

The LORD's My Shepherd

From Psalm 23

The musical score is written for a four-part choir (Soprano, Alto, Tenor, Bass) in 3/4 time, with a key signature of one flat (B-flat). The melody is primarily in the Soprano and Alto parts, with the Tenor and Bass parts providing harmonic support. The lyrics are written below the vocal staves.

1. ¹The LORD's my shep - herd; I'll not want. ²He makes me down to lie
2. ³My soul He doth re - store a - gain, And me to walk doth make
3. ⁴*Yea, though I walk in death's dark vale, Yet will I fear no ill,*
4. ⁵My ta - ble Thou hast fur-nished me In pres-ence of my foes;
5. ⁶Good-ness and mer - cy all my life Shall sure - ly fol - low me;

In pas - tures green; He lead - eth me The qui - et wa - ters by.
With in the paths of right - eous - ness, Ev'n for His own name's sake.
For Thou art with me; and Thy rod And staff me com - fort still.
My head Thou dost with oil a - noint, And my cup o - ver - flows.
And in God's house for - ev - er - more My dwell - ing place shall be.

Music: Jessie Seymour Irvine, 1871; arr. Thomas C. L. Pritchard, 1929; alt.
Text: *The Psalter*, 1912

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