

Father of mercies, God of love

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FATHER OF MERCIES, GOD OF LOVE
EASY ANTHEM FOR HARVEST
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ARRANGED FOR BOYS' OR FEMALE VOICES BY THE COMPOSER.

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The musical score consists of three staves. The top staff is for 'VOICE' in treble clef, 4/4 time, with dynamics 'Lento.' and 'Soprano Solo.' It includes lyrics: 'Fa - ther of mer - cies, God of love,' followed by 'Allegretto moderato.' The middle staff is for 'ORGAN' in bass clef, with dynamics 'p Sw.', 'colla voce.', and 'without Ped.'. The bottom staff is for 'FULL' in bass clef, with dynamics 'cres.', 'Ped.', and 'mp Gt.'. The lyrics for the organ part are: 'God of love, Whose gifts all crea - tures share,' and 'The roll - ing sea - sons as they move Pro -'. The full staff lyrics are: '- claim Thy con - stant care.' and 'Fa - ther of mer - cies, God of love, Whose gifts all crea - tures'.

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FATHER OF MERCIES, GOD OF LOVE.

share, The roll-ing sea-sons as they move Pro-claim Thy con-stant care. When in the
 share, The roll-ing sea-sons as . . . they move Pro-claim Thy con-stant care.

bo-som of the earth The sow-er hid the grain, Thy
 Thy good-ness mark'd its se-cret birth,

good-ness mark'd its se-cret birth, And sent the ear-ly rain, sent . . . the ear-ly rain.
 And sent the ear-ly rain, sent . . . the ear-ly rain.

Fa-ther of mer-cies, God of love, Fa-ther of mer-cies, God of love, Whose
 Fa-ther of mer-cies, God of love, Whose

Lento. *Soprano Solo.* *mf* *Allegretto moderato.*
p Sw. *colla voce.* *mf Gt.*

without Ped. (3)

FATHER OF MERCIES, GOD OF LOVE.

poco rall.

a tempo.

cres. gifts all crea - tures share. . . . poco rall. The a tempo. The

cres. gifts all crea - tures share. . . .

cres. poco rall. Sw. p > > p without Ped. Ped.

spring's sweet influence, Lord, was Thine, The sea-sons knew Thy call ; . . Thou mad'st the sum-mer

cres. spring's sweet influence, Lord, was Thine, The sea-sons knew Thy call ;

cres. without Ped.

sun to shine, The sum-mer dews to fall, . . the

Thou mad'st the sum-mer sun to shine, The sum-mer dews to fall, . . the

Ped.

poco rall.

sum-mer dews to fall, the sum-mer dews to fall.

poco rall.

sum-mer dews to fall, the sum-mer dews to fall.

poco rall. pp a tempo. mp Gt. without Ped. Ped.

FATHER OF MERCIES, GOD OF LOVE.

Thy gifts of mer - cy from a - bove Ma - tur'd the swell - ing
mf
mp Sw.
 Thy gifts of mer - cy from a - bove Ma - tur'd the swell - ing grain ; And
 grain ; And
mf Gt.
Ped.
 now the har-vest crowns Thy love, the har-vest crowns Thy love, And
 now the har-vest crowns Thy love, the har-vest crowns Thy love, And plen -
f
Ped. 8ve lower ad lib.

FATHER OF MERCIES, GOD OF LOVE.

SOLO.

plen-ty fills the plain, plen - ty fills the plain. Fa-ther of mercies,

ty fills the plain, plen - ty fills the plain.

Lento.

p

8ve.....

without Ped.

Allegretto moderato.

FULL.

God of love. O ne'er may our for - get - ful hearts O'er-look Thy bounteous care, But

O ne'er may our for - get - ful hearts O'er-look Thy bounteous care, But

Allegretto moderato.

p

Ped.

cres.

what our Fa-ther's Hand im-parts Still own in .. praise and prayer. To Fa-ther, Son, and

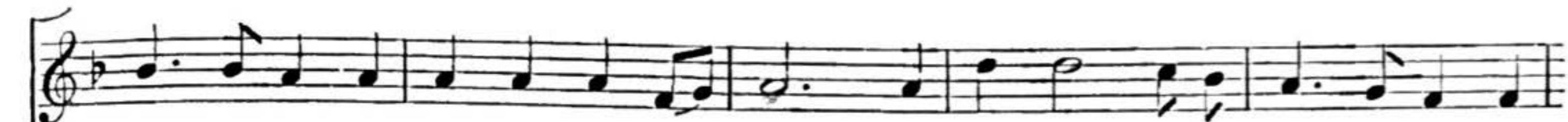
cres.

what our Fa-ther's Hand im - parts Still own in praise and prayer. To Fa-ther, Son, and

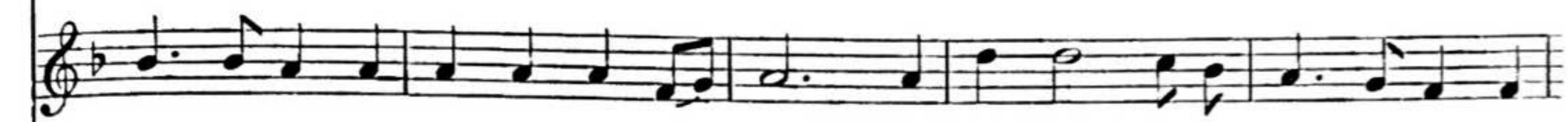
cres.

f Gt. marcato.

FATHER OF MERCIES, GOD OF LOVE.



Ho - ly Ghost, The God Whom we a dore, Be glo - ry, as it was, is now, And



Ho - ly Ghost, The God Whom we a dore, Be glo - ry, as it was, is now, And



shall be ev - er - more, Be glo - ry, as it was, is now, And shall be



shall be ev - er - more, Be glo - ry, as it was, is now, And shall be



Ped. 8ve lower ad lib.....



ev - . . er - more. A - - men, A - men. . . .



ev - . . er - more. A - - men, A - men. . . .



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