LORD, WHO THROUGHOUT THESE FORTY DAYS

1. Lord, who through-out these for-ty days, For us did fast and pray,
   Teach us with you to mourn our sins, And close by you to stay.

2. As you with Sa-tan did con-tend, And did the vic-t’ry win,
   O give us strength in you to fight, In you to con-querr sin.

3. As you did hun-ger bear and thirst, So teach us, gra-cious Lord,
   To die to self, and al-ways live By your most ho-ly word.

4. And through these days of pen-i-tence, And through your Pas-sion-tide,
   For-ev-er-more, in life and death, O Lord, with us a-bide.

5. A-bide with us that when this life Of suf-fer-ing is past,
   An Eas-ter of un- end-ing joy We may at-tain at last!

Note: When guitar and keyboard play together, keyboardists should improvise using the guitar chords above the melody.

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