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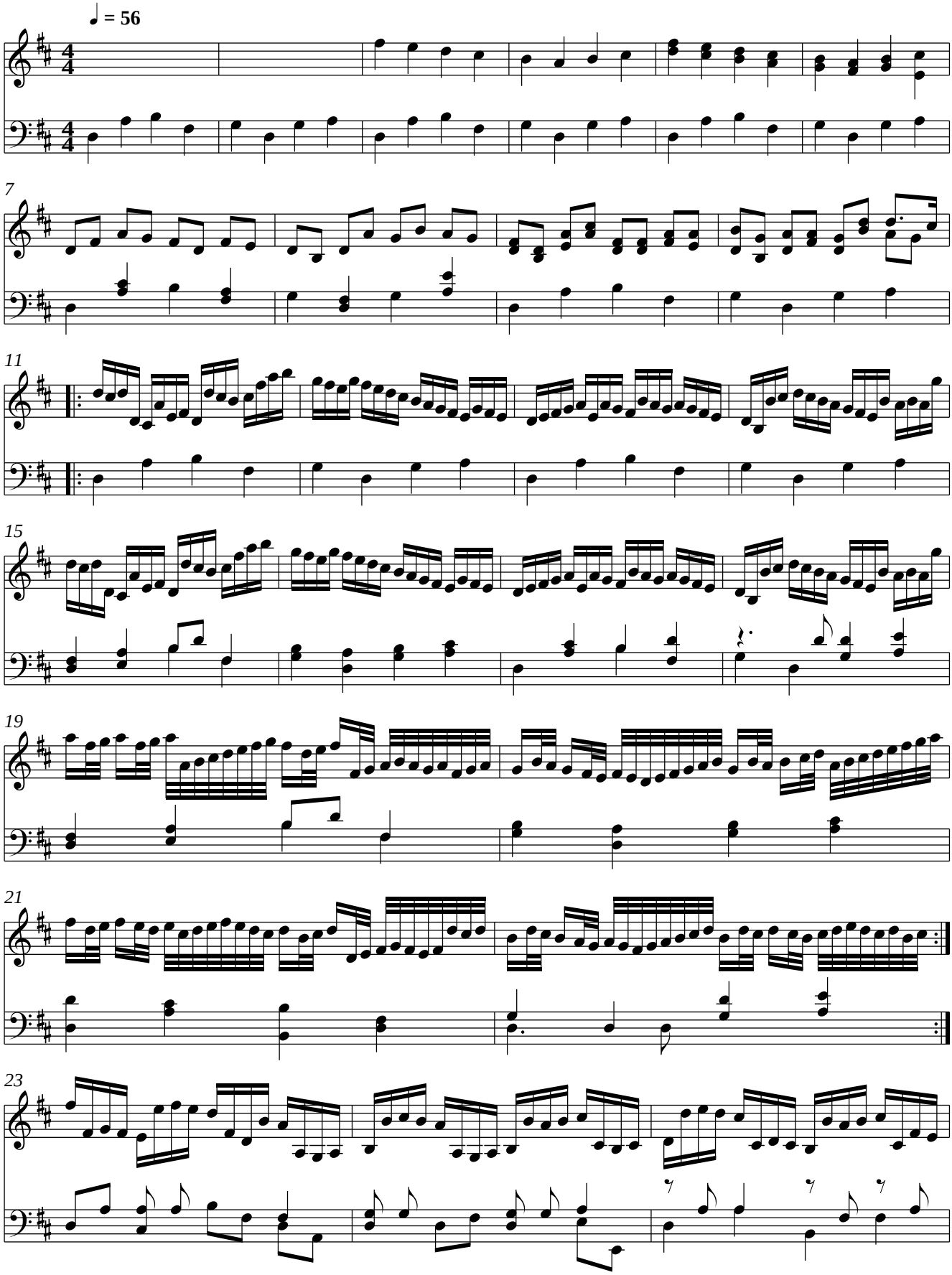

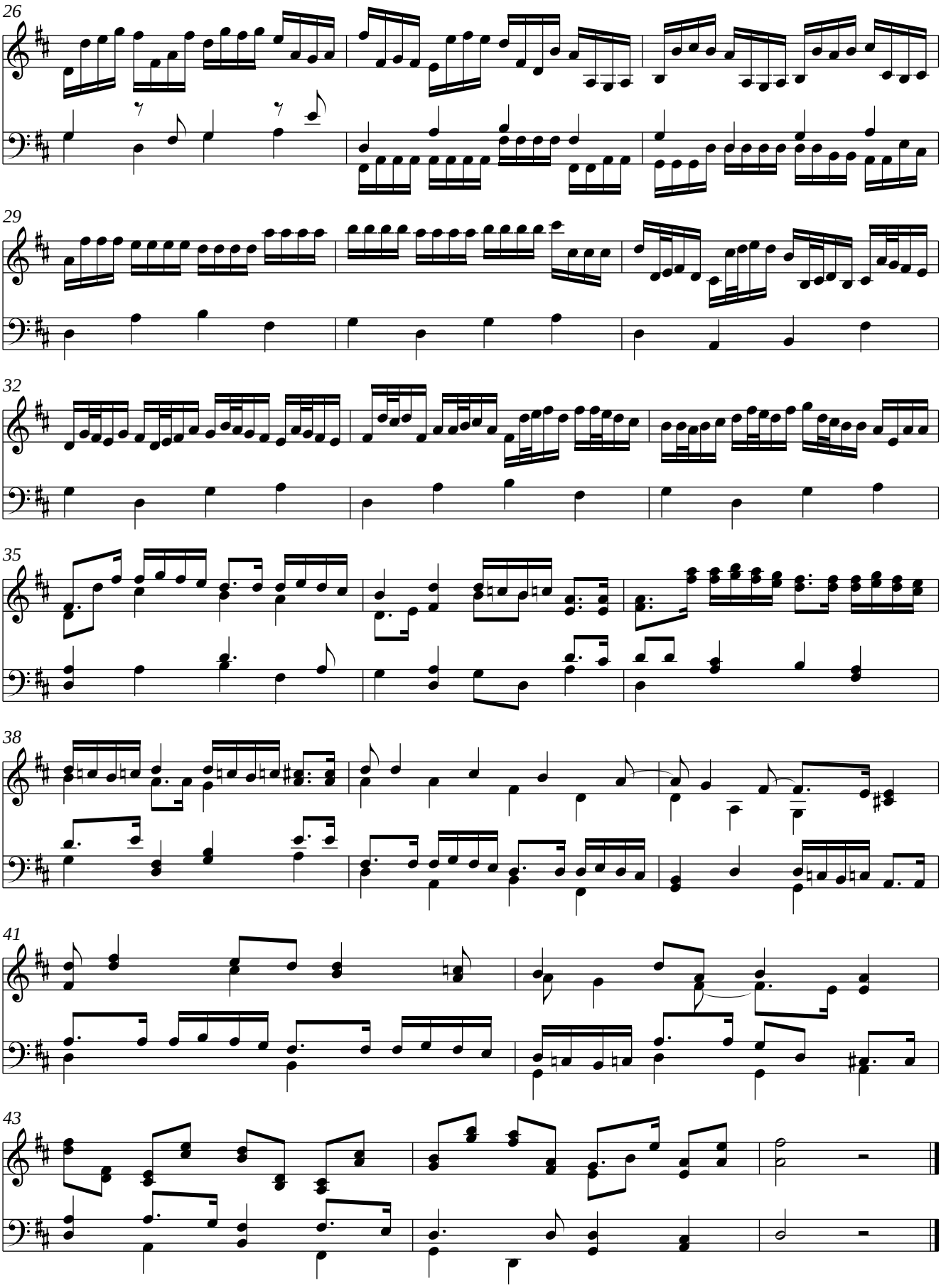
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Jesus, Joy of Man's Desiring

Words: Martin Janus, 1661; translated probably by Robert S. Bridges (1844−1930).
Music: 'Jesus bleibet meine Freude' Johann Schop, 1641 and Johann S. Bach, 1723.
