

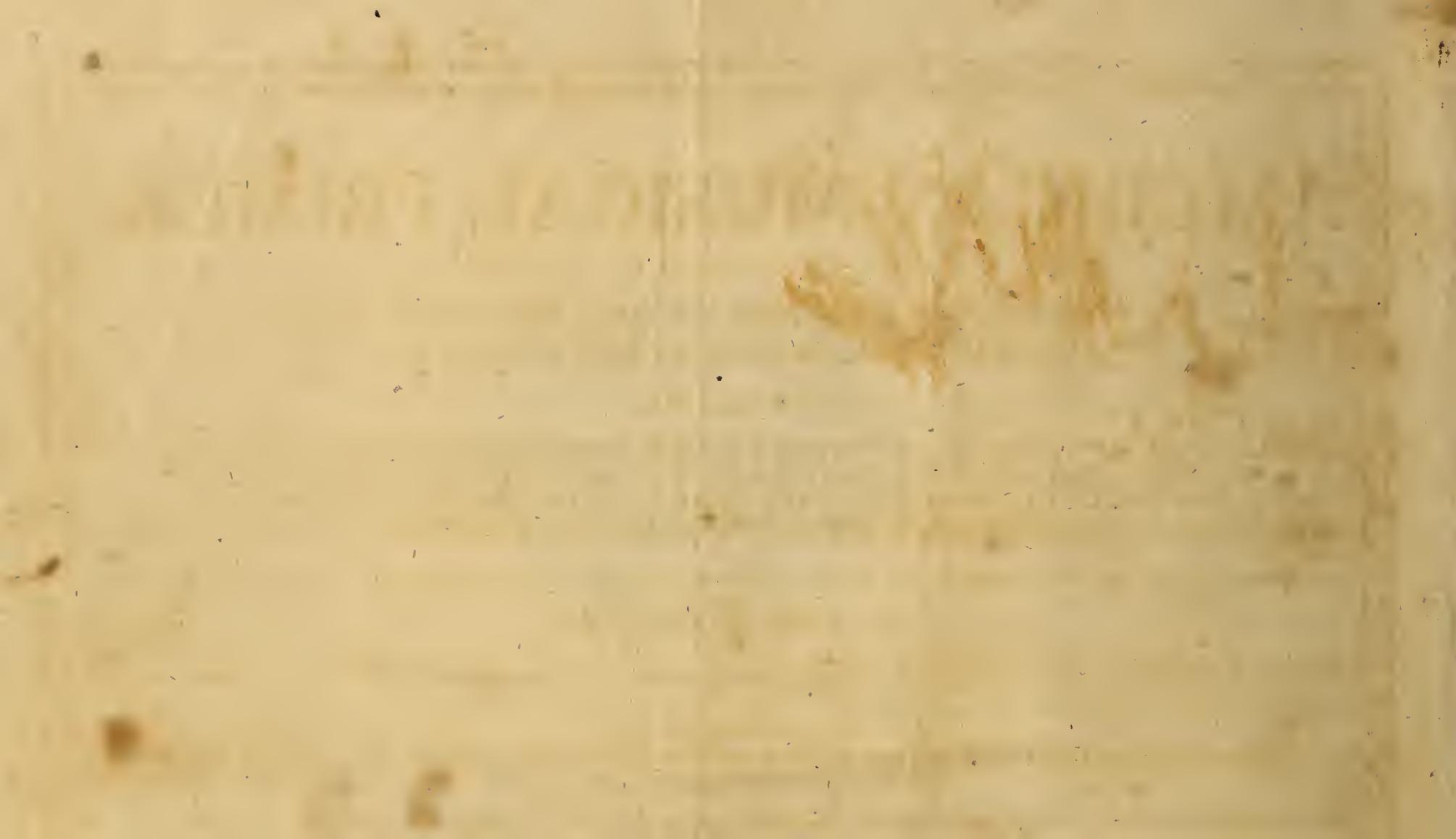
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INTRODUCTION.

MUSIC, whether Vocal or Instrumental, is founded on the same principles ; and, though capable of infinite variety, yet is gathered from the following Scale or Gamut, which is divided into three parts, in three different clefs, and marked with the seven first letters of the Alphabet, as follows, viz.

The Diatonic Scale.

For Tenor, Treble & Counter.

	Letters. Notes.	
Space above,	G	O
Fifth line,	F	C
Fourth space,	E	O
Fourth line,	D	O
Third space,	C	O
Third Line,	B	O
Second space,	A	O
Second line,	G	O
First space,	F	O
First line,	E	O
Space below,	D	O

For Counter.

	Letters. Notes.	
	A	O
	G	O
	F	O
	E	O
	D	O
	C	O
	B	O
	A	O
	G	O
	F	O
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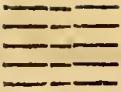
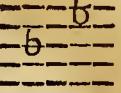
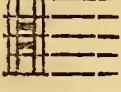
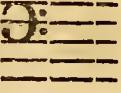
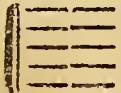
For Bass.

	Letters. Notes.	
	B	O
	A	O
	G	O
	F	O
	E	O
	D	O
	C	O
	B	O
	A	O
	G	O

IN the above Scale, observe—1st. That every eighth note or octave, is called by the same name, and reckoned the same sound,—2d. That the notes, when placed on the lines and spaces, and called by the same names as the places they occupy.—3. When the notes ascend above the highest or fifth line, they are called in alt. When

they descend beneath the lowest, they are called double, as double F, double E, &c.....The principle Air, or melody in Harmony, is commonly in the Tenor ; and in the following work, is placed next to the Bass.

Of the Characters used in Psalmody.

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| <p>1....A Stave or Staff.....</p>  <p>consist of five lines, with their intermediate spaces, whereon notes and other characters are written.</p> | <p>7....A Sharp.....</p>  <p>set at the beginning of a stave or movement, shews that every note on that line or space and its Octaves are raised half a tone, unless contradicted by a Natural.</p> |
| <p>2....Ledger Lines.....</p>  <p>are short lines added when notes go out of the compass of the five lines and spaces.</p> | <p>8....A Flat.....</p>  <p>Is in effect just the reverse of a sharp.</p> |
| <p>3....G. Cliff.....</p>  <p>is always placed on G ; the second line, and is used either for Tenor or Treble.</p> | <p>9....A Natural.....</p>  <p>takes off the effects of Flats and Sharps, restores to their primitive sound.</p> |
| <p>4....C. Cliff.....</p>  <p>is commonly placed on C ; though it is removeable to any other letter ; in which case, it removes the order of all the other letters with it.</p> | <p>10....Stoccato marks..</p>  <p>should be performed distinctly ; when dots are introduced, they must be sung soft and distinct.</p> |
| <p>5....F. Cliff.....</p>  <p>is now always placed on the forth line in the Bass ; which it denominates F, the others regularly follow up and down.</p> | <p>11....Trill.....</p>  <p>shows that the note over which it is set, should be shaken.</p> |
| <p>6....A Brace,.....</p>  <p>connects so many parts as are to be performed in harmony, or at one and the same time.</p> | <p>12....Appoggiaturas...</p>  <p>are small notes to lean on in passing intervals, and must be dwelt upon according to the length or value of the note.</p> |

	<i>:S:</i>	
13....Repeats.....		show that the preceding strain is to be sung over again when two of them are placed over any part of a tune, they intend a repetition of all the Music between them.
14....This Character....		generally refers to words, when a line or part of a line is to be repeated to other notes.
15....Slur or Tie.....		shows what number of notes are sung at one syllable.
16....Figure.....	3	Reduces three Notes to two of the same kind.
17....Figure.....	6	Reduces six Notes to four of the same kind.
18....Figures.....	1 2	show that the note or notes under figure 1, are sung before repeating, and the note or notes under figure 2, at repeating; if tied together with a Slur, all are sung at repeating.
19....Point of addition..		adds to a note, half its original length,
20....Direct.....		is placed at the end of a stave, to show what line or space the next note in the following stave of the same part is found.
21....Hold.....		placed over or under any note, rest, or double bar, shows that such note, rest, &c. is to be held longer than usual.
22....Choosing Notes..		gives the performer liberty to perform which he pleases, or both may be performed at the same time.
23....Single Bar.....		divides time according to the measure note.
24....Double Bar.....		shows the end of a strain, and distinguishes the lines of a Psalm, tune, or the movements of an Anthem.
25....Close.....		shows the end of a tune.

Of Time.

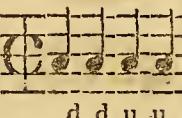
THERE are three sorts of Time ; Common, Triple, and mixt or Compound, and to each of these belongs several modes.

Common Time has 4 modes, viz.

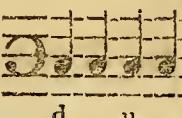
First Adagio, has four beats in a bar, two down and two up, has four crotchets or their amount, accented on the first and third.
Mode, and performed about one quarter slower.



Second Largo, has four beats in a bar, two down and two up, has four crotchets, accented as the former, and performed about one quarter quicker.
Mode, and performed about one quarter quicker.



Third Allegro, has two beats, one down and one up, four crotchets in a bar, accented on the first.
Mode, and performed about one quarter faster.

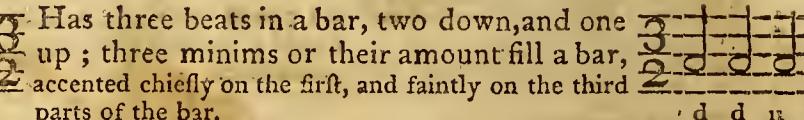


Fourth Has two crotchets or their amount, in a bar, and has two beats, accented as the third mode, and performed about one quarter faster.
Mode, and performed about one quarter faster.

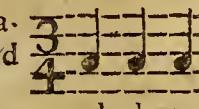


Triple Time has 3 modes, viz.

First Has three beats in a bar, two down, and one up ; three minims or their amount fill a bar, accented chiefly on the first, and faintly on the third parts of the bar.
Mode, and performed about one quarter slower.



Second Has three crotchets in a bar, or their amount ; beat and accented as the first, and performed about one quarter quicker.
Mode, and performed about one quarter quicker.



Third Has three quavers in a bar ; beat and accented as the former, and performed about one quarter quicker than the second.
Mode, and performed about one quarter quicker than the second.



Compound Time has 2 modes, viz.

First Has six crotchets in a bar, or their amount ; two beats, one down and one up, and accented on the first.
Mode, and performed about one quarter slower.



