

O GLADSOME LIGHT

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O GLADSOME LIGHT OF THE HOLY GLORY OF THE IMMORTAL

FATHER, HEAVENLY, HOLY, BLESS - ED JE - SUS CHRIST: NOW THAT WE

HAVE COME TO THE SETTING OF THE SUN AND BEHOLD THE LIGHT OF

EVE - NING, WE PRAISE FATHER, SON AND HO - LY SPIR - IT: GOD.

FOR MEET IT IS AT ALL TIMES TO WOR - SHIP THEE WITH

VOI - CES OF PRAISE. O SON OF GOD AND GIV - ER OF LIFE.

The first system of the musical score is written in D major (two sharps) and 4/4 time. It consists of two staves: a vocal line on the treble clef and a piano accompaniment on the bass clef. The vocal line begins with a half note 'VOI' followed by a dotted half note 'CES' and a quarter note 'OF'. The piano accompaniment provides a harmonic support with chords and moving lines. The second measure of the system contains the lyrics 'O SON OF GOD AND GIV - ER OF LIFE.' with corresponding musical notation.

rit
THERE - FORE ALL THE WORLD GLO - RI - FIES THEE.

The second system of the musical score continues in D major and 4/4 time. It begins with a *rit* (ritardando) marking above the treble clef. The vocal line starts with a half note 'THERE - FORE' followed by a dotted half note 'ALL' and a quarter note 'THE'. The piano accompaniment continues with harmonic support. The second measure of the system contains the lyrics 'WORLD GLO - RI - FIES THEE.' with corresponding musical notation. The system concludes with a double bar line.