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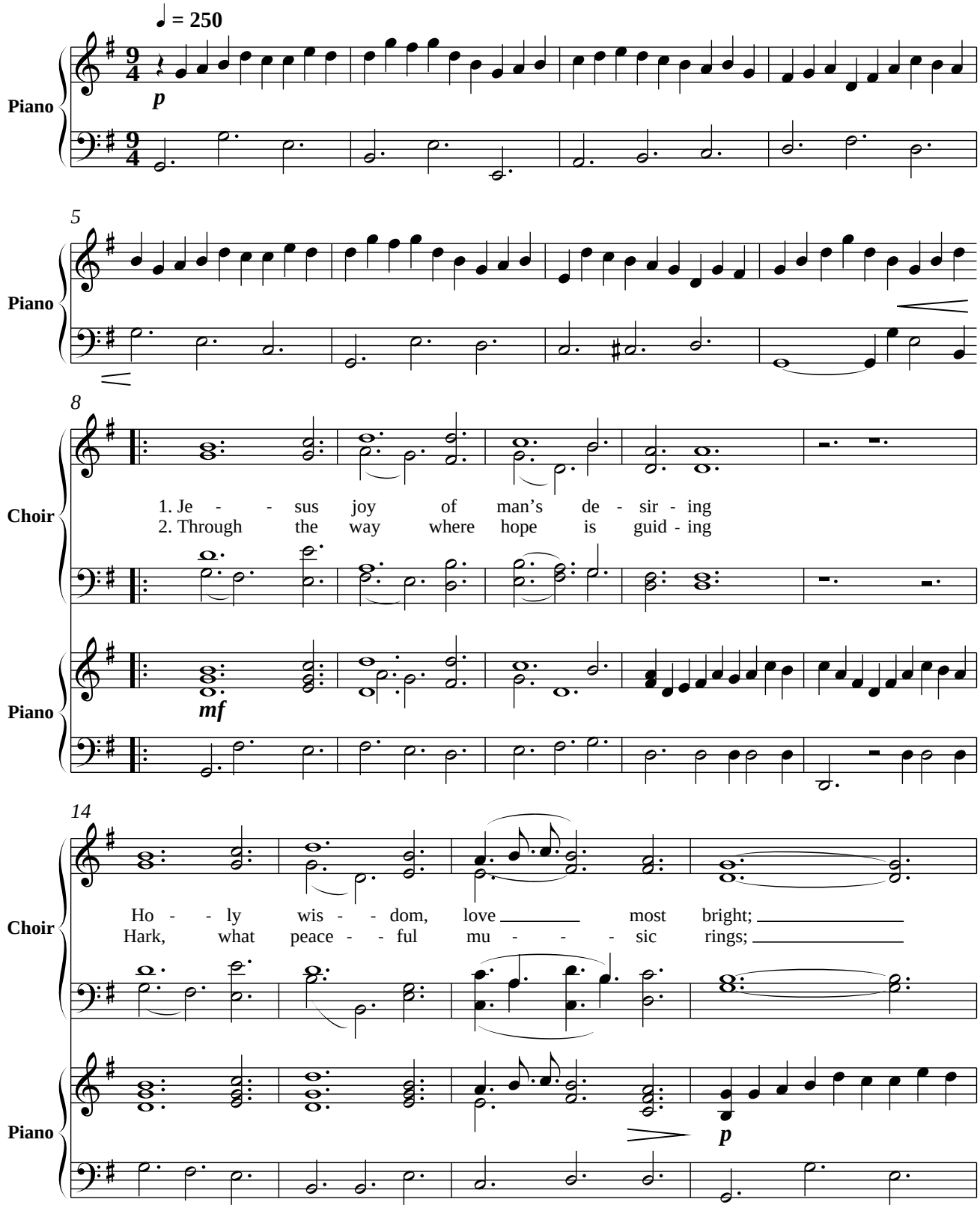
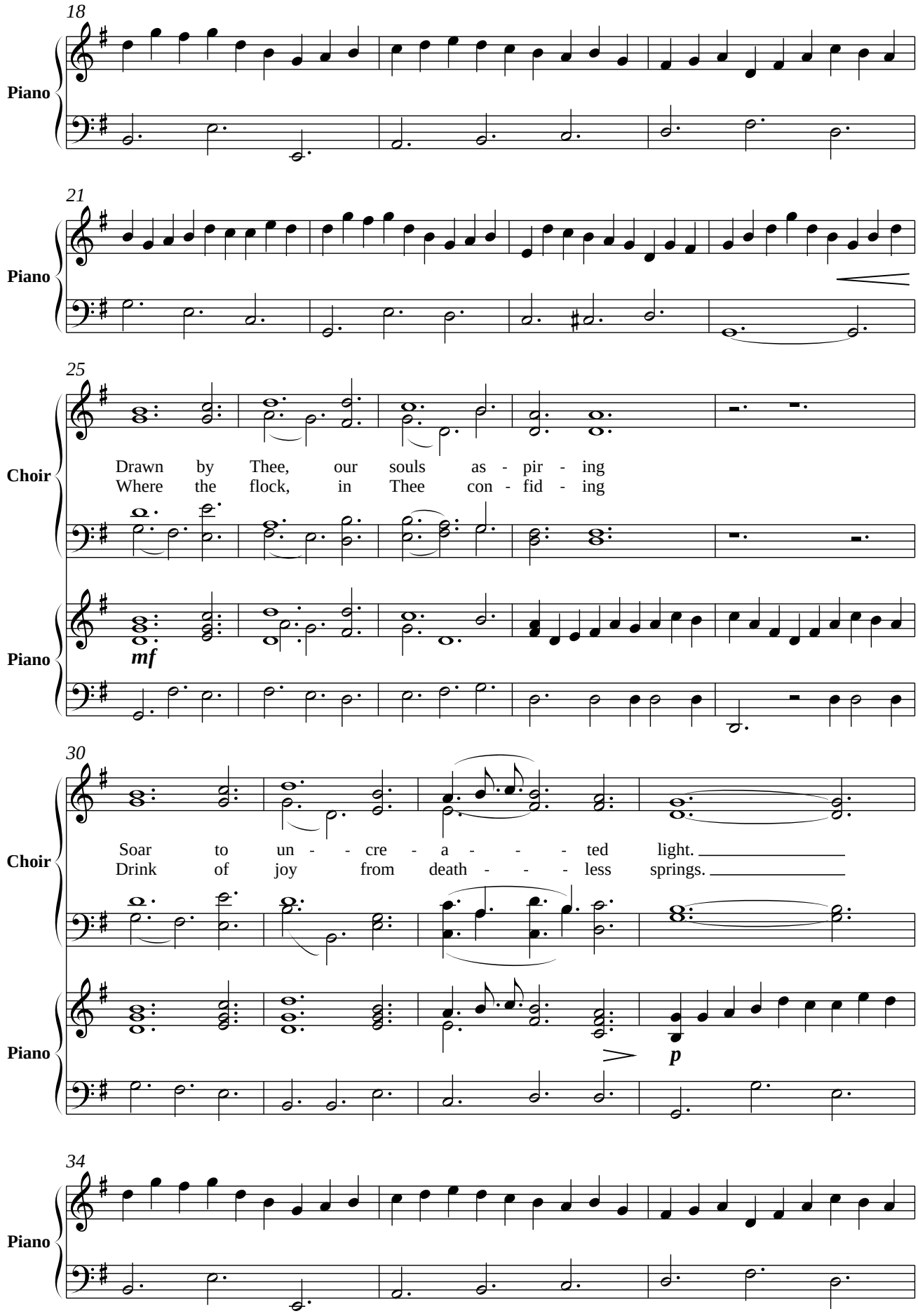