Second Has six quavers, or their amount, in a bar, beat and accented as the former, performed about one quarter faster.
Mode, and performed about one quarter faster.



Of Notes and their Rests.



Of Solmization, or Sol-fa-ing, &c.

1st. OF intervals... An interval is the distance between any two notes. Intervals in Music, are not all equal; some are called whole and others semi, or half tones: The natural or Diatonic scale, contains only two semi-tones, viz.; between B and C, and E and F, but the whole may all be, and are occasionally divided into semi-tones, and is called the Chromatic scale.

2d. In order with more ease and accuracy to distinguish the situation of the tones and semi-tones, and to prevent the abuse of sacred words, the names fa, sol, la, mi, are given to the seven original sounds; in which it is to be observed that the mi, is the master note, and directs the situation of the rest, in the following order, viz.
Above the Mi, twice fa, sol, la.
Below Mi, is twice la, sol, fa.

3d. The place of the Mi, and consequently the other notes, is changed by the use of flats and sharps, set at the beginning of a tune, viz:

When there are neither flats nor sharps at the beginning of a tune, mi is in B.

If there is 1 sharp, it is in F sharp.
2 sharps, it is in C sharp.
3 sharps, it is in G sharp.
4 sharps, it is in D sharp.

If there is 1 flat, it is in	E.
2 flats, it is in	A.
3 flats, it is in	D.
4 flats, it is in	G.

Of the Keys in *Music.*

THERE are but two keys in music, the sharp or major key, and the flat or minor key, which may be distinguished by the last note in the bass, which if it be next above mi, it is sharp, if next below, it is a flat key; or by the third, sixth and seventh above its key; for if either of them are lesser, it is flat, if greater, it is sharp.

Of the variation of the two Keys or Modes, by Flats or Sharps.

1....WHERE there is no flat nor sharp, the Major Mode of C, or the Minor of A prevails; but as every flat removes it a fourth above, or a fifth below.

2....If B be flat, the Major Mode of F, or Minor Mode of D prevails.

3....If B and E be flat, the Major Mode B flat, or the Minor Mode of G prevails.

4....If B, E, and A be flat, the Major Mode of E flat, or the Minor Mode of C prevails.

5....If B, E, A, and D be flat, the Major Mode of A flat, or the Minor Mode of F prevails.

A sharp removes it a fifth above, or a fourth below consequently.

If F be sharp, the Major Mode of G, or the Minor Mode of E prevails.

If F and C be sharp, the Major Mode of D, or the Minor Mode of B prevails.

If F, C, and G be sharp, the Major Mode of A, or the Minor Mode of F sharp prevails.

If F, C, G, and D be sharp, the Major Mode of E, or the Minor Mode of C sharp prevails.

The sixth and seventh in the Minor Octave, being naturally sharped ; every sharp, or natural, that is not necessary to express this sharp, sixth or seventh, and every flat which are placed in the middle of a Tune, have the same tendency to alter the Mi, as when placed at the beginning, so far as they have influence.

Of Graceful Singing.

1....Let your gesture be decent and becoming, and avoid every action that may hurt your voice, or offend your hearers.

2....Take care to have your voice clear, and choose that part which best suits you, and consider the compass of your voice.

3....Pay particular attention to your subject ; for, a person who does not feel what he is performing, has no reason to expect a bystander will ; engage in nothing where your heart does not join your voice, and you will be in the way to imitate their elegance and simplicity, whose Music is as perfect as the blessedness in which they dwell ; but be sure to avoid all affectation.

4....Express your words with propriety, and be careful where you lay your accent.

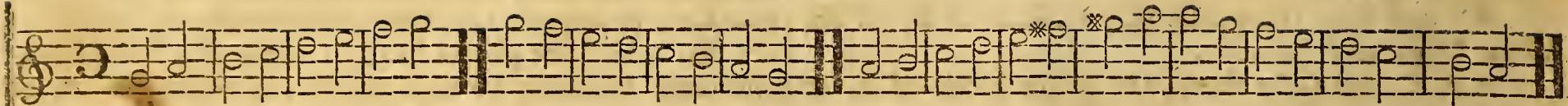
5....Always notice the parts marked forte, or piano, as also all the words you meet with of that nature, whether they respect the tune or time ; as much of the effect of a piece often depends on a strict regard to them.

6....Endeavour to accommodate your style of singing to the general subject of your words—How disgusting would it be to hear a person roar out ! Thy words are sweeter to my mouth than honey ! Or with all the tenderness of affettuoso style ; “ Let the sea roar, and the floods clap their hands.”

Lessons for Practice.

1 Major Octave.

Minor Octave.



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Funeral Thought.

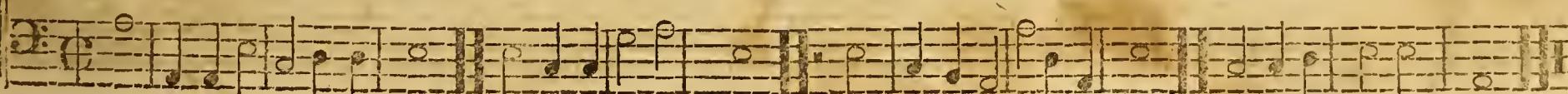
C. M.

I. Smith.

Slow.



Hark ! from the tombs a doleful sound, My ears attend the cry, " Ye living men, come view the ground Where you must shortly lie.



Kingsbridge. L. M.

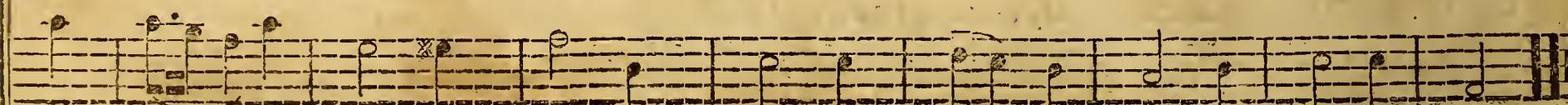
T. W. Coll.



Lord, I am thine; But thou wilt prove My faith, my patience and my love,



When men of spite a - gainst me join, They are the sword, the hand is thine.



Evening Hymn.

L. M.

J. Clark.

13

AIR. Sleep downey sleep! Come close my Eyes, Tir'd with be- - hol- - ding van- - i - - ty,

Welcome sweet sleep! that driv'st a - - way The noise and fol- - lies of the day.

2 On thy soft bosom let me lie,
Forget the world and learn to die;

O Israels wactful shepherd! spread
Thy guardian angels round my head.

3 Let not the spirits of the Air,
While I reprove, my soul insnare;

But guard thy suppliant free from harm
Clasp'd in thine everlasting Arms.



Wel - - come sweet day of rest, That saw the Lord a - - rise; Wel - - come to



Pia.

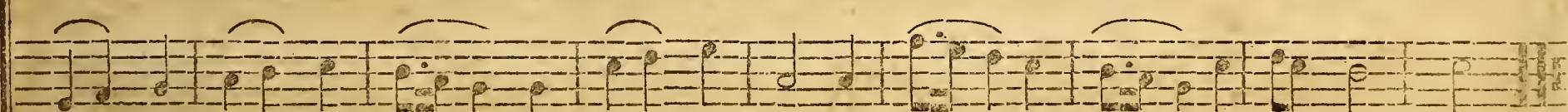
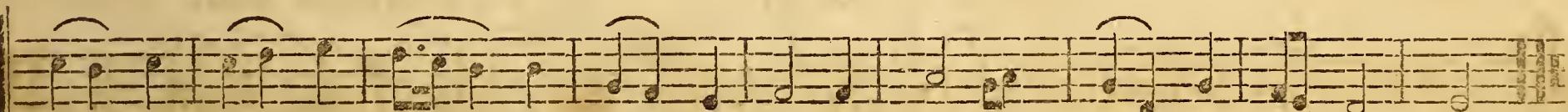


this re - - viv - ing breast, And these re- joicing eyes, And these re - - joic - ing eyes.

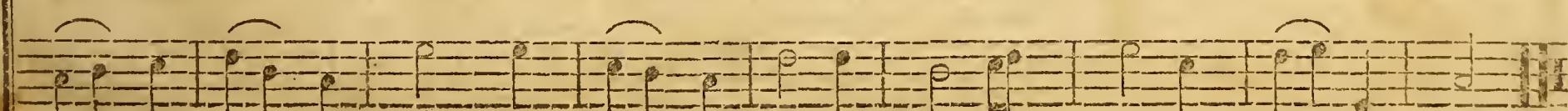




This life's a dream, an empty show; But the bright world to which I go, Hath joys sub-



stantial and sin - cere; When shall I wake and find me there? and find me there?



Musical notation for the Aylesbury tune, consisting of two staves of three measures each. The first staff starts with a dotted half note followed by eighth notes. The second staff starts with a quarter note followed by eighth notes. Measures 3 and 4 show a continuation of eighth-note patterns.

When overwhelm'd with grief, My heart within me dies ; Helpless, and far from all relief, To heav'n I lift mine eyes.

Musical notation for the Sutton tune, consisting of two staves of three measures each. The first staff starts with a dotted half note followed by eighth notes. The second staff starts with a quarter note followed by eighth notes. Measures 3 and 4 show a continuation of eighth-note patterns.

Behold the lofty sky, Declares it maker God; And all his starry works on high Proclaim his pow'r abroad.

Musical notation for the continuation of the Sutton tune, consisting of two staves of three measures each. The first staff starts with a dotted half note followed by eighth notes. The second staff starts with a quarter note followed by eighth notes. Measures 3 and 4 show a continuation of eighth-note patterns.

Silver-Street.

S. M.

I. Smith.

17



Pia.

For.

Come sound his praise abroad, And hymns of glory sing ;

Jehovah is the sovereign God, The - u - ni - versal King.



Mansfield.

