

# Stand Up and Bless the Lord

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The musical score is written in 4/4 time with a key signature of one flat (B-flat). It consists of two systems of music. The first system has a treble staff with a melody and a bass staff with a bass line. The second system also has a treble staff with a melody and a bass staff with a bass line. The lyrics are printed below the staves.

1 Stand up and bless the Lord, you peo - ple of his choice;  
2 O for the liv - ing flame, from God's own al - tar brought,  
3 God is our strength and song, and his sal - va - tion ours;  
4 Stand up and bless the Lord, the Lord your God a - dore;

stand up and bless the Lord your God with heart and soul and voice.  
to touch our lips, our minds in - spire, and wing to heaven our thought.  
then be his love in Christ pro - claimed with all our ran - somed powers.  
stand up and bless his glo - rious name, both now and ev - er - more.

WORDS: James Montgomery (1771-1854)  
MUSIC: Aaron Williams' *New Universal Psalmist*, 1770

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## 132 Spirit of God, Descend upon My Heart

1 Spir - it of God, de - scend up - on my heart,  
 2 I ask no dream, no proph - et ec - sta - sies,  
 3 Did you not bid us love you, God and King,  
 4 Teach me to feel that you are al - ways nigh;  
 5 Teach me to love you as your an - gels love,

free it from sin, through all its puls - es move,  
 no sud - den rend - ing of the veil of clay,  
 love you with all our heart and strength and mind?  
 teach me the strug - gles of the soul to bear,  
 one ho - ly pas - sion fill - ing all my frame:

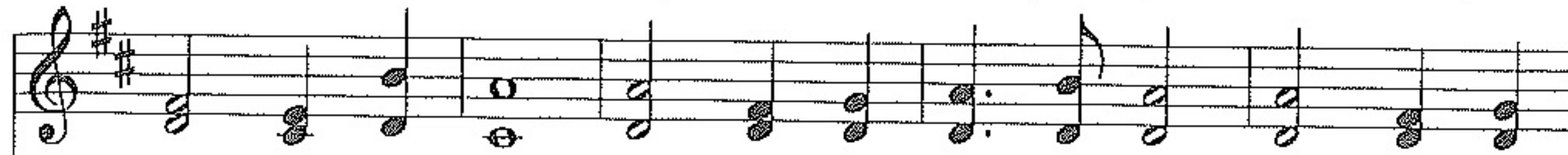
Stoop to my weak - ness, might - y as you are,  
 no an - gel vis - i - tant, no o - pening skies,  
 I see your cross— there teach my heart to cling.  
 to check the ris - ing doubt, the reb - el sigh;  
 the bap - tism of the heaven - de - scend - ed Dove,

and make me love you as I ought to love.  
 but take the dim - ness of my soul a - way.  
 O let me seek you and O let me find!  
 teach me the pa - tience of un - an - swered prayer.  
 my heart an al - tar, and your love the flame.

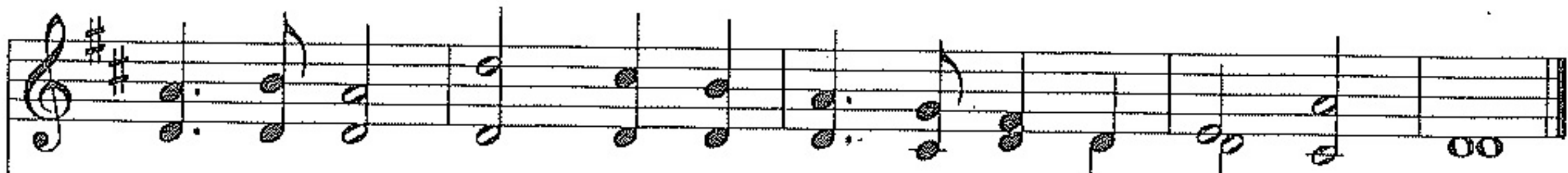
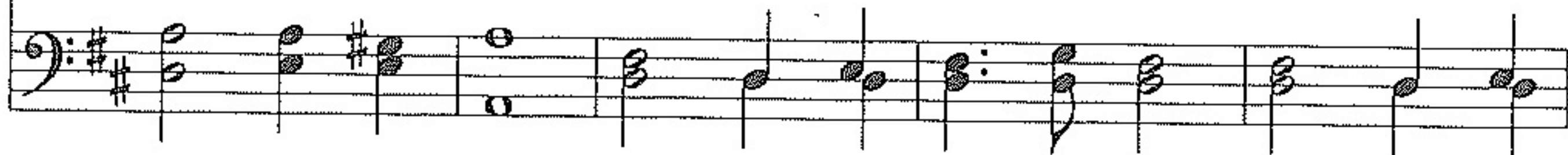
# My Faith Looks Up to Thee 419