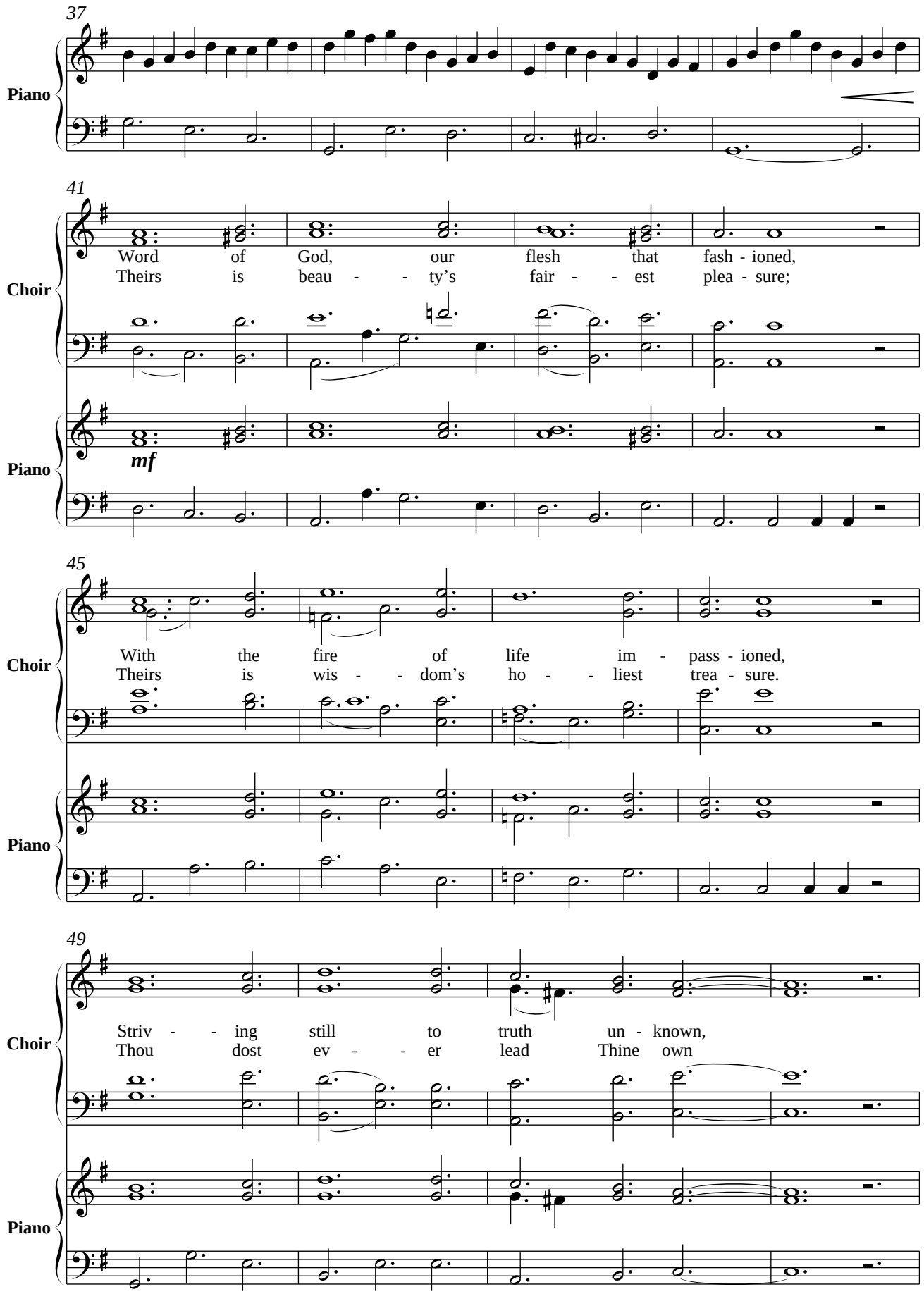



18
Piano
21
Piano
25
Choir
Drawn by Thee, our souls as - pir - ing
Where the flock, in Thee con - fid - ing
Piano
mf
30
Choir
Soar to un - - cre - a - - - ted light.
Drink of joy from death - - - less springs.
