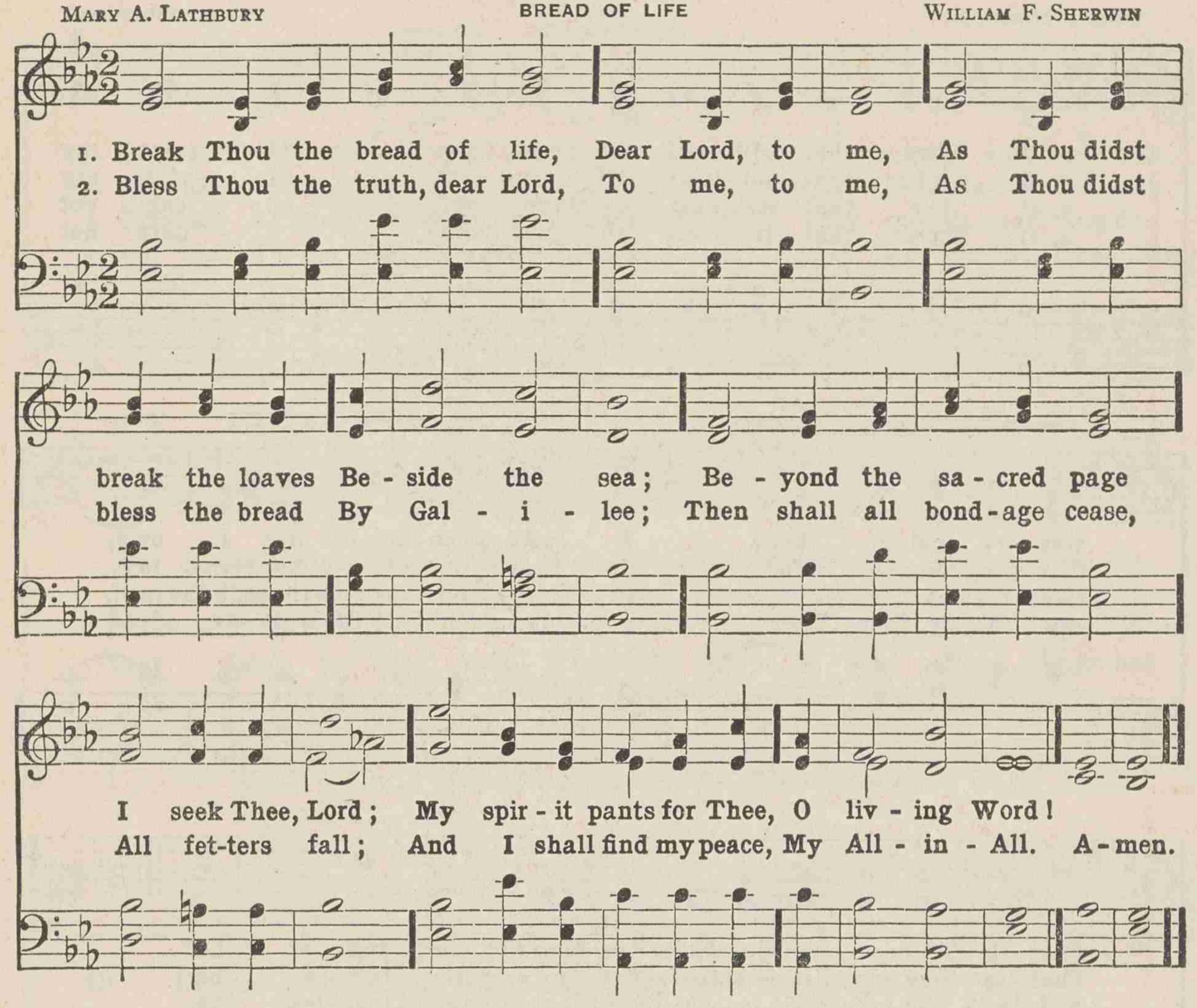






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Break Thou the Bread of Life



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Blessed are they that are perfect in the way,

Who walk in the law of Jehovah.

Blessed are they that keep his testi-

That seek him with the whole heart. Yea, they do no unrighteousness; They walk in his ways.

Wherewith shall a young man cleanse his way?

By taking heed thereto according to thy word.

With my whole heart have I sought thee:

Oh let me not wander from thy commandments. Thy word have I laid up in my heart,

That I might not sin against thee.

Oh how love I thy law! It is my meditation all the day.

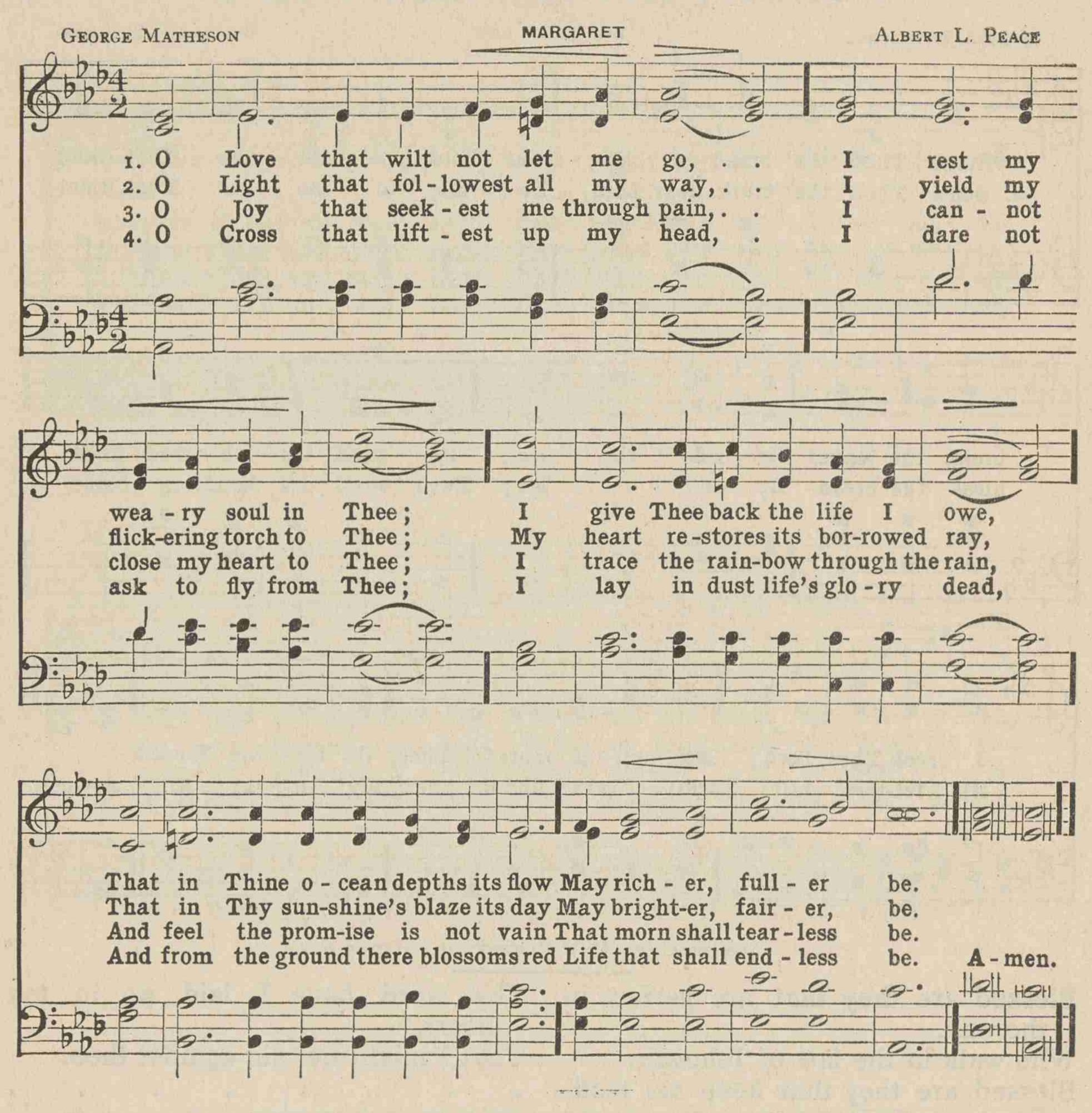
How sweet are thy words unto my taste:

Yea, sweeter than honey to my mouth: Through thy precepts I get understanding:

Therefore I hate every false way. Thy word is a lamp unto my feet, And light unto my path.

-Psalm 119.

19 O Love That Wilt Not Let Me Go



Beloved, let us love one another: for love is of God; and every one that loveth is begotten of God, and knoweth God. He that loveth not knoweth not God; for God is love.

Herein was the love of God manifested in us, that God hath sent his only begotten Son into the world that we might live through him. Beloved, if God so loved us, we also ought to love one another.

And we know and have believed the love which God hath in us. God is love; and he that abideth in love abideth in God, and God abideth in him.

1 John 4. 7-9; 11, 16b.



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Surely he hath borne our griefs, and carried our sorrows; yet we did esteem him stricken, smitten of God, and afflicted.

But he was wounded for our transgressions, he was bruised for our iniquities; the chastisement of our peace was upon him; and with his stripes we are healed.

All we like sheep have gone astray; we have turned every one to his own way; and Jehovah hath laid on him the iniquity of us all.

Greater love hath no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends.—Isa. 53. 4-6; John 15. 13.

Thou Did'st Leave Thy Throne

EMILY E. S. ELLIOTT

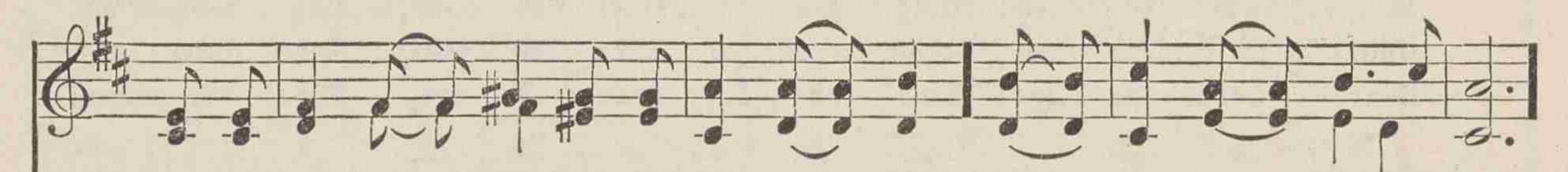
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TIMOTHY R. MATTHEWS



- 1. Thou didst leave Thy throne and Thy kingly crown, When Thou camest to earth for me;
- 2. Heaven's arch-es rang when the an gels sang, Pro claim-ing Thy royal de gree;
- 3. The fox-es found rest, and the birds their nest In the shade of the for-est tree;
- 4. Thou cam-est, O Lord, with the liv-ing word, That should set Thy peo-ple free;
- 5. When heaven's arches ring, and her choirs shall sing At Thy com-ing to vic-to ry,





But in Beth-le-hem's home there was found no room For Thy ho - ly na-tiv-i - ty.