S. M.

T. Williams' Coll.



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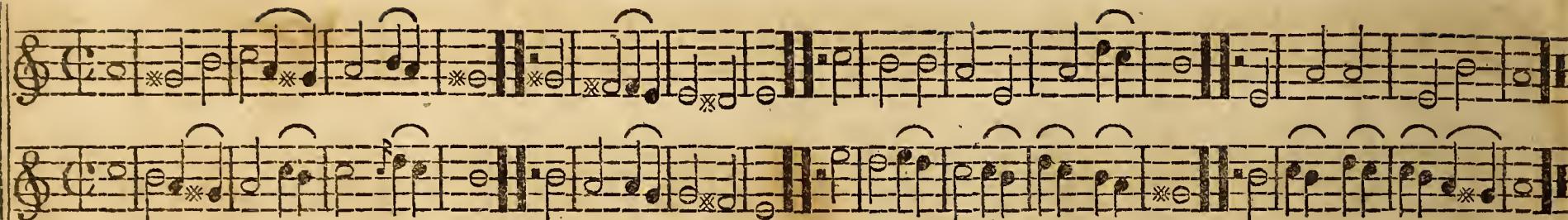
Let ev'ry creature join To praise th' eternal God ; Ye heav'nly hosts, the song begin, And sound his name abroad. Ye heav'nly hosts, the song, &c.



C

England.

C. M.

W. Richardson.

Lord, what is man poor feeble man, Born of the earth at first ? His life a shadow, light and vain, Still hastening to the dust.



Walsall. C. M.

T. Williams' Coll.

Teach me the measure of my days Thou maker of my frame ; I would survey life's narrow space, And learn how frail I am.



Musical notation for St. Ann's tune, Common Measure (C. M.). The music consists of two staves of six measures each. The first staff uses a treble clef, and the second staff uses a bass clef. Measures 1-3 feature eighth-note patterns primarily on the A and C strings. Measures 4-6 feature eighth-note patterns primarily on the D and G strings. Measures 7-9 feature eighth-note patterns primarily on the B and E strings. Measures 10-12 feature eighth-note patterns primarily on the A and D strings.

My God, my portion, and my love, My everlasting All, I've none but thee in heav'n above, Or on this earthly ball.

Musical notation for Brantree tune, Common Measure (C. M.). The music consists of two staves of six measures each. The first staff uses a treble clef, and the second staff uses a bass clef. Measures 1-3 feature eighth-note patterns primarily on the A and C strings. Measures 4-6 feature eighth-note patterns primarily on the D and G strings. Measures 7-9 feature eighth-note patterns primarily on the B and E strings. Measures 10-12 feature eighth-note patterns primarily on the A and D strings.

Brantree. C. M.

Har. Sacra.

Musical notation for Har. Sacra tune, Common Measure (C. M.). The music consists of two staves of six measures each. The first staff uses a treble clef, and the second staff uses a bass clef. Measures 1-3 feature eighth-note patterns primarily on the A and C strings. Measures 4-6 feature eighth-note patterns primarily on the D and G strings. Measures 7-9 feature eighth-note patterns primarily on the B and E strings. Measures 10-12 feature eighth-note patterns primarily on the A and D strings.

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Jesus our God ascends on high, His heav'nly guards around Attend him rising through the sky, With trumpet's joyful sound.

Musical notation for Har. Sacra tune, Common Measure (C. M.). The music consists of two staves of six measures each. The first staff uses a treble clef, and the second staff uses a bass clef. Measures 1-3 feature eighth-note patterns primarily on the A and C strings. Measures 4-6 feature eighth-note patterns primarily on the D and G strings. Measures 7-9 feature eighth-note patterns primarily on the B and E strings. Measures 10-12 feature eighth-note patterns primarily on the A and D strings.

Abridge. C. M.

I. Smith.

O for a shout of sacred joy To God the sov'reign King! Let ev'ry land their tongues employ, And hymns of triumph sing.

Windsor. C. M.

Kirby.

O that the Lord would guide my ways, To keep his statutes still ! O that my God would grant me grace To know and do his will !

Putney. L. M.

21

Handwritten musical score for "Putney, L. M." featuring four staves of music with lyrics. The music is in common time (indicated by '3' over '2') and consists of soprano, alto, tenor, and bass parts. The lyrics are as follows:

Man has a soul of vast desires, He burns within with restless fires;

Tost to and fro, his passions fly from vanity to vanity.

Rochester C. M.

A. W. Coll.

Rochester C. M. (2 staves)

God my supporter, and my hope, My help forever near Thine arm of mercy held me up When sinking in despair.

Bangor. C. M.

Tansur's Coll.

Slow.

Bangor C. M. (2 staves)

Stoop down my thot's that us'd to rise Converse a while with death ; Think how a grasping mortal lies, And pants away his breath.

Bangor C. M. (2 staves)

Mear. C. M.

23



How did my heart rejoice to hear My friends devoutly say, In Zion let us all appear, And keep the solemn day.



Arlington. C. M.



Jesus with all thy saints above, My tongue would bear her part, Would sound aloud thy saving love And sing thy bleeding heart.



Little Marlborough. C. M.

W. Coll.

Lord what a feeble piece Is this our mortal frame? Our life how poor a trifle 'tis. That scarce deserves the name

Plymouth. C. M.

With reverence let the saints appear And bow before the Lord, His high commands with reverence hear, And tremble at his word!

Bethesda. P. M.

Dr. Green.

25

Slow.

Lord of the worlds above, How pleasant and how fair The dwellings of thy love, Thy earthly

temples are! To thine abode My heart aspires, With warm desires To see my God.

My soul, how lovely is the place To which thy God resorts ! Tis heav'n to see his smiling face, Though in his earthly courts.

When Israel, freed from Pharoah's hand, Left the proud tyrant and his land, The tribes with cheerful homage own Their King and Judah was his thrown.

Buckingham.

C. M.

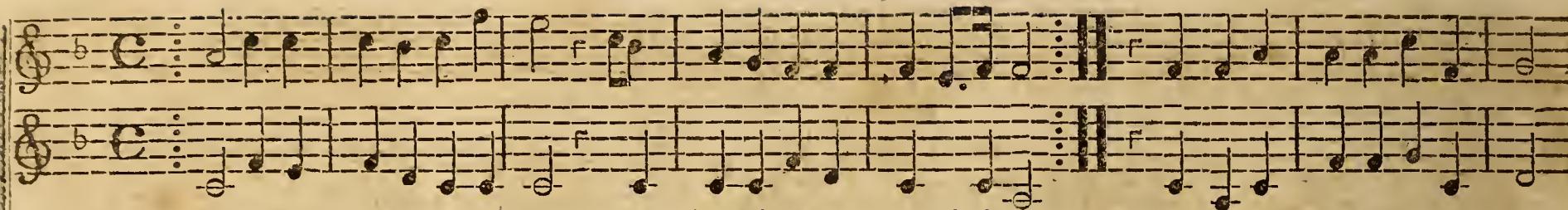
W. Coll.

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Help, Lord, for men of virtue fail, Religion looses ground,

The sons of violence prevail, And treacheries a-bound.

Dresden. L. M.

Harm. Sacra.

He dies! the heav'ly lover dies!
On my poor heart strings deep he lies,

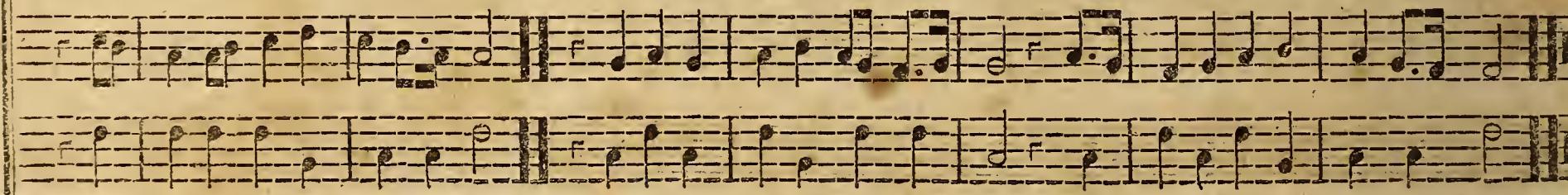
The tidings strike a doleful sound,
In the cold caverns of the ground;

{ Come, saint, and drop a tear or two,



On the dear bosom of your God,
He shed a thousand drops for you,

A thousand drops of richer blood.



Cana. C. M.

H. Heptinstall.

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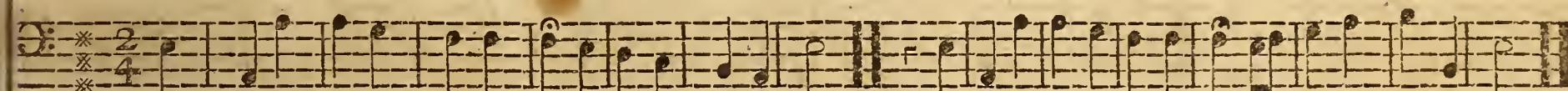
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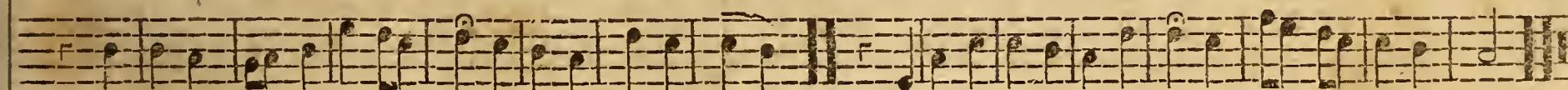
From thee, my God, my joys shall rise, And run eternal rounds,

Beyond the limits of the skies, And all created bounds.



Pia.

For.



The holy triumphs of my soul, Shall death itself oulbrave,

Leave dull mortality behind, And fly beyond the grave.





Descend from heav'n im- - mortal Dove, Stoop down and take us on thy wings,

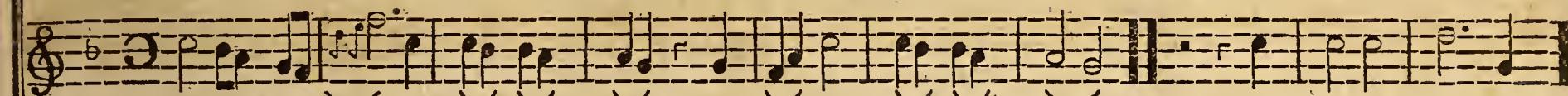


Pia. For.

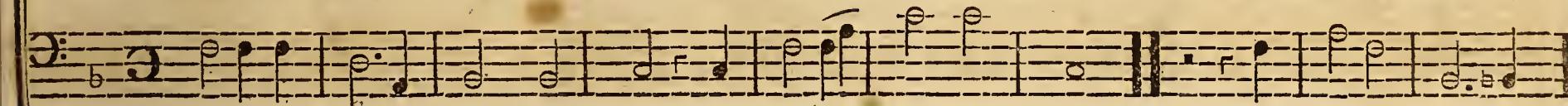


And mount and bear us far above The reach of these in- - ferior things, in- - . ferior things.