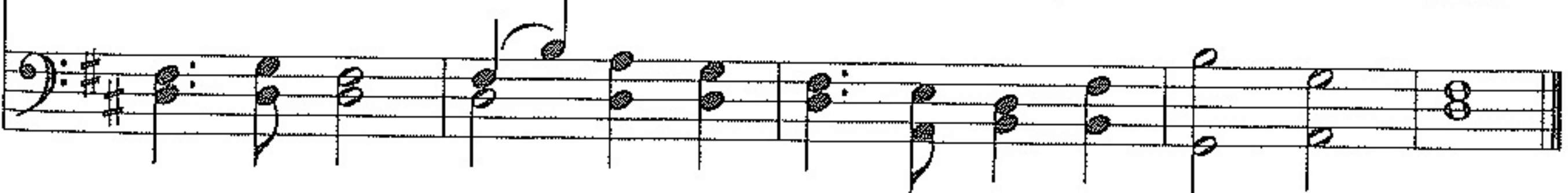
1 My faith looks up to thee, thou Lamb of Cal - va - ry,  
2 May thy rich grace im - part strength to my faint - ing heart,  
3 While life's dark maze I tread, and griefs a - round me spread,  
4 When ends life's tran - sient dream, when death's cold, sul - len stream



Sav - ior di - vine! Now hear me while I pray, take all my  
my zeal in - spire; as thou hast died for me, O may my  
be thou my guide; bid dark - ness turn to day, wipe sor - row's  
shall o'er me roll; blest Sav - ior, then, in love, fear and dis -



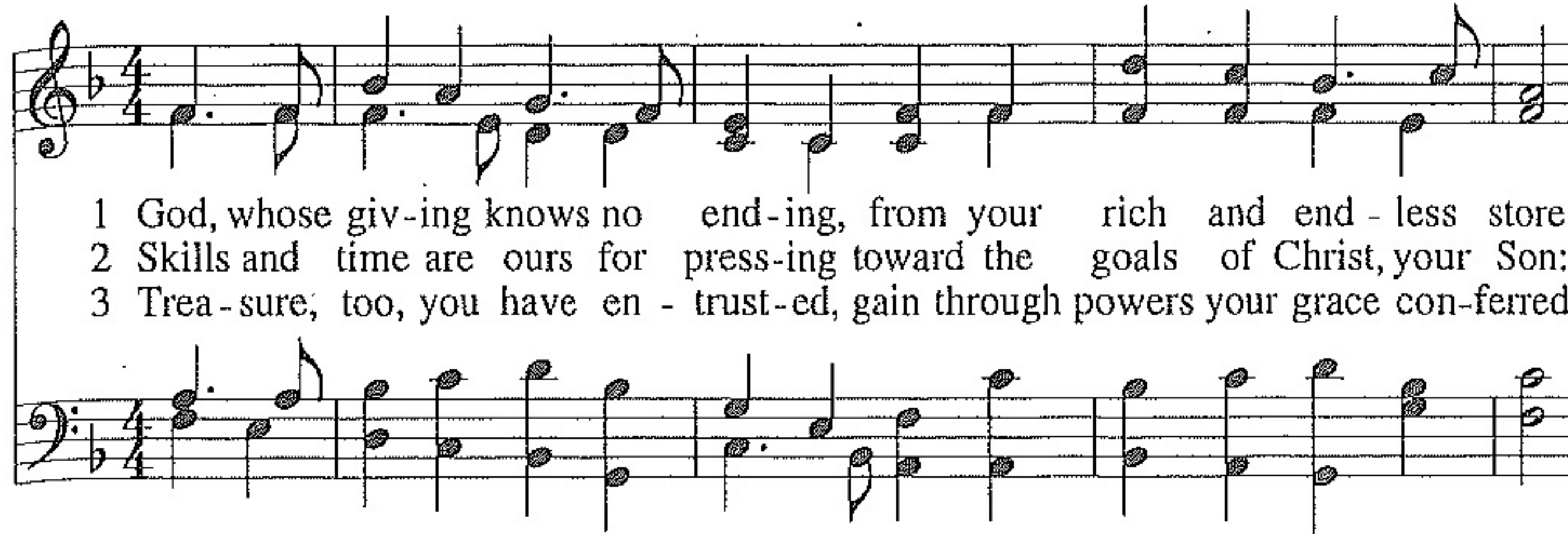
guilt a - way; O let me from this day be whol - ly thine!  
love to thee pure, warm, and change-less be, a liv - ing fire!  
tears a - way, nor let me ev - er stray from thee a - side.  
trust re-move; O bear me safe a - bove, a ran - somed soul!