But in low - ly birth didst Thou come to earth, And in great hu - mil-i - ty.

But Thy couch was the sod, O Thou Son of God, In the des-erts of Gal-i - lee.

But with mocking scorn, and with crown of thorn, They bore Thee to Cal-va - ry.

Let Thy voice call me home, saying, "Yet there is room, There is room at My side for thee."





- 0 come to my heart, Lord Je-sus! There is room in my heart for Thee.
- 0 come to my heart, Lord Je-sus! There is room in my heart for Thee.
- 0 come to my heart, Lord Je-sus! There is room in my heart for Thee.
- 0 come to my heart, Lord Je-sus! Thy cross is my on-ly plea.

And my heart shall rejoice, Lord Je - sus, When Thou com-est and callest for me. A - men.





If I speak with the tongues of men and of angels, but have not love, I am become sounding brass, or a clanging cymbal. And if I have the gift of prophecy, and know all mysteries and all knowledge; and if I have all faith, so as to remove mountains, but have not love, I am nothing. And if I bestow all my goods to feed the poor, and if I give my body to be burned, but have not

love, it profiteth me nothing.

Love suffereth long, and is kind; love envieth not, love vaunteth not itself, is not puffed up, doth not behave itself unseemly, seeketh not its own, is not provoked, taketh not account of evil; rejoiceth not in unrighteousness, but rejoiceth with the truth; beareth all things, believeth all things, hopeth all things, endureth all things. Love never faileth: but whether there be prophecies, they shall be done away; whether there be tongues, they shall cease; whether there be knowledge, it shall be done away. For we know in part, and we prophesy in part, but when that which is perfect is come, that which is in part shall be done away. When I was a child, I spake as a child, I felt as a child, I thought as a child: now that I am become a man, I have put away childish things. For now we see in a mirror, darkly; but then face to face; now I know in part; but then shall I know fully even as also I was fully known.

But now abideth faith, hope, love, these three; and the greatest of these

is love.—1 Cor. 13.



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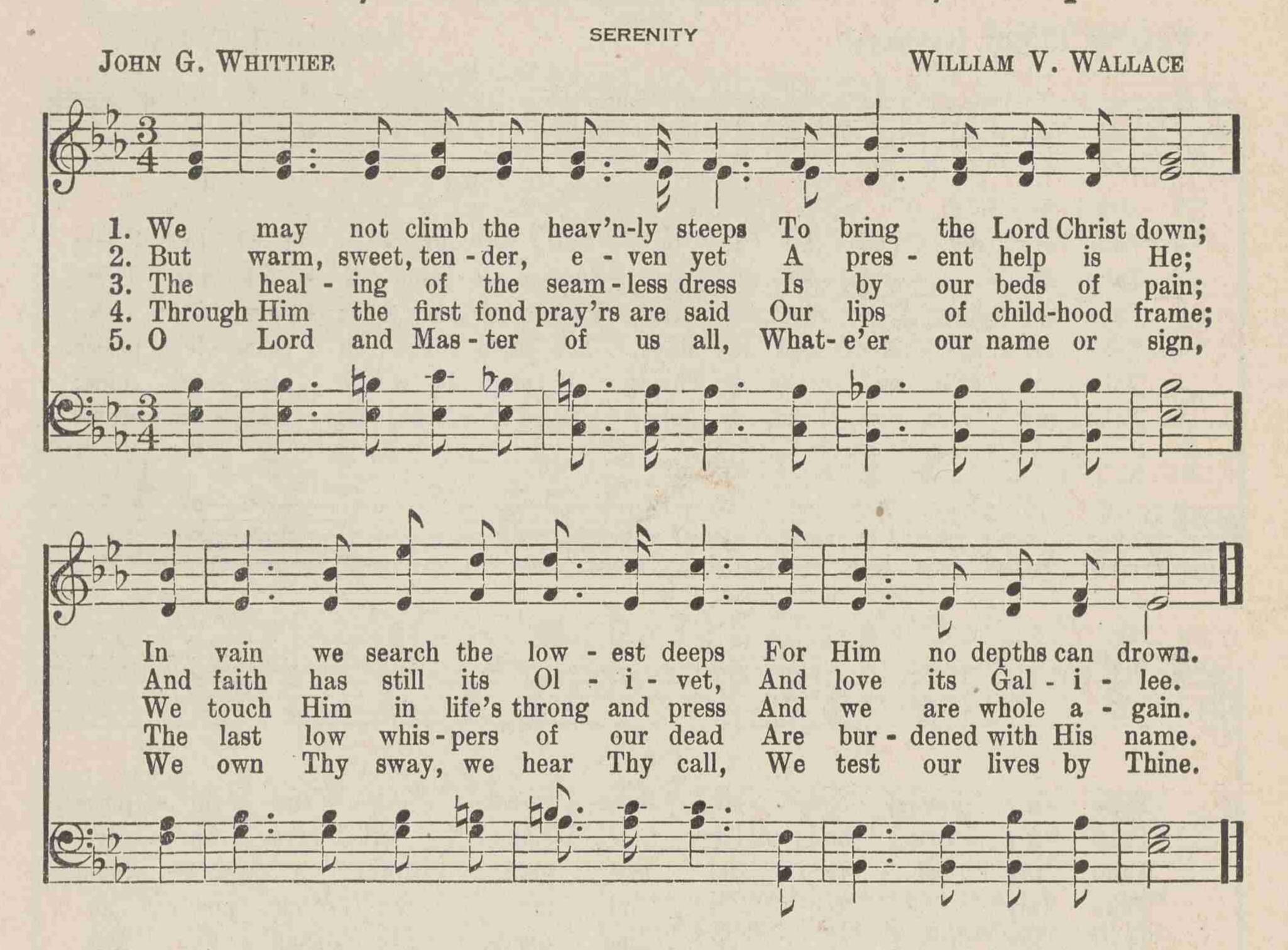
In your faith supply virtue; and in your virtue knowledge; and in your knowledge self-control; and in your self-control patience; and in your patience godliness; and in your godliness brotherly kindness; and in your brotherly kindness love. For if these things are yours and abound, they make you to be not idle nor unfruitful unto the knowledge of our Lord Jesus Christ. 2 Peter 1.5-8.

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25 We May Not Climb the Heavenly Steeps



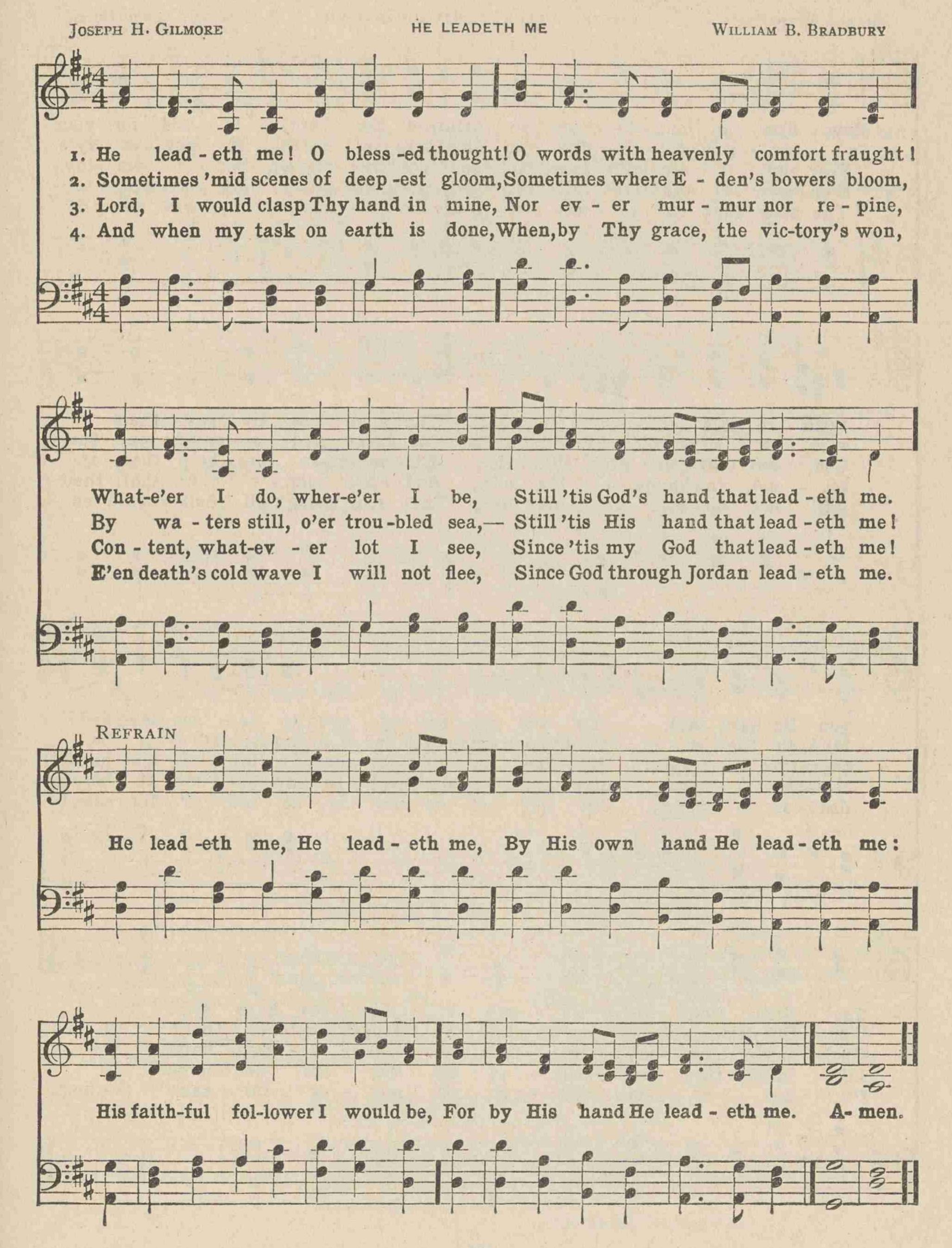
What things were gain to me, these have I counted loss for Christ. Yea verily, and I count all things to be loss for the excellency of the knowledge of Christ Jesus my Lord: for whom I suffered the loss of all things, and do count them but refuse, that I may gain Christ, and be found in him, not having a righteousness of mine own, even that which is of the law, but that which is through faith in Christ, the righteousness which is from God by faith: that I may know him. . . . Not that I have already obtained, or am already made perfect: but I press on, if so be that I may lay hold on that for which also I was laid hold on by Christ Jesus. Brethren, I count not myself yet to have laid hold: but one thing I do, forgetting the things which are behind, and stretching forward to the things which are before, I press on toward the goal unto the prize of the high calling of God in Christ Jesus.—Phil. 3. 7-14.