Piano
p
34
Piano

Is 26:8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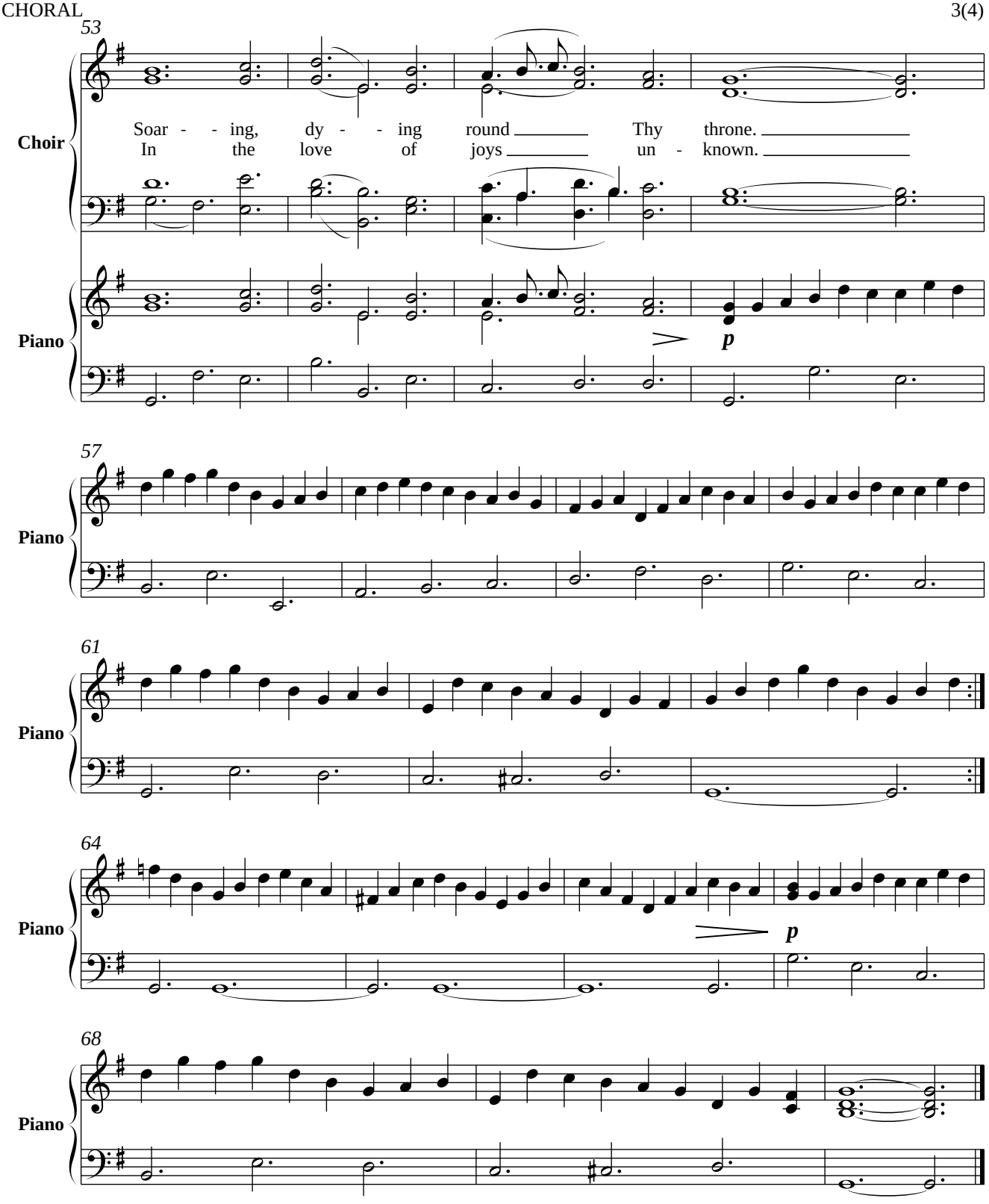
Piano
41
Choir
Word of God, our flesh that fash - ioned,
Theirs is beau - - ty's fair - - est plea - sure;
Piano
mf
45
Choir
With the fire of life im - pass - ioned,
Theirs is wis - - dom's ho - - liest trea - sure.
Piano
49
Choir
Striv - - ing still to truth un - known,
Thou dost ev - - er lead Thine own
Piano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Choir
Soar - - ing, dy - - ing round Thy throne.
In the love of joys un - known.
Piano
p
57
Piano
61
Piano
64
Piano
p
68
Piano

Is 26:8

Lord God, Thy Praise We Sing

Te Deum Laudamus

Words: Martin Luther, 1529 or 1531. Translated by Richard Massie, 1854.