Lord, where shall guilty souls re - tire, Forgotten and unknown? In hell they meet thy



Pia..

forte..



dreadful fire, In heav'n thy glorious throne, In heav'n thy glorious throne.





For.



How sad our state by nature is ! Our sin, how deep it strains ! }
 And satan binds our captive minds, Fast in his slavish chains. } But there's a voice of sovereign grace Sounds



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from the sacred word ; Ho ! ye despairing sinners come ; And trust upon the Lord.



Savoy. L. M.

Martin Luther.

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Slow.

Two staves of musical notation in common time (indicated by 'C') and G major (indicated by a 'G' with a sharp sign). The notation consists of vertical stems with small circles at the top, grouped into measures by vertical bar lines. The first staff has a bass clef, and the second staff has an alto clef.

Ye nations of the earth rejoice Before the Lord your sov'reign King, Serve him with cheerful heart & voice, With all your tongues his glory sing.

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St. Sebastian's. C. M.

T. Williams' Coll.

Slow.

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Soft.

Loud.

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Come holy spirit heav'nly dove, With all thy quick'ning pow'rs, Come shed abroad a Saviour's love, Come shed, &c. Come, shed, &c. And that shall kindle ours.

Two staves of musical notation in common time (indicated by 'C') and G major (indicated by a 'G' with a sharp sign). The notation consists of vertical stems with small circles at the top, grouped into measures by vertical bar lines. The first staff has a bass clef, and the second staff has an alto clef.

Dunkenfield. C. M.

Harrison.

Thee we adore, eternal name, And humbly own to thee, How feeble is our mortal frame; What dying worms are we?

Buford. C. M.

Dr. Purcell.

How shall the young secure their hearts And guard their lives from sin; Thy word the choicest rule imparts To keep the conscience clean.

Mecklinburgh. L. M.

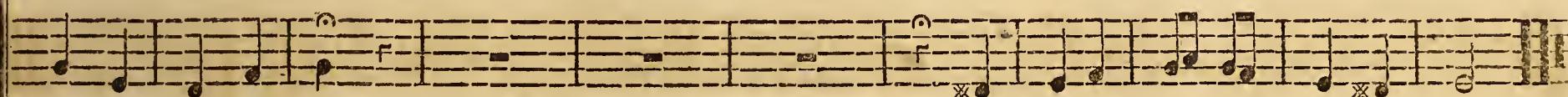
German.

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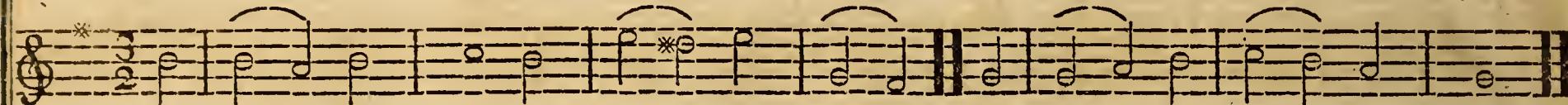


When I survey the wond'rous cross On which the Prince of glory dy'd, My richest

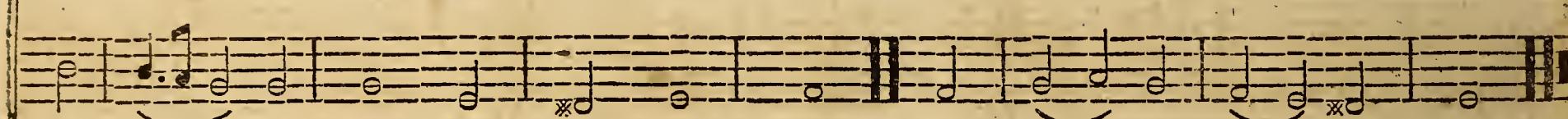


gain, I count but loss, And pour contempt on all my pride. And pour contempt on all my pride.

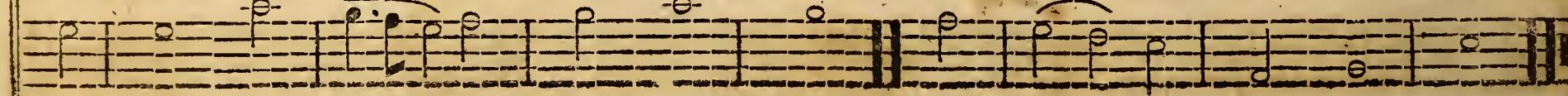




Why do we mourn de - - part - ing friends ? Or shake at death's a - larms ?



'Tis but the voice that Je - sus sends To call them to his arms.



St. Hellens.

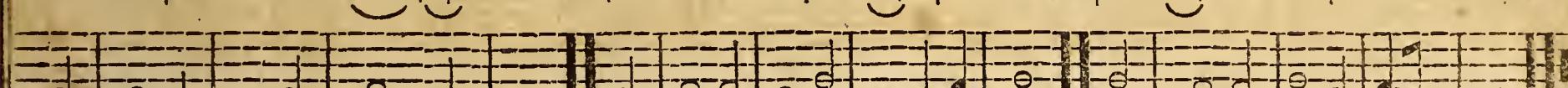
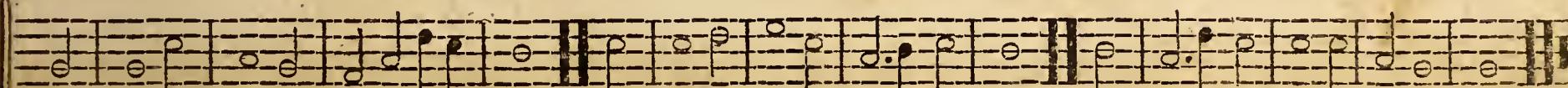
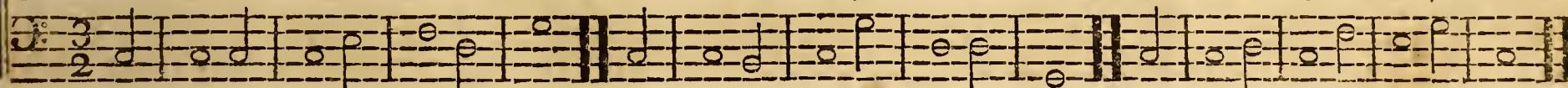
P. M.

Jennings.

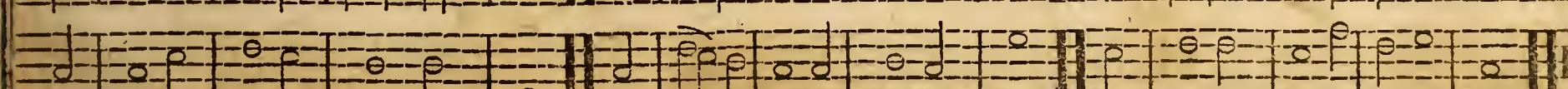
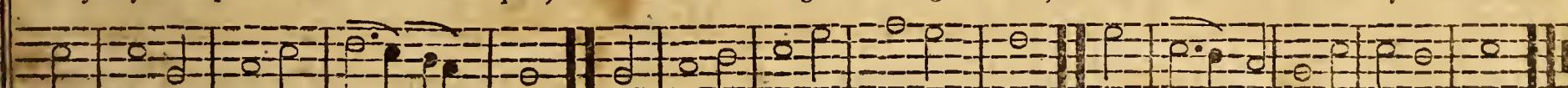
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I'll praise my Maker with my breath, And when my voice is lost in death, Praise shall employ my nobler powers.



My days of praise shall ne'er be past, While life and thought and being last, Or im - mor-tal - i - ty en - dure.



Wantage. C. M.

A. Williams' Coll.

With rev'rence let the saints appear And bow before the Lord, His high commands with rev'rence hear, And tremble at his word.



Dublin. C. M.

T. Williams.

Now shall my inward joys arise, And burst into a song ; Almighty love inspires my heart, And pleasures tune my tongue.

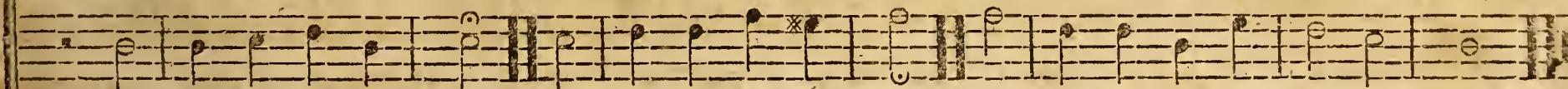




How pleas'd and blest was I, To hear the people cry, 'Come let us seek our God to day;'



Yes with a cheerful zeal, We haste to Zion's hill, And there our vows and hon - ors pay..



Slow.

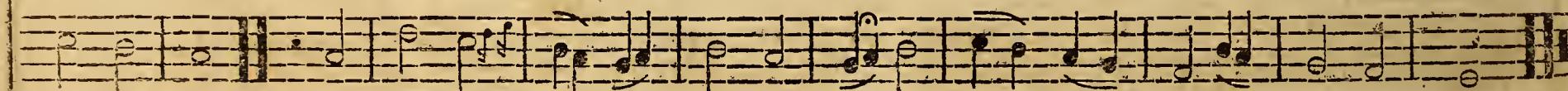


Deep in our hearts let us record The deeper sorrows of our Lord; Behold the rising



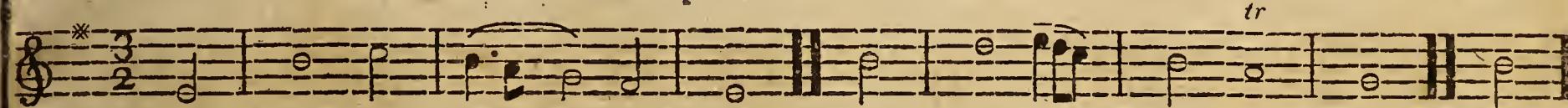
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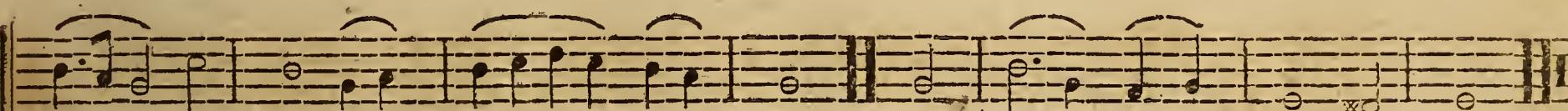
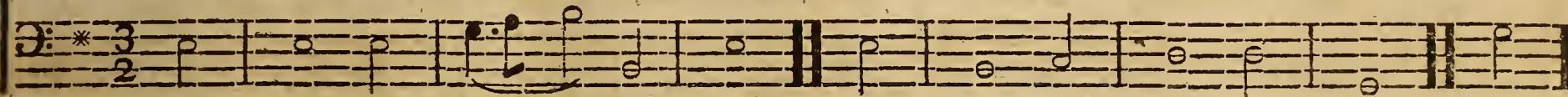


billows roll, To over - - - - - overwhelm his holy soul. To over - - - - - overwhelm his holy soul.