God of Our Fathers, Known of Old

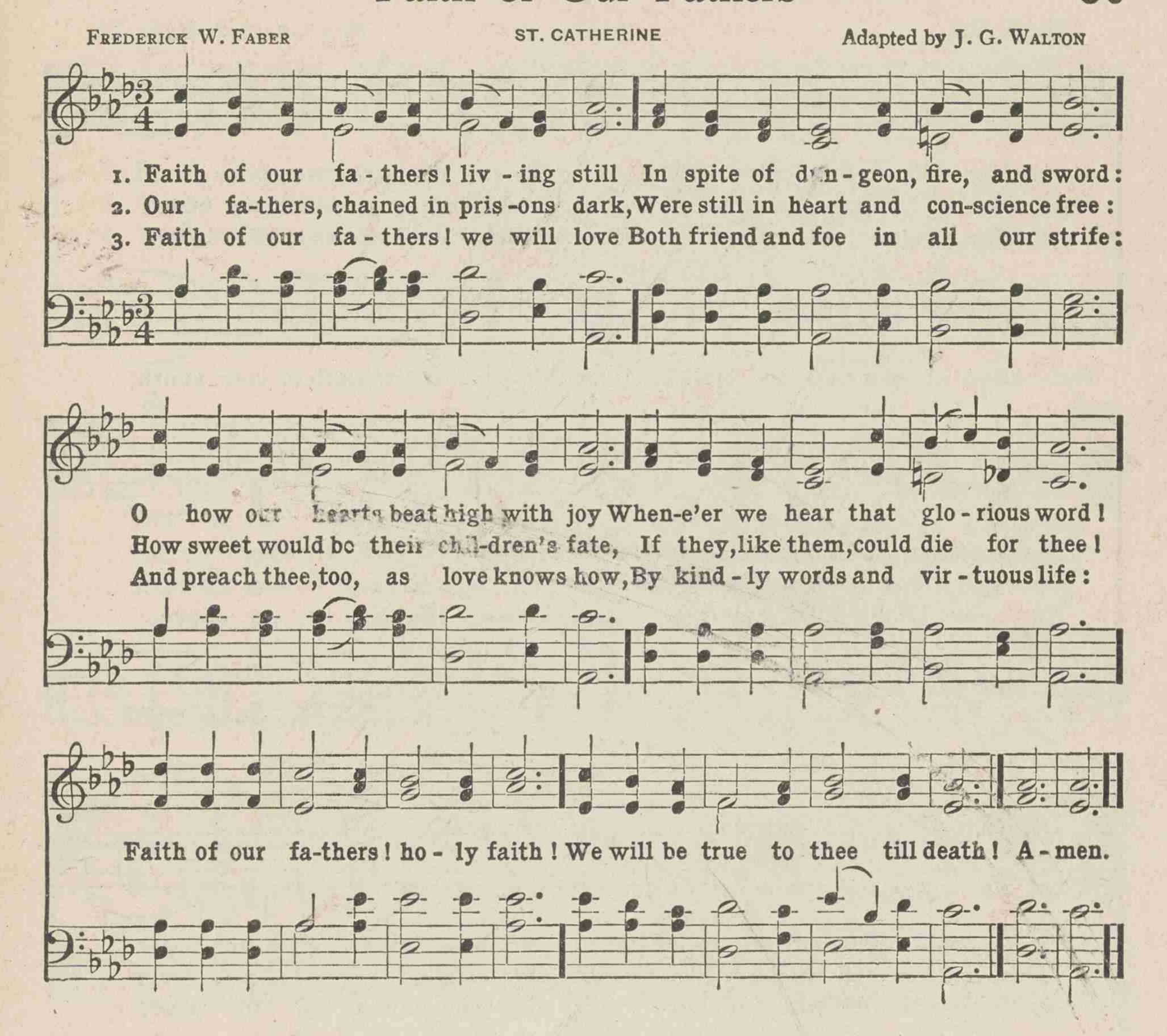


- The tumult and the shouting dies;
 The captains and the kings depart;
 Still stands thine ancient sacrifice,
 An humble and a contrite heart:
 Lord God of Hosts, be with us yet,
 Lest we forget, lest we forget!
- 3 Far-called our navies melt away,
 On dune and headland sinks the fire;
 Lo, all our pomp of yesterday
 Is one with Nineveh and Tyre!
 Judge of the nations, spare us yet,
 Lest we forget, lest we forget!
- 4 If, drunk with sight of power, we loose
 Wild tongues that have not thee in awe.
 Such boasting as the Gentiles use
 Or lesser breeds without the law:
 Lord God of Hosts, be with us yet,
 Lest we forget, lest we forget!
- In reeking tube and iron shard;
 All valiant dust that builds on dust,
 And guarding calls not thee to guard:
 For frantic boast and foolish word,
 Thy mercy on thy people, Lord!
 RUDYARD KIPLING



How Firm a Foundation





Faith of Our Young Folk

- I. Faith of our young folk! Living still,
 In spite of pitfall, taunt, and lure;
 O, how our hearts beat high with joy,
 Whene'er we see their faith endure.
 Faith of our young folk! Holy faith!
 May they be true to thee till death.
- 2. Our young folk lured from every side,
 Are still in heart and conscience free;
 How sweet to fathers is the sight,
 Of children, Lord, who live for Thee.
 Faith of our young folk! Holy faith!
 May they be true to thee till death.
- 3. Faith of our young folk! Bloom in love,
 With friend and foe unto your Lord,
 Preach Jesus as you best know how,
 And rest your faith upon His word.
 Faith of our young folk! Holy faith!
 May they be true to thee till death.

-By Emory H. McCreary.







And walking by the sea of Galilee, he saw two brethren, Simon who is called Peter, and Andrew his brother, casting a net into the sea; for they were fishers.

And he saith unto them, Come ye after me, and I will make you fishers of men.

And they straightway left the nets, and followed him.

And going on from thence he saw two other brethren, James the son of Zebedee, and John his brother, in the boat with Zebedee their father, mending their nets; and he called them.

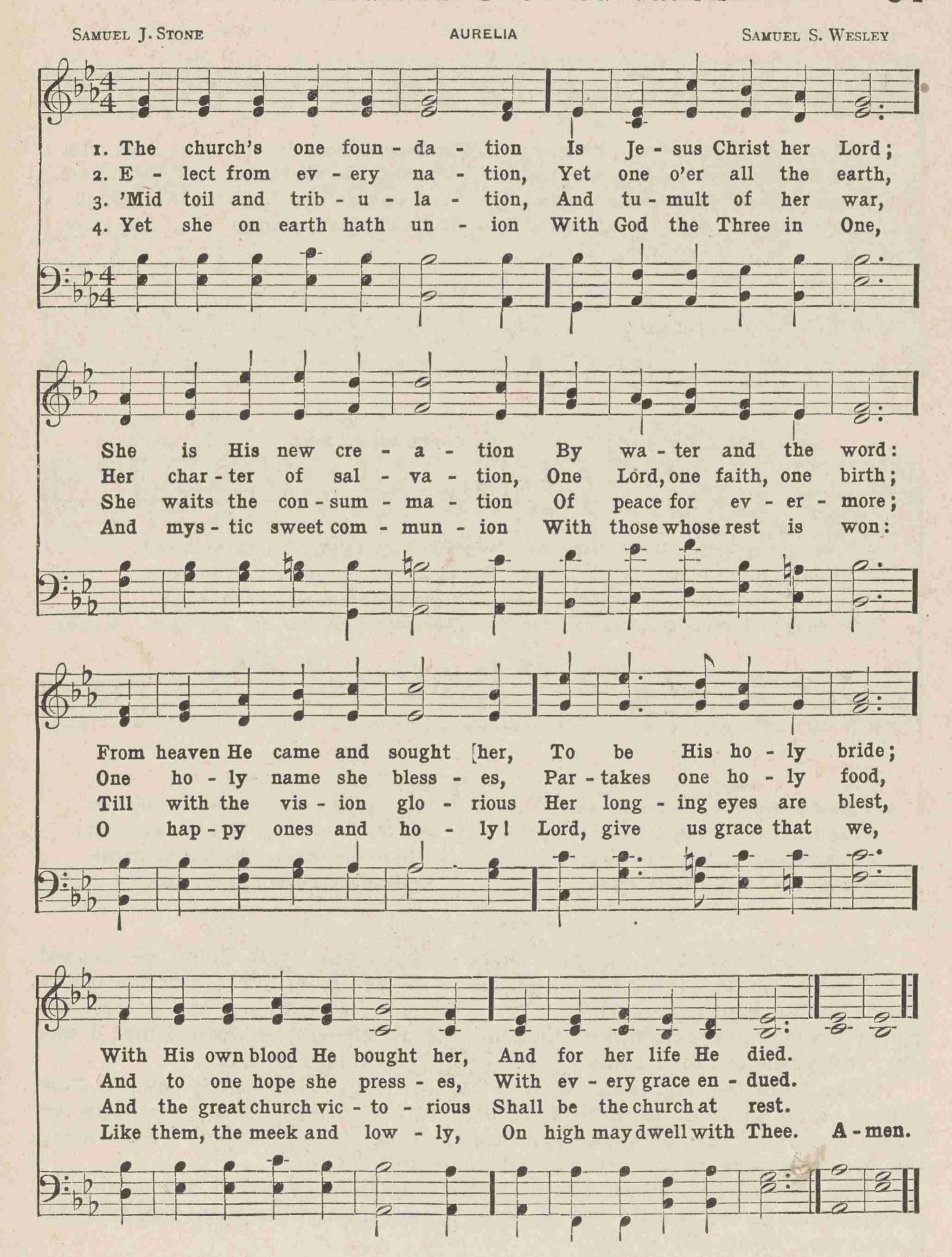
And they straightway left the boat and their father, and followed him.

Matt. 4. 18-22.

