

# RETURN TO THE LORD YOUR GOD

REFRAIN: *Slowly* (♩ = 104-108)

*mf* Am Am/G Am/F E Am F

*(a tempo)*

Re - turn to the Lord your God. Re - turn to the Lord your

Esus4/B E Am Am/G F

God. When you have grown emp - ty and wea - ry with

Am C E

1,2 Am *rit. to Verses 1,2* 3 Am *rit. to Verse 3*

e - vil, re - turn to the Lord your God. God.

Final Am *rit.* C E Am *Fine*

God. Re - turn to the Lord your God.

VERSE 1: *Faster* (♩ = 110-114)

C G Am Em F

1. Take with you words from your sor - row. Call on the

Gm Eb C Ab Fm

1. sounds of your grief. Let go of the gods that your

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G Cm F Gm Esus4/B E *rit.* D.C.

1. fears have fash-ioned, and lean on the Lord who can save. \_\_\_\_\_

VERSE 2: *Faster* (♩ = 110-114)

C G Am Em F

2. Break up the fields that lie bar - ren. \_\_\_\_\_ It is time \_\_\_\_\_ to

Gm Eb C Ab Fm G

2. seek \_\_\_\_\_ the Lord. \_\_\_\_\_ O sow your - selves with seeds of

Cm F Gm Esus4/B E *rit.* D.C.

2. mer - cy, and reap \_\_\_\_\_ a har - vest of jus - tice. \_\_\_\_\_

VERSE 3: *Faster* (♩ = 110-114)

F Dm Gm Am F

3. Come back \_\_\_\_\_ to me \_\_\_\_\_ with all your heart. Come back, O

Gm *rall.* D *mf* G *a tempo* Em

3. faith - less peo - ple! \_\_\_\_\_ For how could I ev - er a -

C Am Dm Bb Esus4/B E *rit.* D.C. *al fine*

3. ban - don you, or turn from the work of my heart? \_\_\_\_\_