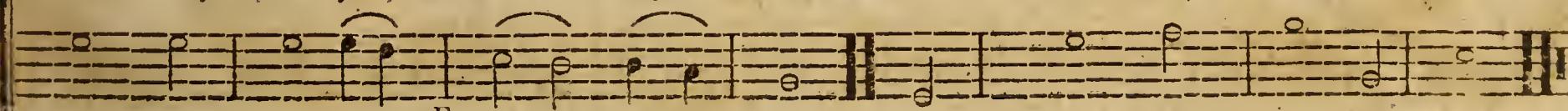




My God per - - - mit my tongue, This joy to call thee mine; And



let my early cries pre - - vail To taste thy love divine.



A handwritten musical score for three voices (Soprano, Alto, Tenor/Bass) and piano. The music is in common time, treble clef for Soprano, bass clef for Alto, and bass clef for Tenor/Bass. The piano part is in the bass clef. The score consists of four systems of music. The lyrics are as follows:

My Saviour and my king,
Thy beauties are di - vine;

Thy lips with blessings o - ver - - - flow,
And ev' - - - - - ry grace is thine.

Walton. S. M.

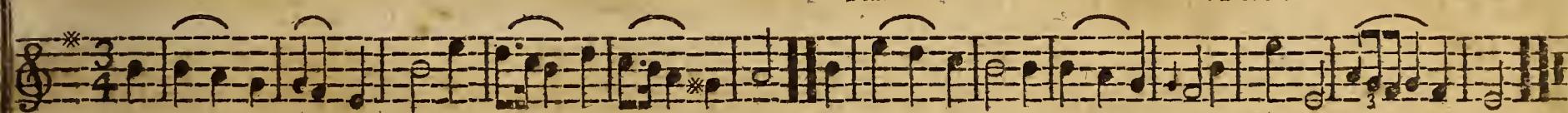
G. Breillat.

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Pia.

Forte.



How heavy is the night, That hangs upon our eyes, 'Till Christ with his reviving light Over our souls arise !

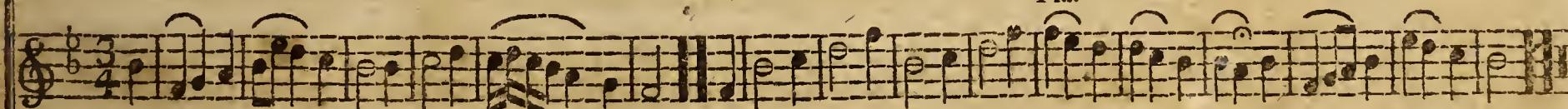


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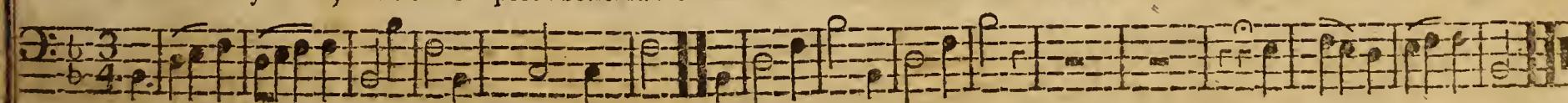
J. Husband.



Pia.



Shall wisdom cry aloud, And not her speech be heard ? The voice of God's eternal word Deserves it no regard ? Deserves it no regard.



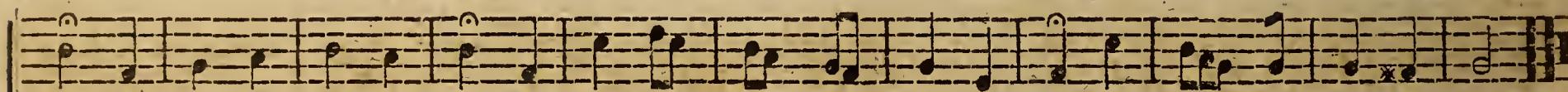
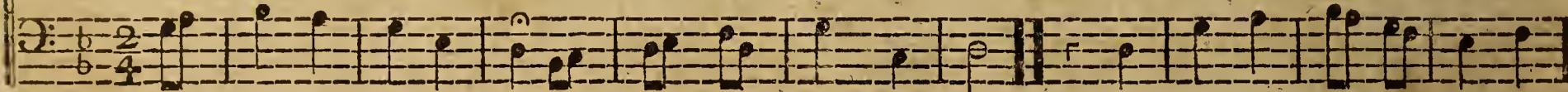
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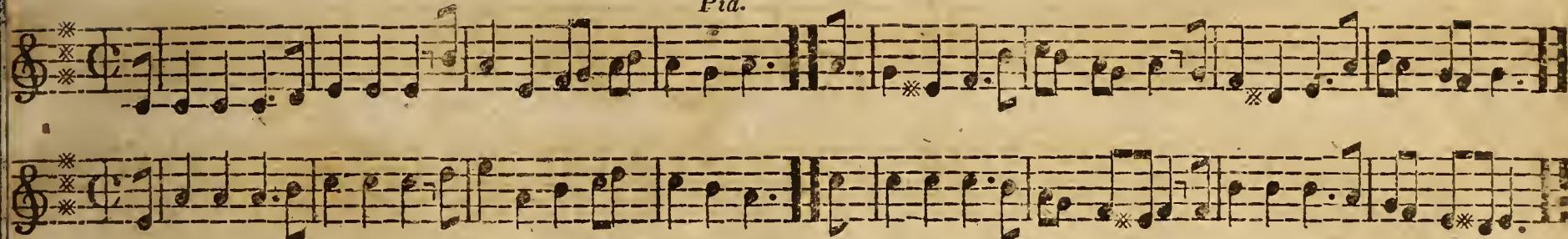


Shall we go on to sin, Be - cause thy grace abounds? Or cruci - fy the Lord a-

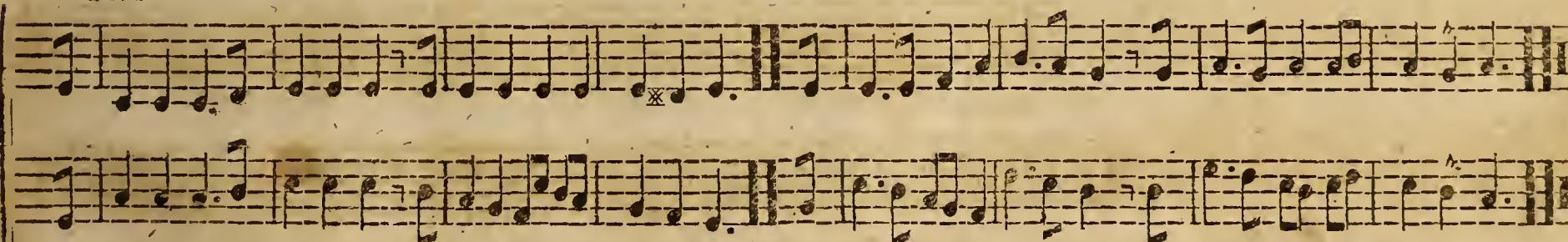


gain, And open all his wounds? Or crucify, &c.



Pia.

Who shall the Lord's elect condemn? 'Tis God who justifies their souls; And mercy like a mighty stream, O'er all their sins divine - ly rolls.

*For.*

Who shall adjudge the saints to hell? 'Tis God who suffer'd in their stead; And, the salvation to fulfill, Behold him rising from the dead.



Slow.



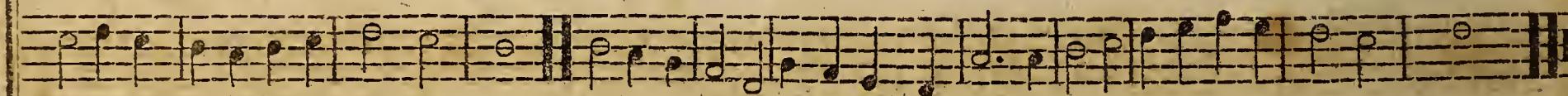
Pja.



The Lord the sov'reign sends his summons forth, Calls the south nations, and awakes the north From east to west the sounding orders spread,



Fort.



Thro' distant worlds and regions of the dead, No more shall Atheists mock his long delay ; His vengeance sleeps no more: behold the day !



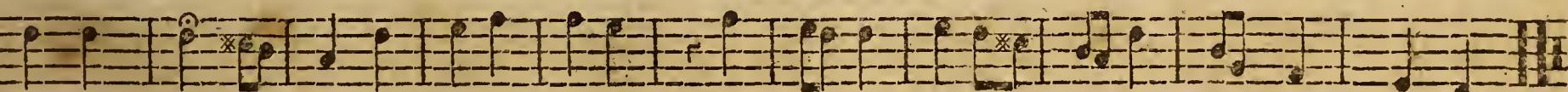
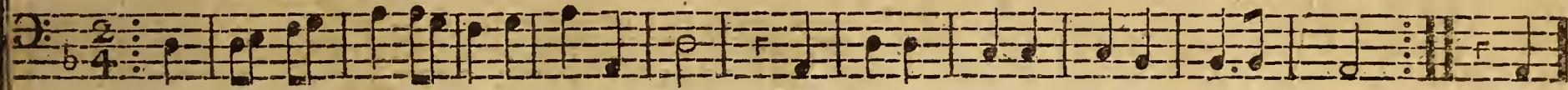
Slow.



1 The God of glory sends his summons forth, Calls the south nations, and awakes the north;



2 From east to west the sovereign orders spread, Thro' distant worlds and regions of the dead. The



trumpet sounds, hell trembles heaven rejoices, Lift up your heads, ye saints with cheerful voices.



And must this body die? This mortal frame decay? And must these active limbs of mine Lie mould'ring in the clay?