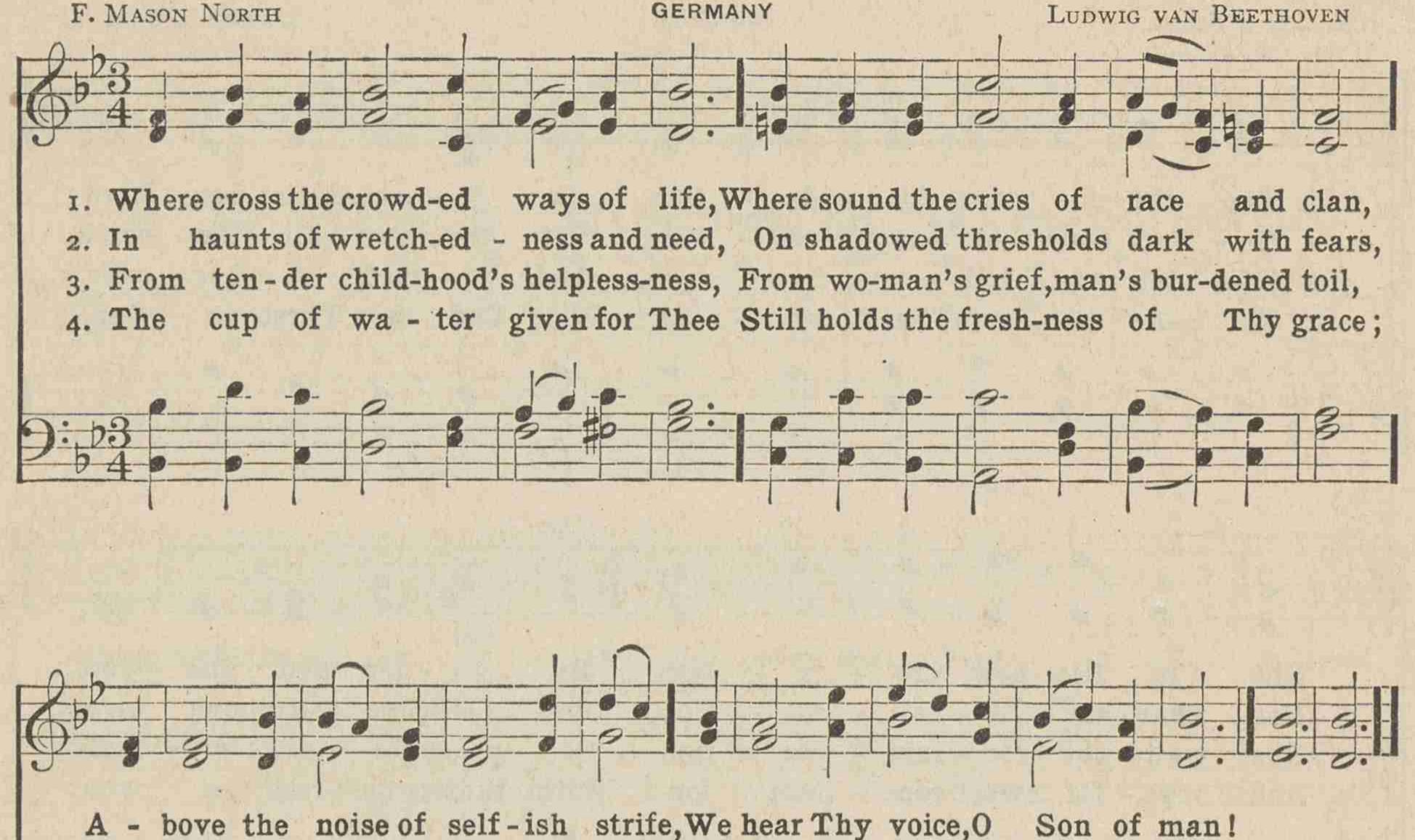
33 All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name



- Ye chosen seed of Israel's race,
 Ye ransomed from the fall,
 Hail him who saves you by his grace,
 And crown him Lord of all.
- 3. Sinners, whose love can ne'er forget The wormwood and the gall;
 Go, spread your trophies at his feet,
 And crown him Lord of all.
- 4. Let every kindred, every tribe
 On this terrestrial ball,
 To him all majesty ascribe,
 And crown him Lord of all.
- 5. O that, with yonder sacred throng,We at his feet may fall!We'll join the everlasting song,And crown him Lord of all.



Where Cross the Crowded Ways of Life



A - bove the noise of self-ish strife, We hear Thy voice, O Son of man! From paths where hide the lures of greed, We catch the vis-ion of Thy tears. From famished souls, from sorrow's stress, Thy heart has nev-er known re-coil. Yet long these mul-ti-tudes to see The sweet com-pas-sion of Thy face. A-m

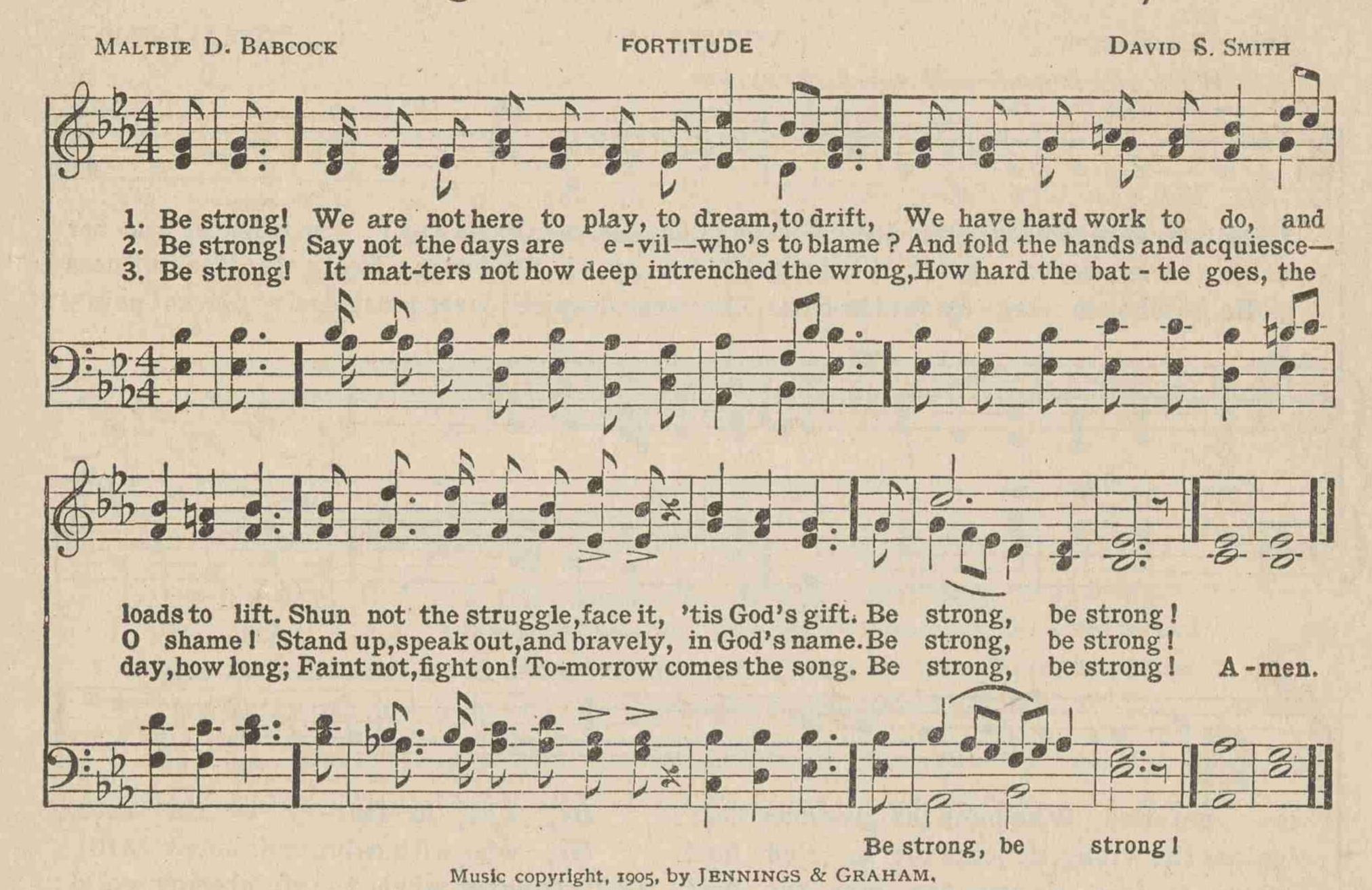


- 5 O Master, from the mountain side, Make haste to heal these hearts of pain, Among these restless throngs abide, O tread the city's streets again,
- And follow where Thy feet have trod:
 Till glorious from Thy heaven above
 Shall come the city of our God.

Then shall the King say unto them on his right hand, Come, ye blessed of my Father, inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world: for I was hungry, and ye gave me to eat; I was thirsty, and ye gave me drink; I was a stranger, and ye took me in; naked, and ye clothed me; I was sick, and ye visited me; I was in prison, and ye came unto me.

Then shall the righteous answer him, saying, Lord, when saw we thee hungry, and fed thee? or athirst, and gave thee drink? And when saw we thee a stranger, and took thee in? or naked, and clothed thee? And when saw we the sick, or in prison, and came unto thee?

And the King shall answer and say unto them, Verily I say unto you, Inasmuch as ye did it unto one of these my brethren, even these least, ye did it unto me.—Matt. 25. 34-40.

