

Canticle of the Sun

REFRAIN: *Light and dancing* (♩. = 60)

Melody

Keyboard

D7 G C D G ,

The heav - ens are tell - ing the glo - ry of God, _____ and

Bb F Am7 D , G

all cre - a - tion is shout - ing for joy. _____ Come, dance in the

C D Eb , Am7 G/B

for - est, come, play in the field, _____ and sing, sing to the

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C D7 1-6 G Gsus4 G to Verses

glo - ry of the Lord.

The first system of the musical score consists of two staves. The top staff is the vocal line, and the bottom staff is the piano accompaniment. The key signature has one sharp (F#) and the time signature is 4/4. The vocal line begins with the lyrics "glo - ry of the Lord." and ends with a fermata. The piano accompaniment provides harmonic support with chords and moving lines in both hands. Above the vocal staff, the following chords are indicated: C, D7, G, Gsus4, and G. Above the piano staff, the number "1-6" is written, indicating a first ending. The system concludes with the instruction "to Verses".

Final Am7 G/B C D Am7 G/B

Lord. Sing, sing to the

The second system of the musical score consists of two staves. The top staff is the vocal line, and the bottom staff is the piano accompaniment. The key signature has one sharp (F#) and the time signature is 4/4. The vocal line begins with the lyrics "Lord. Sing, sing to the" and ends with a fermata. The piano accompaniment provides harmonic support with chords and moving lines in both hands. Above the vocal staff, the following chords are indicated: Am7, G/B, C, D, Am7, and G/B. Above the piano staff, the word "Final" is written. The system concludes with the instruction "to Verses".

C D , G Gsus4 G Gsus4 G Fine

glo - ry of the Lord!

The third system of the musical score consists of two staves. The top staff is the vocal line, and the bottom staff is the piano accompaniment. The key signature has one sharp (F#) and the time signature is 4/4. The vocal line begins with the lyrics "glo - ry of the Lord!" and ends with a fermata. The piano accompaniment provides harmonic support with chords and moving lines in both hands. Above the vocal staff, the following chords are indicated: C, D, G, Gsus4, G, Gsus4, and G. Above the piano staff, the word "Fine" is written. The system concludes with the instruction "Fine".

VERSES:

C G

1. Praise for the sun, the bring - er of day, he car - ries the
 2. Praise for the wind that blows through the trees, the seas' might - y
 3. Praise for the rain that wa - ters our fields, and bless - es our
 4. Praise for the fire who gives us his light, the warmth of the
 5. Praise for the earth who makes life to grow, the crea - tures you
 6. Praise for our death that makes our life real, the know - ledge of

D G C

1. light of the Lord in his rays; the moon and the stars who
 2. storms, 7/ the gen - tl - est breeze; they blow where they will, they
 3. crops 7/ so all the earth yields; from death un - to life her
 4. sun 7/ to bright - en our night; he danc - es with joy, his
 5. made 7/ to let your life show; the flow - ers and trees that
 6. loss 7/ that helps us to feel; the gift of your - self, your

G D D7 D.C.

1. light up the way un - to your throne. _____
 2. blow where they please to please the Lord. _____
 3. mys - t'ry re - vealed springs forth in joy. _____
 4. spir - it so bright, he sings of you. _____
 5. help us to know the heart of love. _____
 6. pres - ence re - vealed to bring us home. _____

D.C.