Thou Shepherd of Israel, divine, The joy of the upright in heart, For closer com-

Milford. *Continued.*

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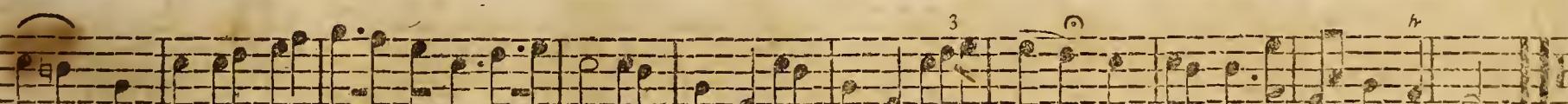
munion we pine, Still, still to reside where thou art. The pasture O where shall we



Pia.

Cres.

Forte.



find, Where all who their Shepherd obey Are fed, on thy bosom reclin'd, Are screen'd from the heat of the day.



Moderato.



Jesus, my all to heav'n is gone; He whom I fix my hopes up - - on,



Pia.



His track I see, and I'll pur - - - sue the narrow way till him I view.
Pia



His track I see, and I'll pursue the narrow way till him I view.

2 The way the holy prophets went,
The road that leads from banishment,
The King's highway of holiness
I'll go, for all his paths are peace.

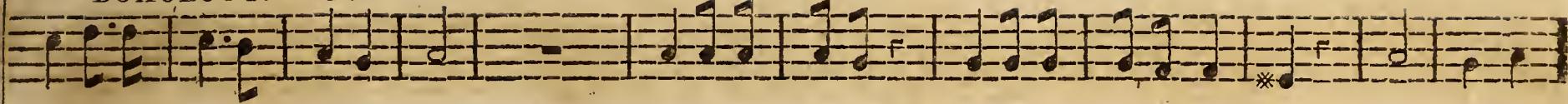
3 This is the way I long have sought,
And mourn'd because I found it not;
My grief, my burthen long has been,
Because I could not cease from sin.

4 The more I strove against its power,
I finn'd and stumbled but the more,
Till late I heard my Saviour say,
Come hither Soul, "I am the way."

Bicester, *Continued.*

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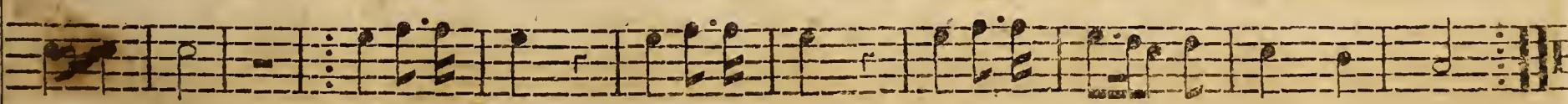
DOXOLOGY. For.



Praise, praise him, Praise him, Praise, praise him, praise him, all,



Praise God from whom all blessings flow, Praise, praise him, praise him, Praise, praise him, praise him, Praise praise him, ali, all creatures



here below.

Praise him above,

ye heav'ly host,

Praise Father Son and holy

Ghost.



Maestoso.



Array'd in mortal flesh, Christ like an angel stands, And holds the prom- is- - - es,



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And pardons in his hands, And pardons in his hands. Com-mission'd from his



Clapham, *Continued.*

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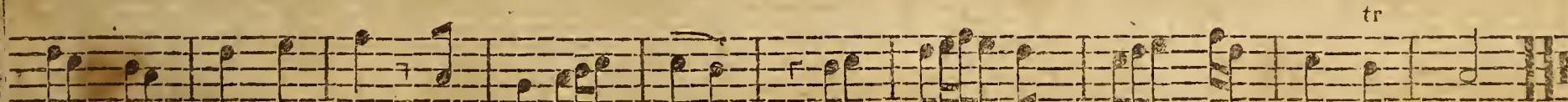
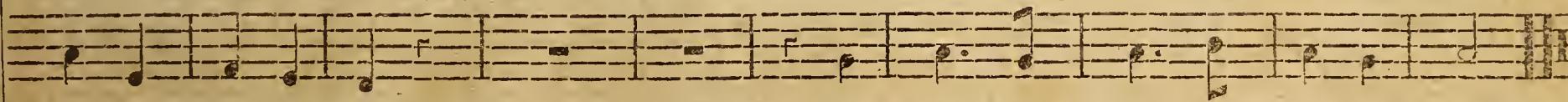


Father's throne, To make his grace to mortals known. Commission'd from his Father's

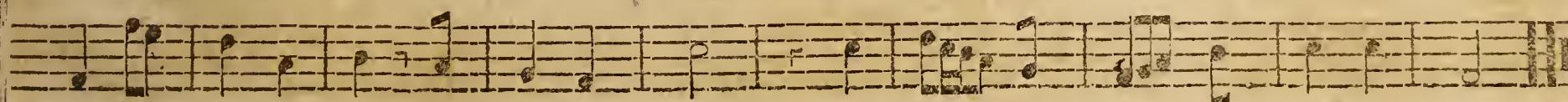
Pia.

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throne, To make his grace To mortals known. To make his grace to mortals known.



Hotham. Sevens.

T. Williams' Coll.

Pia. For.

Till the storm of life is past; Safe into the haven guide: O re - ceive, O re - ceive, O re - ceive my soul at last.

2 Other refuge have I none,
Hangs my helpless soul on thee :
Leave ah ! leave me not alone,
Still support and comfort me ;
All my trust on thee is stay'd,
All my help from thee I bring :
Cover my defenceless head,
With the shadow of thy wing.

3 Thou, O Christ, art all I want ;
All in All in thee I find ;
Raise the fallen, cheer the faint,
Heal the sick, and lead the blind ;
Just and holy is thy name,
I am all unrighteousness,
Vile and full of sin I am,
Thou art full of truth and grace.

4 Plenteous grace with thee is found,
Grâce to pardon all my sin ;
Let the healing streams abound :
Make and keep me pure within,
Thou of life the fountain art,
Freely let me take of thee ;
Spring thou up within my heart,
Rise to all eternity.

Bowden.

L. M.

T. Williams' Coll.

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Pia.

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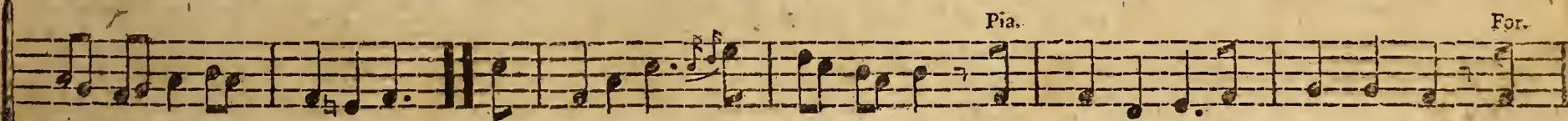


A-way my un-be-liev-ing fear, Fear shall in me no more 'ake place; My Saviour doth not yet appear, He

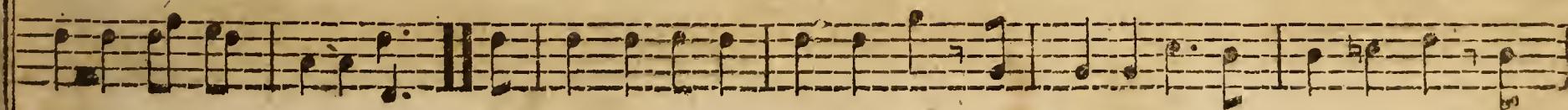


Pia.

For.



hides the brightness of his face. But shall I there-fore let him go, - And base-ly to the tempter yeild? No;

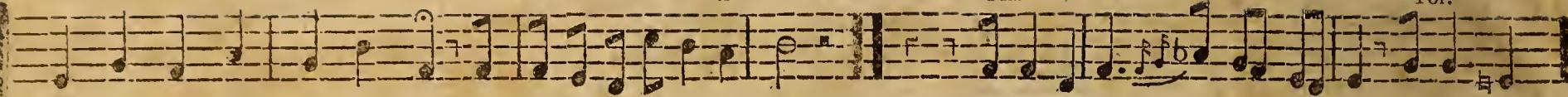


Bowden. *Continued.*

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Pia.

For.



in the strength of Je-sus no; I never will give up my shield.

Altho' the vine its fruit de-ny, Altho' the



Pia.

For.



o - live yield no oil, The with'ring fig- tree droop and die, The field il- lude the tiller's toil ; The empty stall no herd af-





ford, and perish all the bleating race; Yet will I triumph in the Lord, The God of my salvation praise.



3 Away, each unbelieving fear,
Let fear to cheering hope give place;
My Saviour will at length appear,
And show the brightness of his face;
Tho' now my prospects all be crost,
My blooming hopes cut off I see,
Still will I in my Jesus trust,
Whose boundless love can reach to me.

4 In hope, believing against hope,
His promis'd mercy will I claim;
His gracious word shall bear me up,
To seek salvation in his name:
Soon my dear saviour, bring it nigh!
My foul shall then outstrip the wind,
On wings of love mount up on high!
And leave the world and sin behind.

Andante.



Keep silence, all created things, And wait your Maker's nod; My soul stands trembling while she sings The honours of her God.

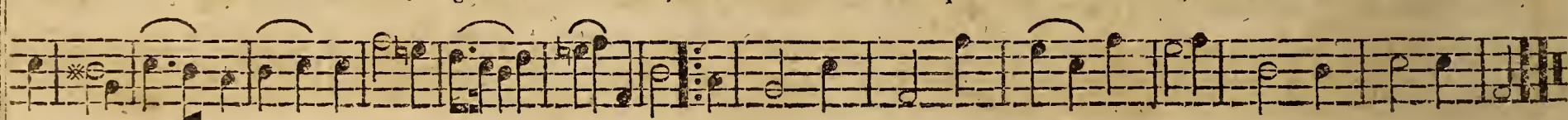


Pia.

Repeat. Forte.



Life, death, and hell, and worlds unknown, Hang on his firm derceee; He sits on no pre - - carious throne, Nor borrows leave to be.



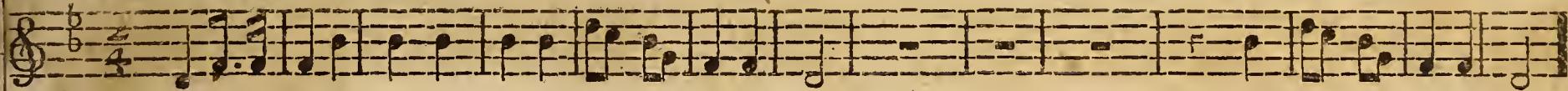
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C. M.