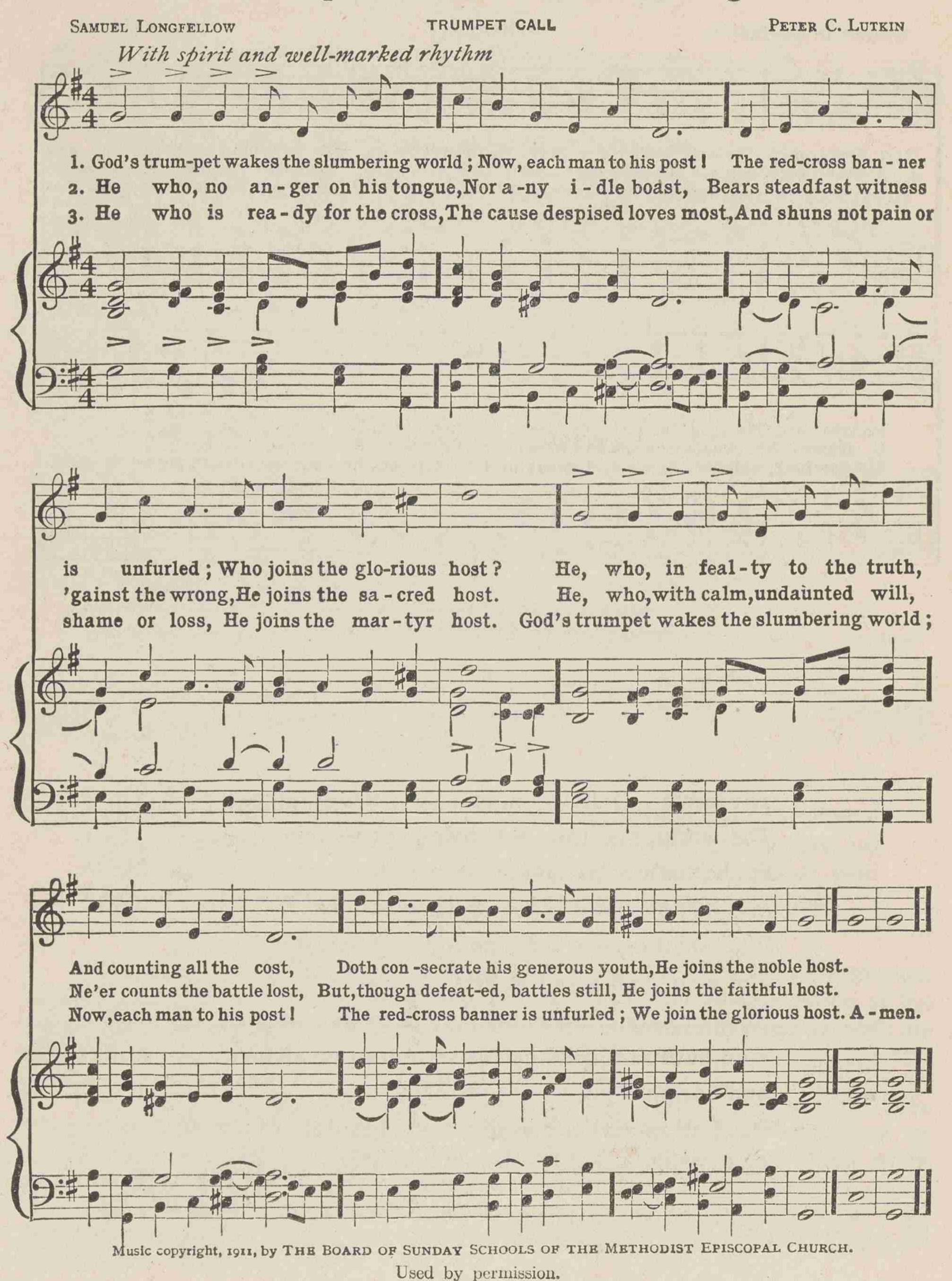


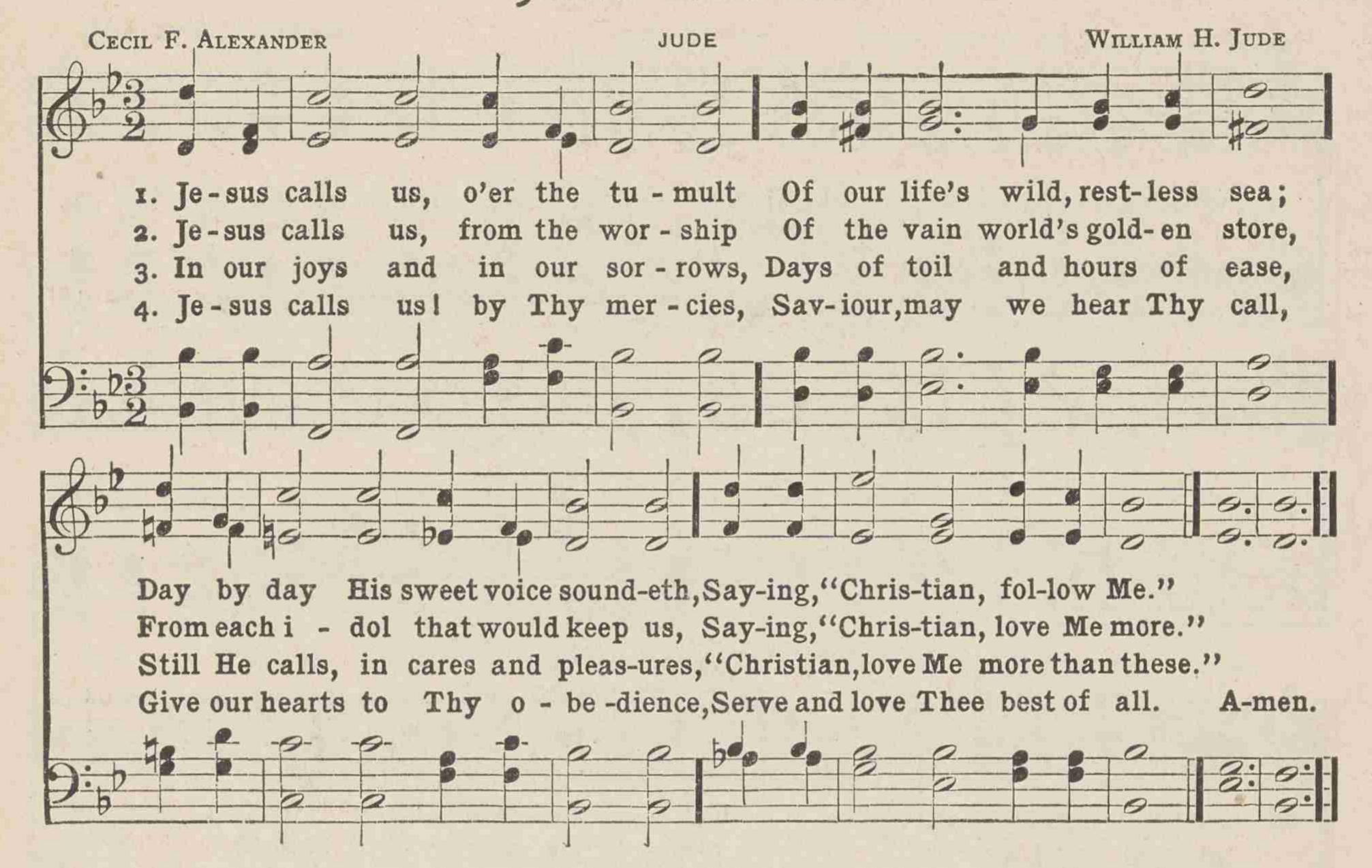
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The earth is Jehovah's, and the fullness thereof;
The world, and they that dwell therein.
For he hath founded it upon the seas,
And established it upon the floods.
Who shall ascend into the hill of Jehovah?
And who shall stand in his holy place?
He that hath clean hands, and a pure heart;
Who hath not lifted up his soul unto falsehood,
And hath not sworn deceitfully.
He shall receive a blessing from Jehovah,
And righteousness from the God of his salvation.

-Psalm 24. 1-5.

37 God's Trumpet Wakes the Slumbering World





THE BEATITUDES

Blessed are the poor in spirit: for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

Blessed are they that mourn: for they shall be comforted.

Blessed are the meek: for they shall inherit the earth.

Blessed are they that hunger and thirst after righteousness: for they shall be filled.

Blessed are the merciful: for they shall obtain mercy.

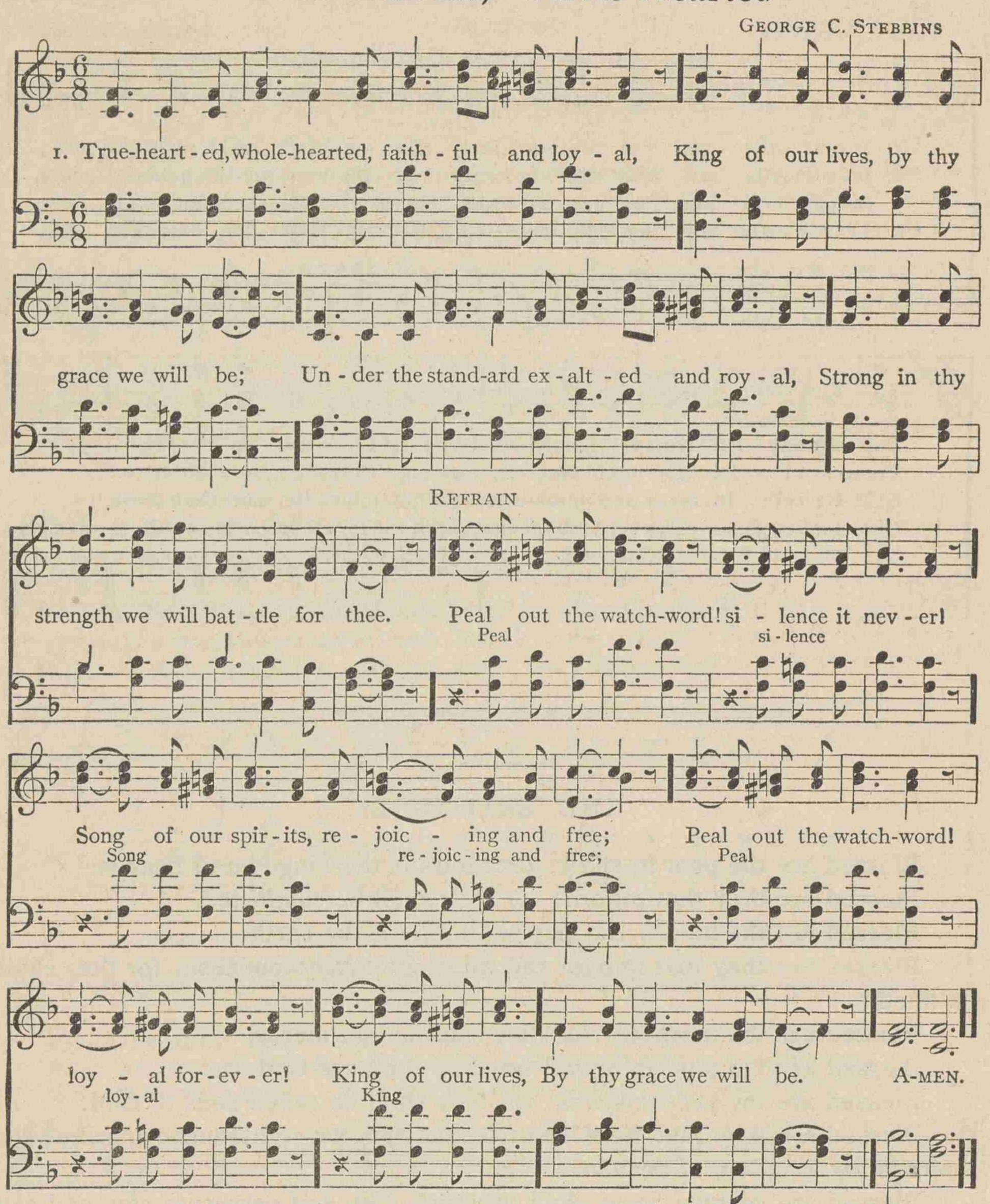
Blessed are the pure in heart: for they shall see God.

Blessed are the peacemakers: for they shall be called sons of God.

Blessed are they that have been persecuted for righteousness' sake: for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

Blessed are ye when men shall reproach you, and persecute you, and say all manner of evil against you falsely, for my sake.

Rejoice, and be exceeding glad: for great is your reward in heaven: for so persecuted they the prophets that were before you.—Matt. 5. 3-12.



