

Hymn for the Endurance of the Saints

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Verse


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Since Cain first struck at A - bel down to some a - mong us here, we have
To Ba - by - lon we con - sti - tute a weak and hom - ley choir. E - ven
O who has raised his hand to strike the one for whom Christ died? "How —
The wor - ld god will beat us to em - brace his twist - ed night. His de -

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G D



faced the dra - gons fur - y now for near six thou - sand years. Like
some - times to each o - ther there seems lit - tle to de - sire. But
long till you a - venge our blood?", the head - less souls have cried. Be -
mon - ic cruel - ty dou - bles as we calm - ly love the right. O

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F#m D F#m Bm D

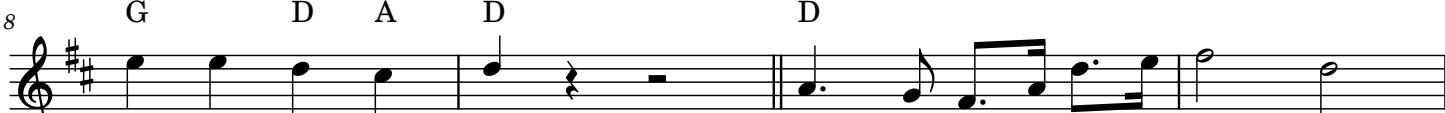


Christ, once dead we live for - ev - er. Now let Hell's gate fear! O
just be - neath this veil of flesh we are crowned with ho - ly fire! O
hold the jeal - ous fi - re, you who dared to touch his bride! O
see our fa - ces crushed to - day then blaze im - mort - al light! O

Refrain

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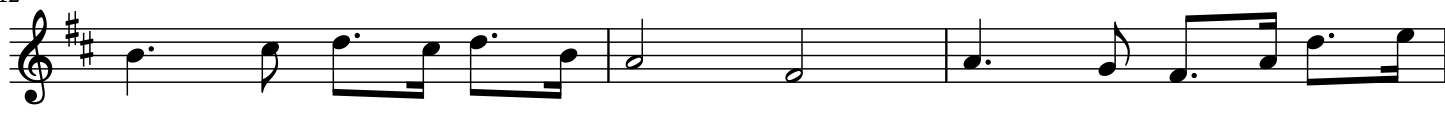
G D A D D



God, your king - dom come!
God, your king - dom come!
God, your king - dom come! Glo - ry, glo - ry, hal - le - lu - jah!
God, your king - dom come!

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G D F#m Bm



Glo - ry, glo - ry, hal - le - lu - jah!

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F# Bm G A D



lu - jah! O God, your king - dom come!