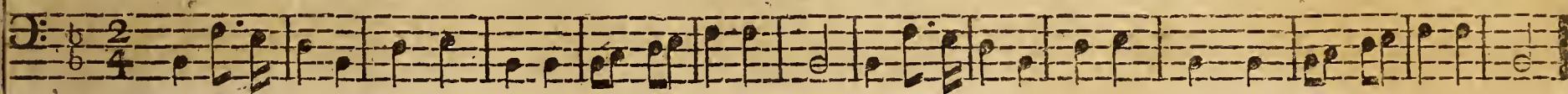
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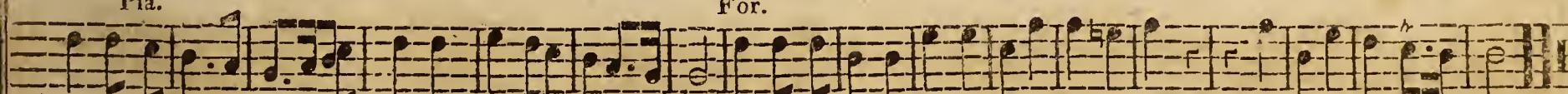


Jesus, our Lord, ascend thy throne, And near thy Father sit: In Zion shall thy power be known, And make thy foes submit,



Pia.

For.



What wonders shall thy gospel do ! Thy converts shall surpass The numerous drops : ||: of morning dew, and own thy sovereign grace.



Jesus, who died a world to save, Revives and rises from the grave, By his al - - migh - ty power;

Piano

Forte.

From sin, and death, and hell set free, He captive leads captiv - - - ity, And lives, and lives to die no more.

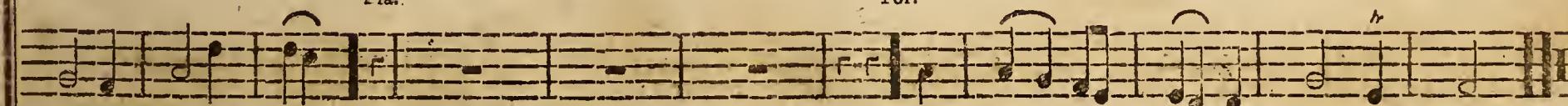


Je - - hovah reigns; he dwells in light, Gird - ed with ma - jes - ty and might; The world, cre-



Pia.

For.



ated by his hands, Still on its first foun - dation stands, Still on its first foun - dation stands.



Munich.

L. M.

German.

Pia.

For.

'tis finish'd!

'Tis finish'd! so the Saviour cry'd, And meekly bow'd his head, & dy'd : 'Tis finish'd! yes, the race is run, The battle fought the vict'ry won.

2 'Tis finish'd—all that Heaven decreed,
And all the ancient prophets said
Is now fulfill'd as was design'd,
In me the Saviour of mankind.

3 'Tis finish'd—Aaron now no more
Must stain his robes with purple gore ;
The sacred veil is rent in twain,
And Jewish rites no more remain.

4 'Tis finish'd—this my dying groan
Shall sins of every kind atone ;
Millions shall be redeem'd from death,
By this, my last expiring breath.

5 'Tis finish'd—Heav'n is reconcil'd
And all the powers of darkness spoil'd ;
Peace, love, and happiness again
Return and dwell with sinful men,

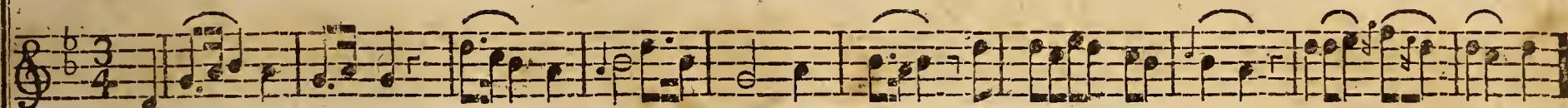
6 'Tis finish'd—let the joyful sound
Be heard thro' all the nations round ;
'Tis finish'd—let the echo fly
'Thro' heaven and hell, thro' earth and sky.

Whitehall. C. M.

F. Remy.

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Affteuoso.



Thou dear Redeemer, dying Lamb, We love to hear, to hear of thee; No music like thy



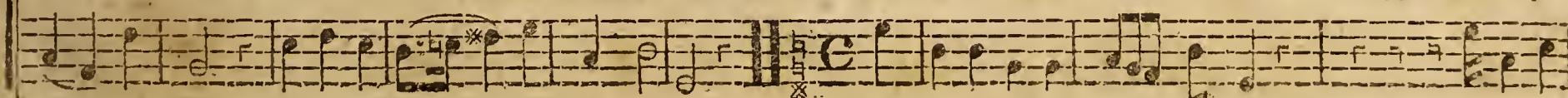
Pia.

For.



charming, name, Nor half so sweet, so sweet can be.

Oh, may we ever hear thy voice In mercy, in mercy



Whitehall, *Continued.*

to us speak! And in our priest, we will rejoice, Thou great, thou great Melchisedec ; our Jesus shall be still our theme, While

Pia. For.

in, While in this world we stay; We'll sing our Jesus' lovely name, When all, when all things else decay.

Whitehall, *Continued.*

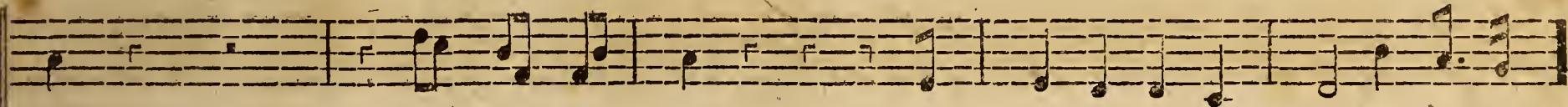
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Vivace.



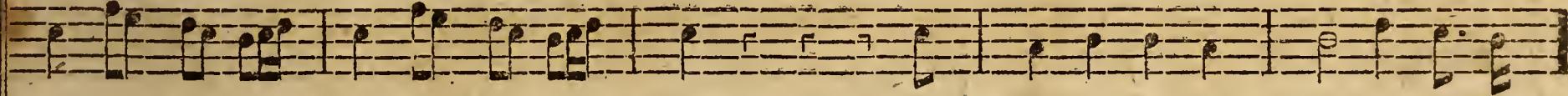
When all things else decay.

When we appear in yonder cloud, With all his favoured throng; Then will we



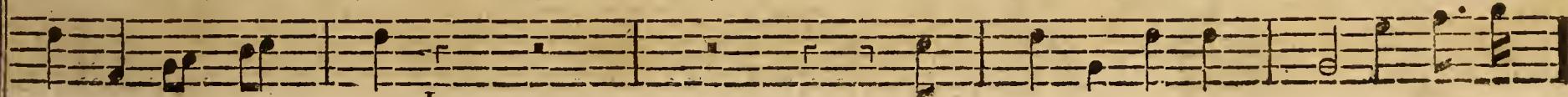
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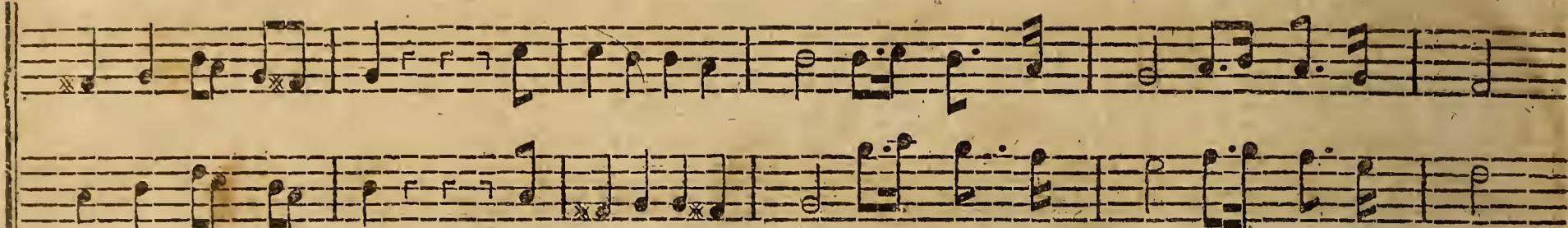
For.



sing more sweet, more loud, more sweet, more loud;

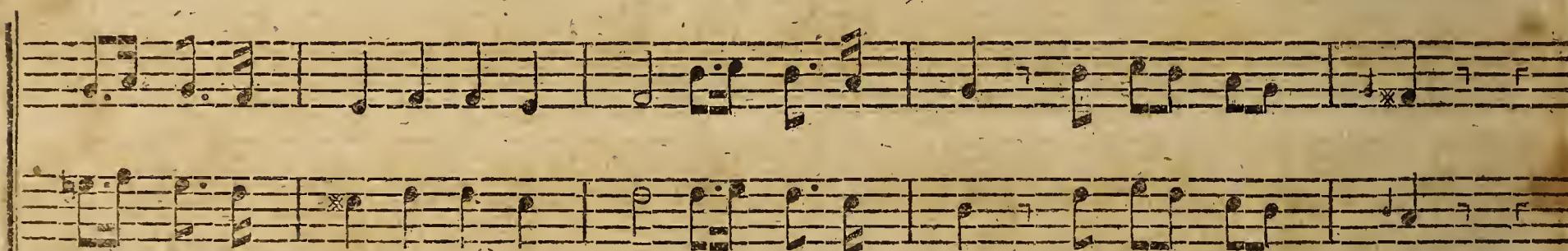
And Christ shall be our song, Then will we



Whitehall, *Continued.*

sing more sweet, more loud, And Christ shall be our song, Then will we sing, Then will we sing,

Then will we sing Then will we



Then will we sing more sweet, more loud, Then will we sing more sweet, more loud,

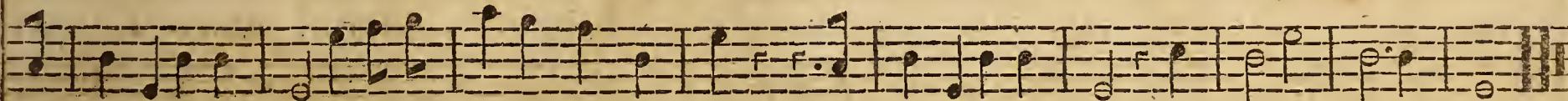


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And Christ shall be our song, Then will we sing more sweet, more loud, And Christ shall be our song, And Christ shall be our song.