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2 True-hearted, whole-hearted, fullest alle- 3 True-hearted, whole-hearted, giance

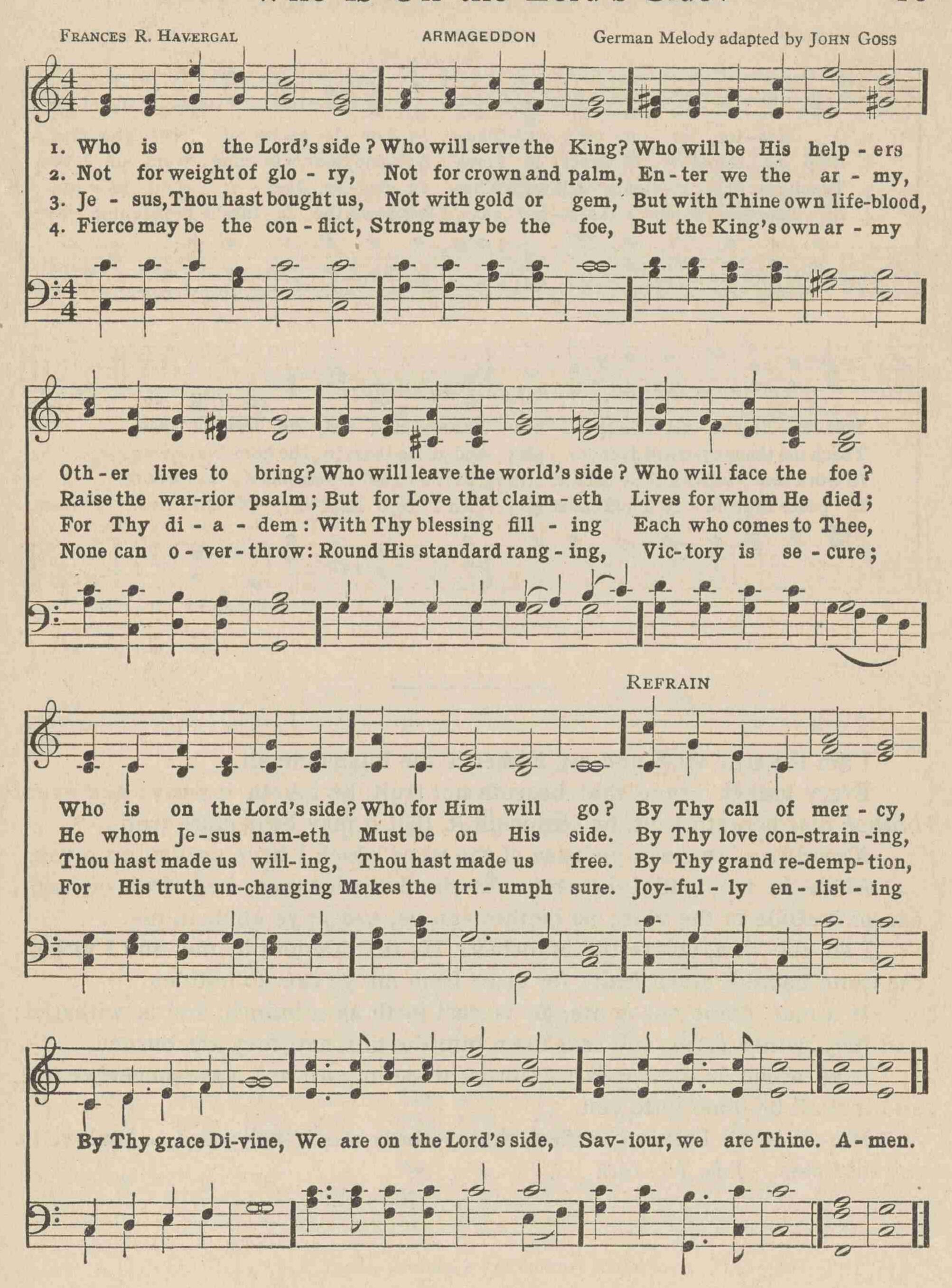
Yielding henceforth to our glorious King; Valiant endeavor and loving obedience,

Freely and joyously now would we bring.

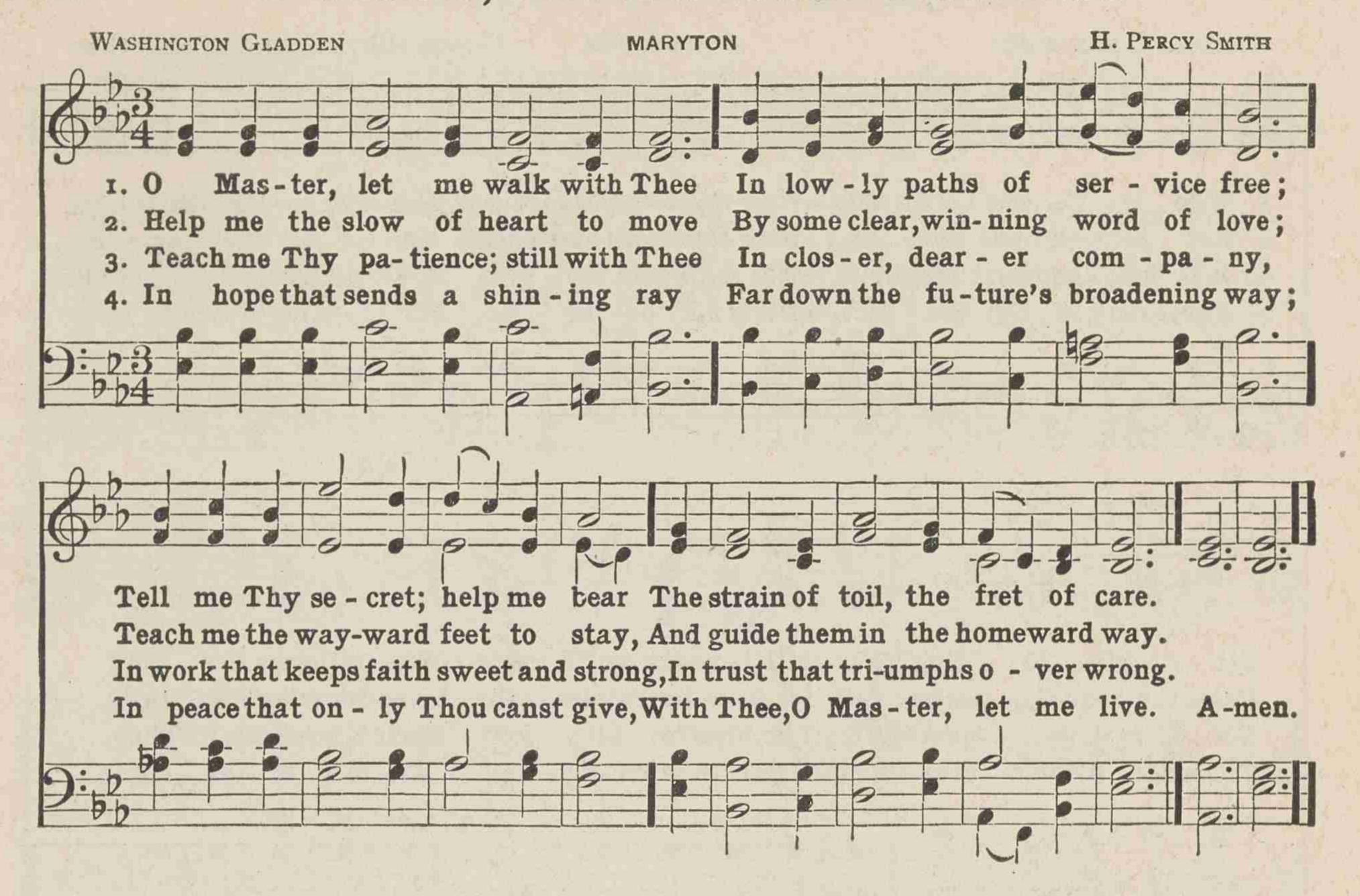
all-glorious!

Take thy great power and reign there alone, Over our wills and affections victorious, Freely surrendered and wholly thine own.

FRANCES R. HAVERGAL



41 O Master, Let We Walk with Thee



I am the true vine, and my Father is the husbandman.

Every branch in me that beareth not fruit, he taketh it away: and every branch that beareth fruit, he cleanseth it, that it may bear more fruit.

Already ye are clean because of the word which I have spoken unto you.

Abide in me, and I in you. As the branch cannot bear fruit of itself, except it abide in the vine; so neither can ye, except ye abide in me.

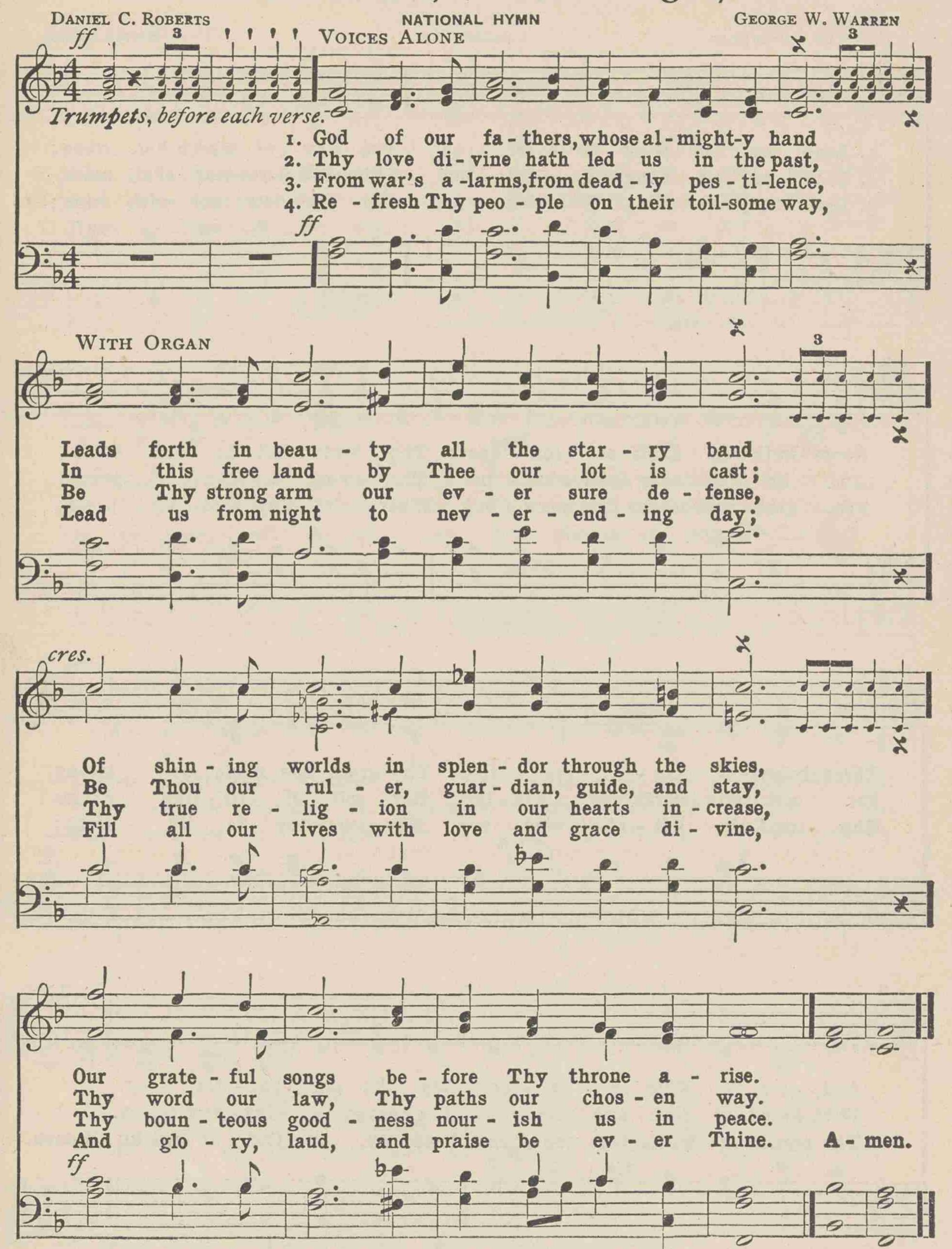
I am the vine, ye are the branches: He that abideth in me, and I in him, the same beareth much fruit: for apart from me ye can do nothing.

