

# IRISH BLESSING

(Blessing Prayer)

INTRO Warmly (♩ = ca. 72)

REFRAIN

Dadd9 Dadd9 A/C#

May the road rise up to meet you. May the

G/B Dadd9/A Dadd9 A/C#

wind be al - ways with you. May the sun - shine warm you al - ways

G/B 1-6 Dadd9 to Verses Final Dadd9 rit. Fine

'til we meet a - gain gain.

## VERSES

D A/C# Bm Bm/A Gmaj7 A7

1. May the rain fall soft - ly on you.

2. Christ be - fore you, Christ be - hind you.

3. Christ to shield you, Christ be with you.

4. Christ in ev - ery eye that sees you.

5. Christ in ev - ery heart that knows you.

6. Christ is on your left, Christ on your right.

Bm Bm/A Gmaj7 D/F# Em7 A7sus4 A7 D.S.

1. May the hand of God up - hold you.

2. Christ be - neath you, Christ a - love you.

3. Christ be with you now and al - ways.

4. Christ in ev - ery ear that hears you.

5. Christ in ev - ery word that speaks of you.

6. Christ when you lie down and rise up.

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