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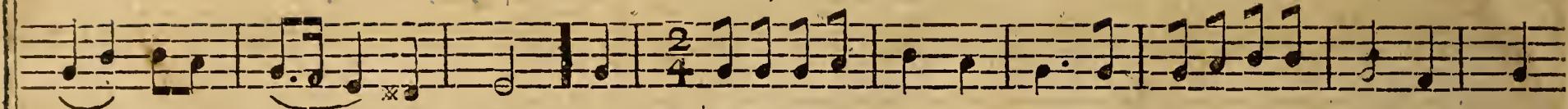


Lord, thou hast search'd & seen me thro'; Thine eye commands with piercing view My rising and my resting hours, My heart and



Camberwell. *Continued.*

For. CHORUS, ver. 5th.



flesh, with all their pow'rs. O may these tho'ts possess my breast, Where'er I rove, where'er I rest;



pia.



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Rep. For.

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Nor let my meanner passions dare Consent to sin, for God is there, God is there.



Orphan's Hymn.

Bland & Costellow's Colls.

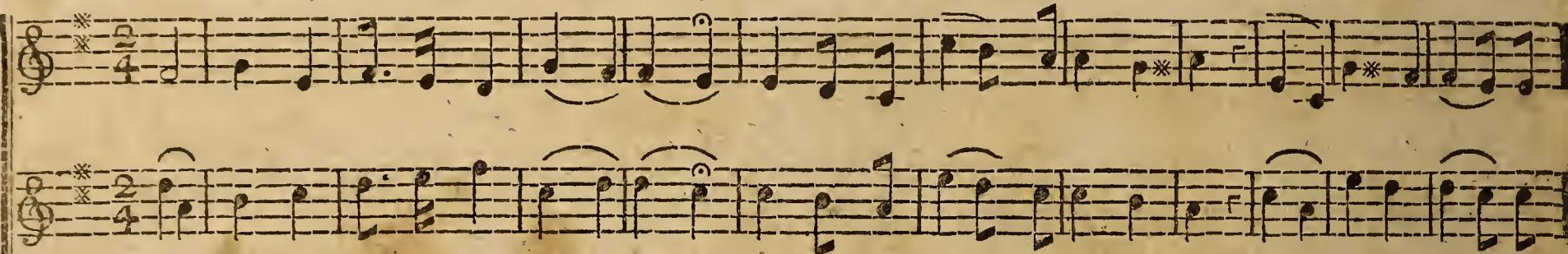
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A tune the song to mournful strains Of wrongs and woes the song com : plains, An

Or - phan's voice essays to swell The notes that tears by turns repel. The notes that tears by turns repel.

2 Left on the world's wide bleak forlorn,
In sin conceived, in sorrow born,
No guide, the devious mane to tread,
Above, no friendly shelter spread.

3 Alone, amidst surrounding strife,
And naked to the storms of life;
Despair looks round with aching eyes,
And sinking nature groans and dies.

Orphan's Hymn. *Continued.*

Friends of the fatherless and saint, Where shall I lodge my deep complaint. Where but with thee whose



open door, In-vites the helpless and the poor, Invites the helpless and the poor.



Orphan's Hymn. Continued.

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Poor, tho' I am despis'd forgot, Yet God, my God, forgets me not, And he is safe and



must suc - - ceed, For whom the Lord vouchsafes to plead, For whom the Lord vouchsafes to plead.



A handwritten musical score for three voices. The first staff uses a soprano C-clef, the second staff an alto F-clef, and the third staff a bass G-clef. The key signature is common time (indicated by a 'C'). The music consists of three staves of eight measures each. The lyrics are as follows:

Let the sev'nth angel sound on high, Let shouts be heard thro' all the sky! Kings of the earth with
glad ac-cord, Give up your kingdoms to the Lord, Give up your kingdoms to the Lord.

N. B. The above tune may be used as a P. M. by repeating the first part.

Worthy the Lamb, a Chorus, from *T. Williams' Coll.*

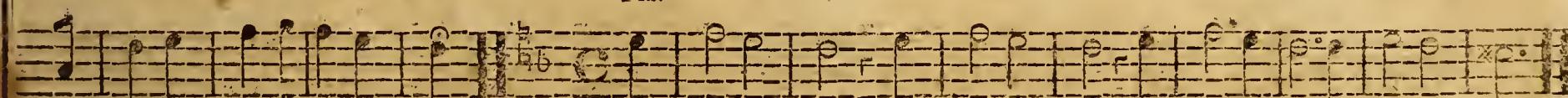
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Worthy the Lamb of boundless sway, In earth or heav'n the Lord of all; Ye princes rulers, powers c - - bey,



Pia.



And low before his footstool fall.

The deed was done, The lamb was slain, The groaning earth the burthen bore;



K

Chorus, *Continued.*

For.



He rose, he lives, he lives to reign, nor time shall shake his endless pow'r ; Higher, still higher



swell the strain, Creation's voice the note prolong; The Lamb shall ever, ever reign, Let



Chorus, *Continued.*

75

A musical score for a three-part choir. The top part consists of two staves, each with a treble clef and four measures. The first measure is labeled "Forte." and shows a rhythmic pattern of eighth and sixteenth notes. The second measure is labeled "Dim." and shows a similar pattern. The third measure is labeled "Cres." and shows a more sustained note pattern. The fourth measure is labeled "Forte." and shows a rhythmic pattern. The middle part has two staves, each with a bass clef and four measures. The bottom part has two staves, each with a bass clef and four measures. The lyrics "Hallelujahs crown the song." are written under the first staff of the top part, and "Hallelujah, hallelujah, hallelujah, Amen, Amen, Amen, Hallelujah A - men" are written under the first staff of the middle part.

A continuation of the musical score. It begins with a single staff for the top part, labeled "Forte," showing a rhythmic pattern of eighth and sixteenth notes. This is followed by a section for the middle and bottom parts, each with two staves. The lyrics "Hallelujah, A - men, hallelujah, hallelujah, hallelujah, A - men, hal-le - lu - jah, A - men." are written under the first staff of the middle part. The score concludes with a final section for all three parts, each with two staves, ending with a final cadence.

The musical score consists of four staves of music for four voices. The voices are: Bass (bottom), Tenor, Alto, and Soprano (top). The music is in common time, with a key signature of one sharp (F#). The vocal parts are written in soprano, alto, tenor, and bass clefs. The lyrics are integrated into the musical lines, appearing below the notes. The first two measures of the lyrics are: "O praise the Lord with one consent, O praise the Lord with one consent, and mag-". The third measure begins with "ni". The fourth measure begins with "fy his name, praise the Lord with one consent, and". The fifth measure begins with "mag-". The sixth measure begins with "ni - fy his name."

Slow.

Anthem, *Continued.*

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Three staves of music for two voices. The top staff uses a soprano C-clef, the middle staff an alto F-clef, and the bottom staff a bass G-clef. The key signature is common time (indicated by 'C'). The music consists of eighth and sixteenth note patterns. The lyrics are: "Let all the servants of the Lord, his worthy praise, he worthy worthy, praise proclaim."

Let all the servants of the Lord, his worthy praise, he worthy worthy, praise proclaim.

Three staves of music for two voices, continuing from the previous section. The top staff uses a soprano C-clef, the middle staff an alto F-clef, and the bottom staff a bass G-clef. The key signature is common time (indicated by 'C'). The music consists of eighth and sixteenth note patterns.

Brisk. CHORUS, Abridged.

Four staves of music for four voices. The staves are arranged in two pairs: soprano (C-clef), alto (F-clef), tenor (C-clef), and bass (G-clef). The key signature is common time (indicated by 'C'). The music consists of eighth and sixteenth note patterns.

O be joyful in God, all ye lands, O be joyful in God, all ye lands, O be joyful in God, all ye lands : Make his praise glor'- - ous.

Four staves of music for four voices, continuing from the previous section. The staves are arranged in two pairs: soprano (C-clef), alto (F-clef), tenor (C-clef), and bass (G-clef). The key signature is common time (indicated by 'C'). The music consists of eighth and sixteenth note patterns.

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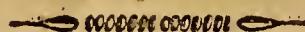
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Explanation of Musical Terms.



ADAGIO, very slow.
Affettuoso, affectionately.
Allegretto, a little brisk.
Allegro, brisk lively,
Alsigno, begin at the repeat and finish at the double bar.
Alto, or altus, the contra Tenor.
Andante, distinctly, exact.
Andantino, very distinct.
Ets, twice over.
Cadences, are closes in Music, similar in effect, to stops in reading.
Calando, soften the tone.
Con Crio, with force.
Con Molto, Affetto, with much affection.
Chorus, full, all the voices.
Crecendo, increase the tone gradually.
Dacapo, (or D. C.) repeat the first strain.
Diminuendo, soften the tone gradually.
Dolec, soft and sweet.
Duo, or Duetto, for two voices, or Instruments,
Fagotto, Bassoon part.
Fine or final, the end of a piece.

Forte, or (F) loud.
Fortissimo, or (F F) very loud.
Grave or Gravement, slow, heavy.
Gracioso, gracefully.
Gustofo, with much taste.
Interlude, an Instrumental passage between two vocal passages.
Intonation, sing in tone,
Largo, Slow.
Larghetto, rather slow.
Legotto, smooth, slurred.
Maestoso, bold and grand.
Men Allegro, less brisk than Allegro.
Mezzzo, Forte or (M F) half as loud as Forte.
Moderato, moderately.
Non Troppo Presto, not too quick.
Ottavo' or (8va) octaves, 8s above.
Piano, or (P) soft.
Pianissimo, very soft.
Pomposo, in a pompous stile.
Presto, quick.
Prestissimo, very quick.
Primo, the first part.

Recitative, a kind of musical recitation between speaking and singing.
Rondeau, or (Rondo) an Air ending with the first strain.
Secondo, the second part.
Sotto, vace, middling strength of voice.
Sciliano, a slow graceful movement in compound time.
Solo, for one voice, or Instrument:
Soli, one to each part.
Soprano, the Treble.
Spirituoso, with spirit.
Symphony, passages for Instruments.
Syncopation, sluring where a long note comes between two short ones.
Tacet, remain silent.
Trio, a piece in three parts.
Tutti, all the parts together.
Thorough Bafs, the Instrumental Bafs with figures for the Organ.
Vivace, with life and spirit.
Volti, turn over.