If a man abide not in me, he is cast forth as a branch, and is withered; and they gather them, and cast them into the fire, and they are burned.

If ye abide in me, and my words abide in you, ask whatsoever ye will, and it shall be done unto you.

Herein is my Father glorified, that ye bear much fruit; and so shall ye be my disciples.—John 15. 1-8.

God of Our Fathers, Whose Almighty Hand 42

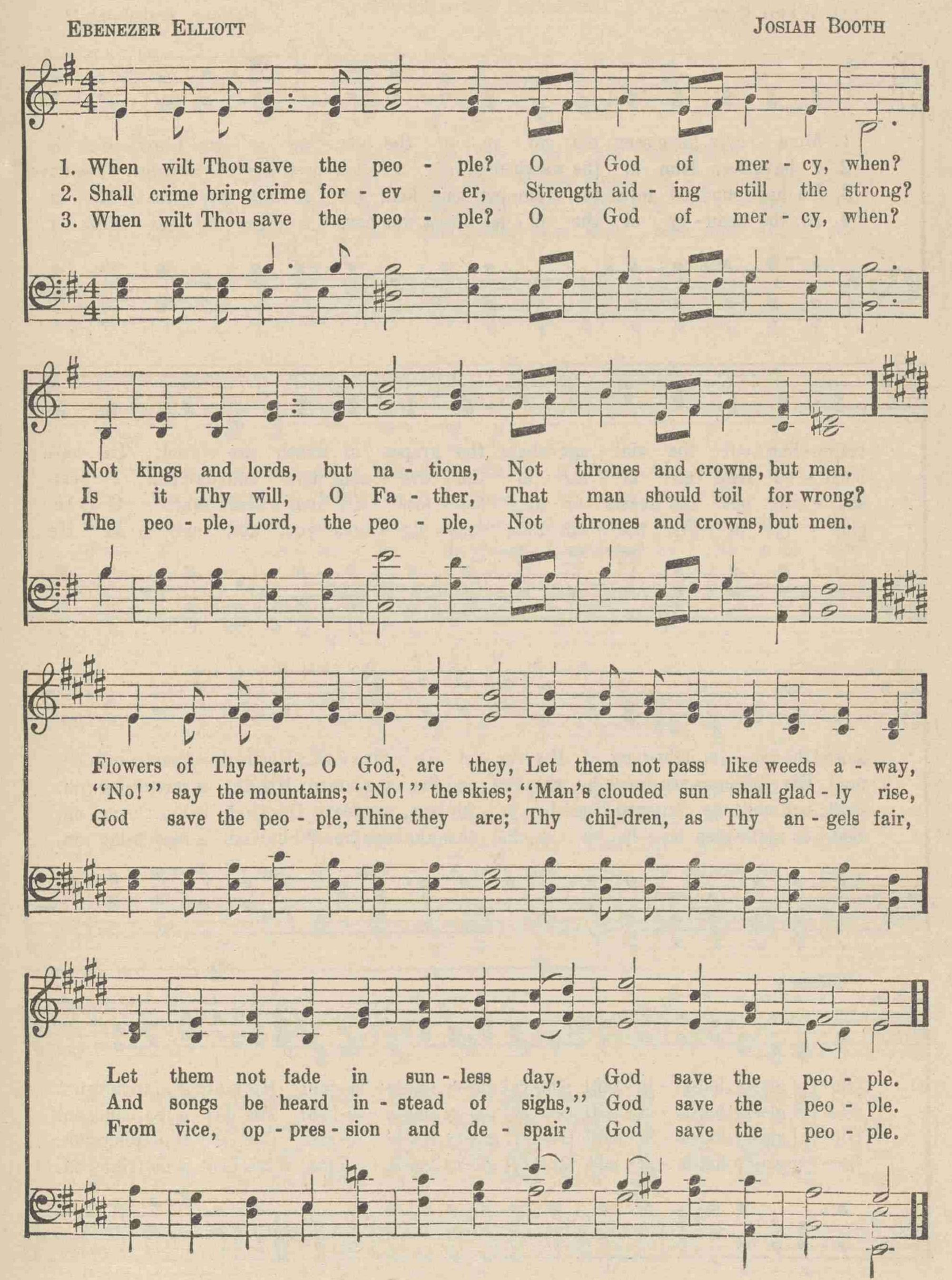


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Lead On, O King Eternal



When Wilt Thou Save the People?



Battle Hymn of the Republic



O Beautiful for Spacious Skies

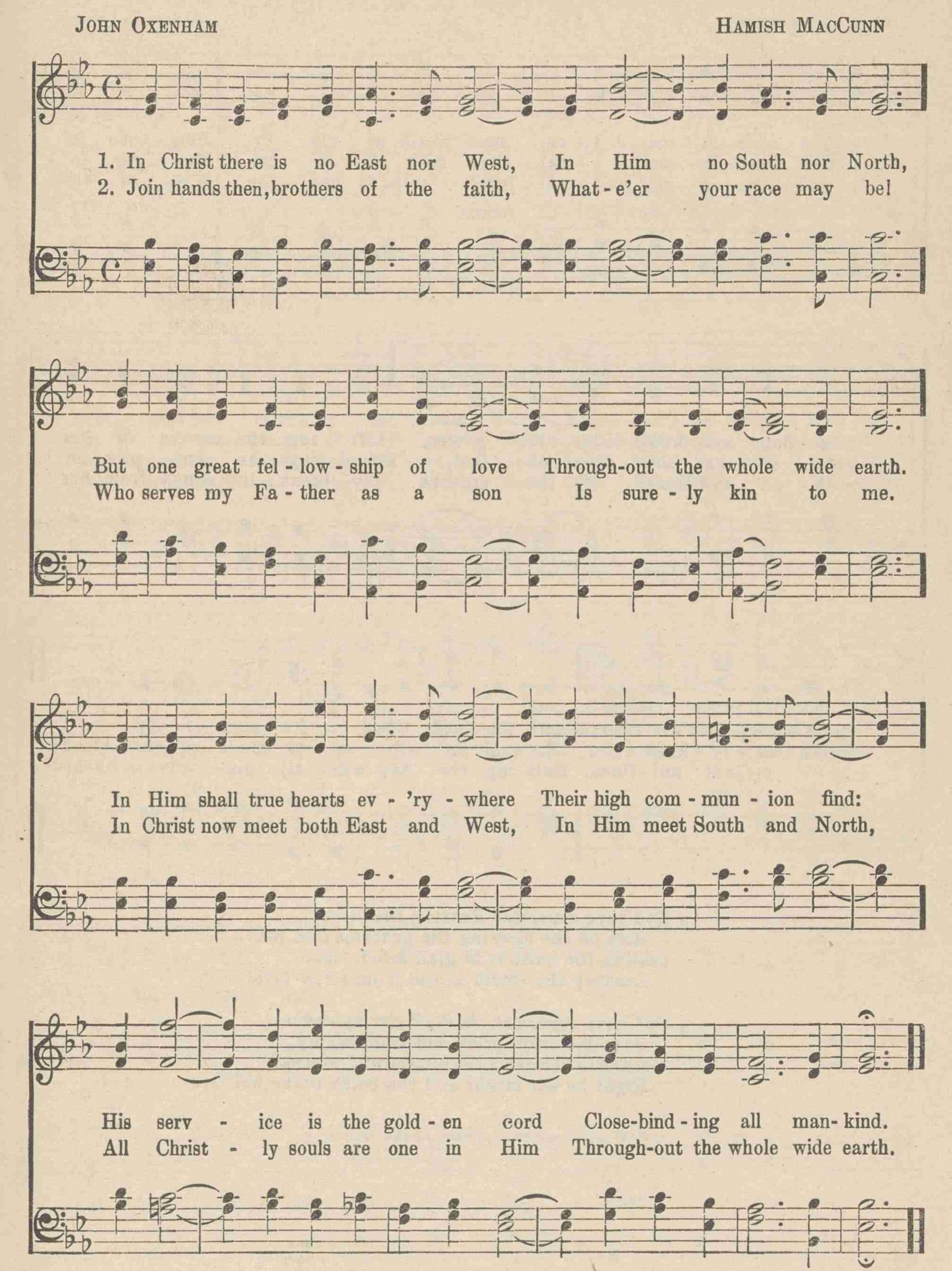
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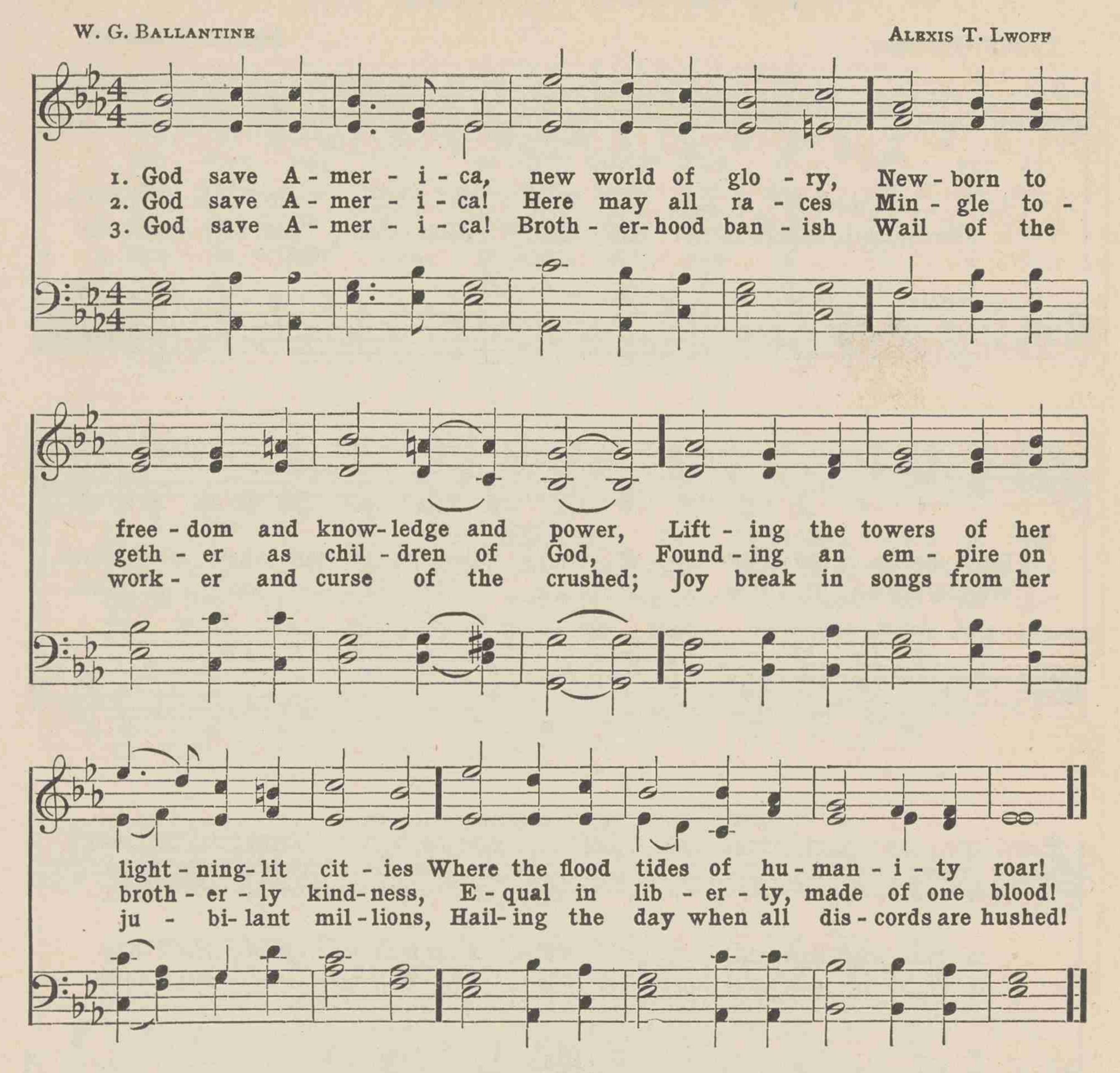
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My Country, 'Tis of Thee