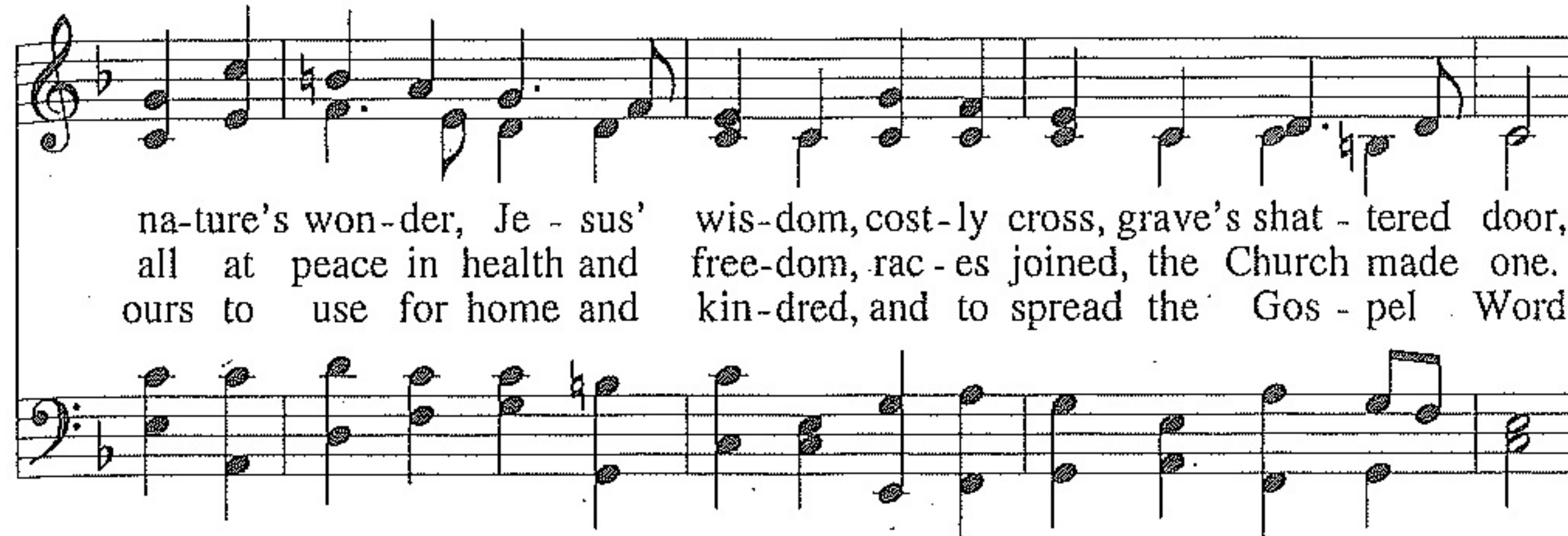
WORDS: Ray Palmer (1808-1887)  
MUSIC: Lowell Mason (1792-1872)

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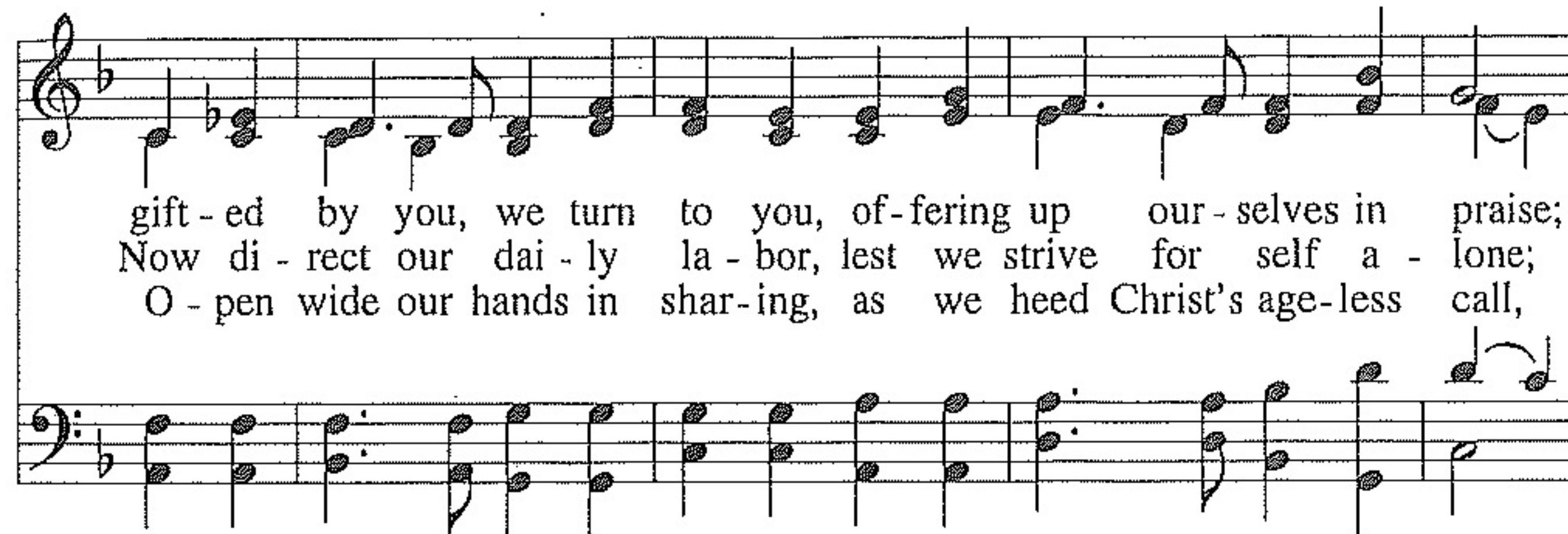
## God, Whose Giving Knows No Ending 572