In Christ There Is No East Nor West





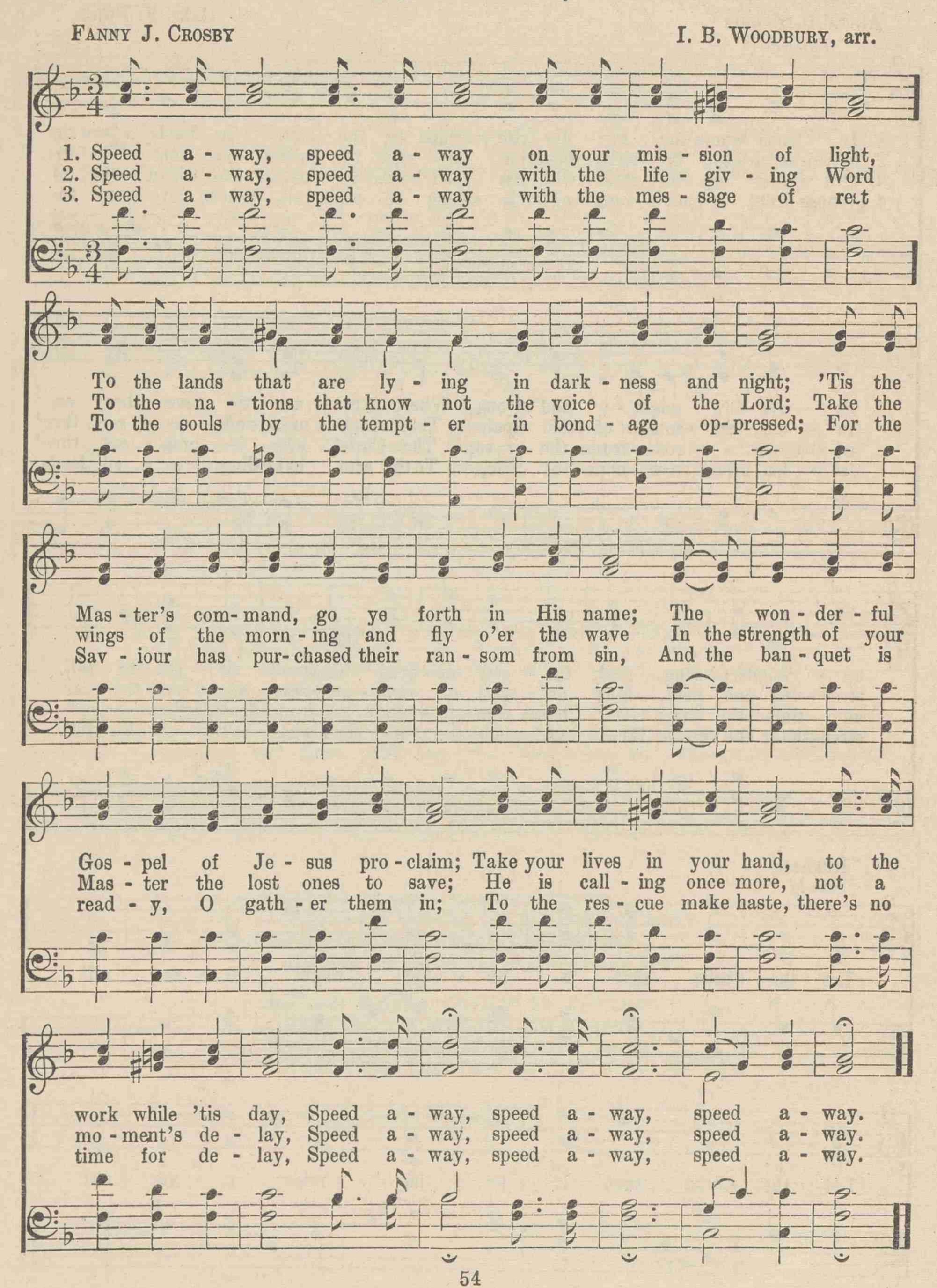
- 4 God save America! Bearing the olive,
 Hers be the blessing the peacemakers prove,
 Calling the nations to glad federation,
 Leading the world in the triumph of love!
- 5 God save America! 'Mid all her splendors,
 Save her from pride and from luxury;
 Throne in her heart the unseen and eternal;
 Right be her might and the truth make her free!

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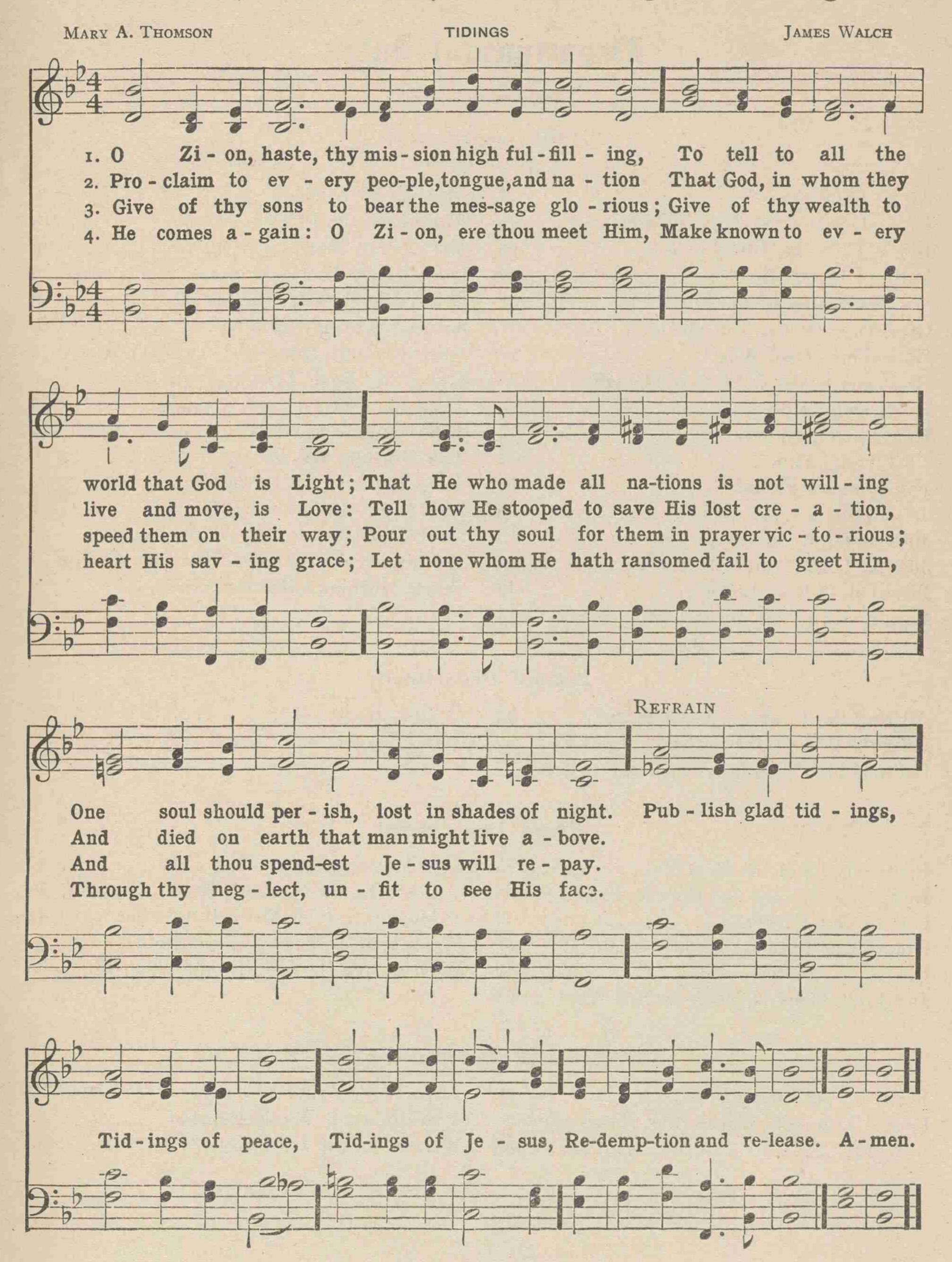
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Speed Away



O Zion, Haste, Thy Mission High Fulfilling



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