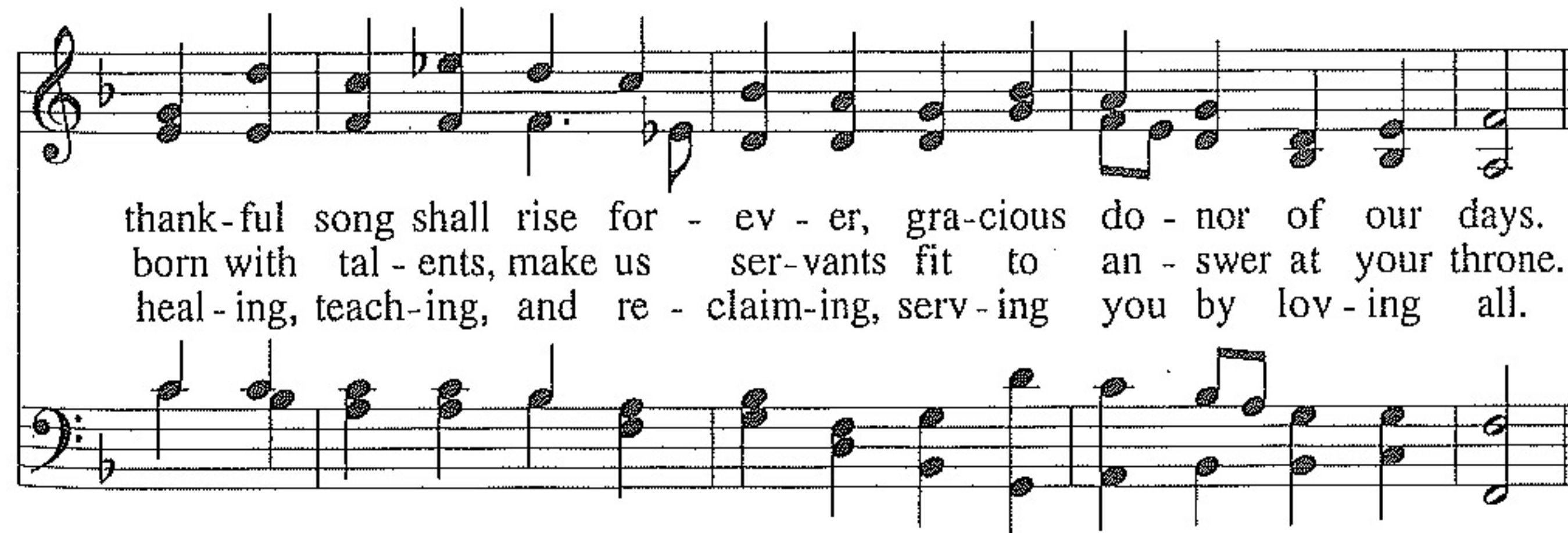
1 God, whose giv-ing knows no end-ing, from your rich and end-less store:  
 2 Skills and time are ours for press-ing toward the goals of Christ, your Son:  
 3 Trea-sure, too, you have en-trust-ed, gain through powers your grace con-ferred;



na-ture's won-der, Je-sus' wis-dom, cost-ly cross, grave's shat-tered door,  
 all at peace in health and free-dom, rac-es joined, the Church made one.  
 ours to use for home and kin-dred, and to spread the Gos-pel Word.



gift-ed by you, we turn to you, of-fering up our-selves in praise;  
 Now di-rect our dai-ly la-bor, lest we strive for self a-lone;  
 O-pen wide our hands in shar-ing, as we heed Christ's age-less call,



thank-ful song shall rise for-ev-er, gra-cious do-nor of our days.  
 born with tal-ents, make us ser-vants fit to an-swer at your throne.  
 heal-ing, teach-ing, and re-claim-ing, serv-ing you by lov-ing all.

WORDS: Robert L. Edwards (1915-), alt.  
 MUSIC: C. Hubert H. Parry (1848-1918)

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