Music: 'Herr Gott, dich loben wir' ancient Latin, alt by Martin Luther. Found in Klug's Gesangbuch, 1535.
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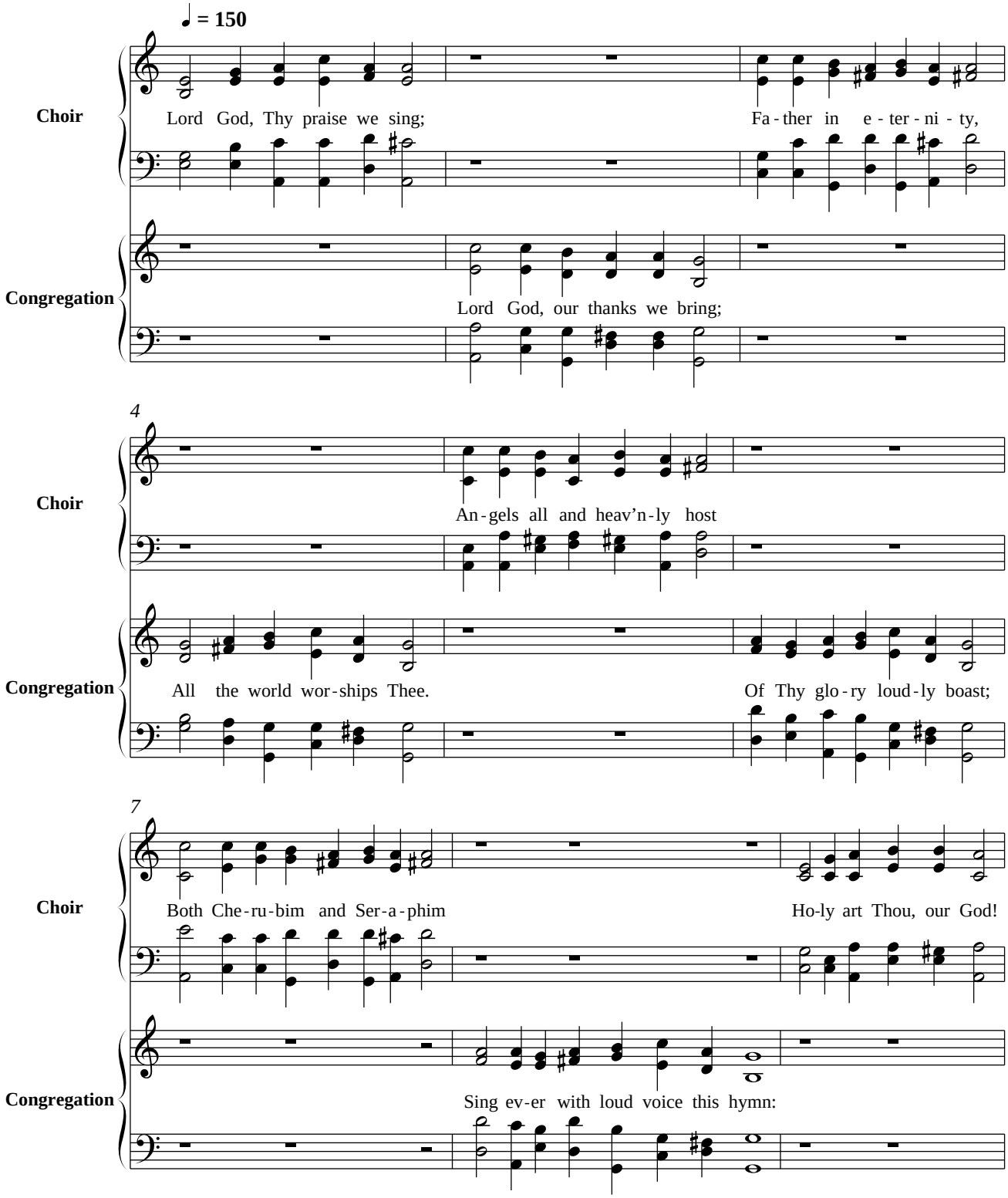

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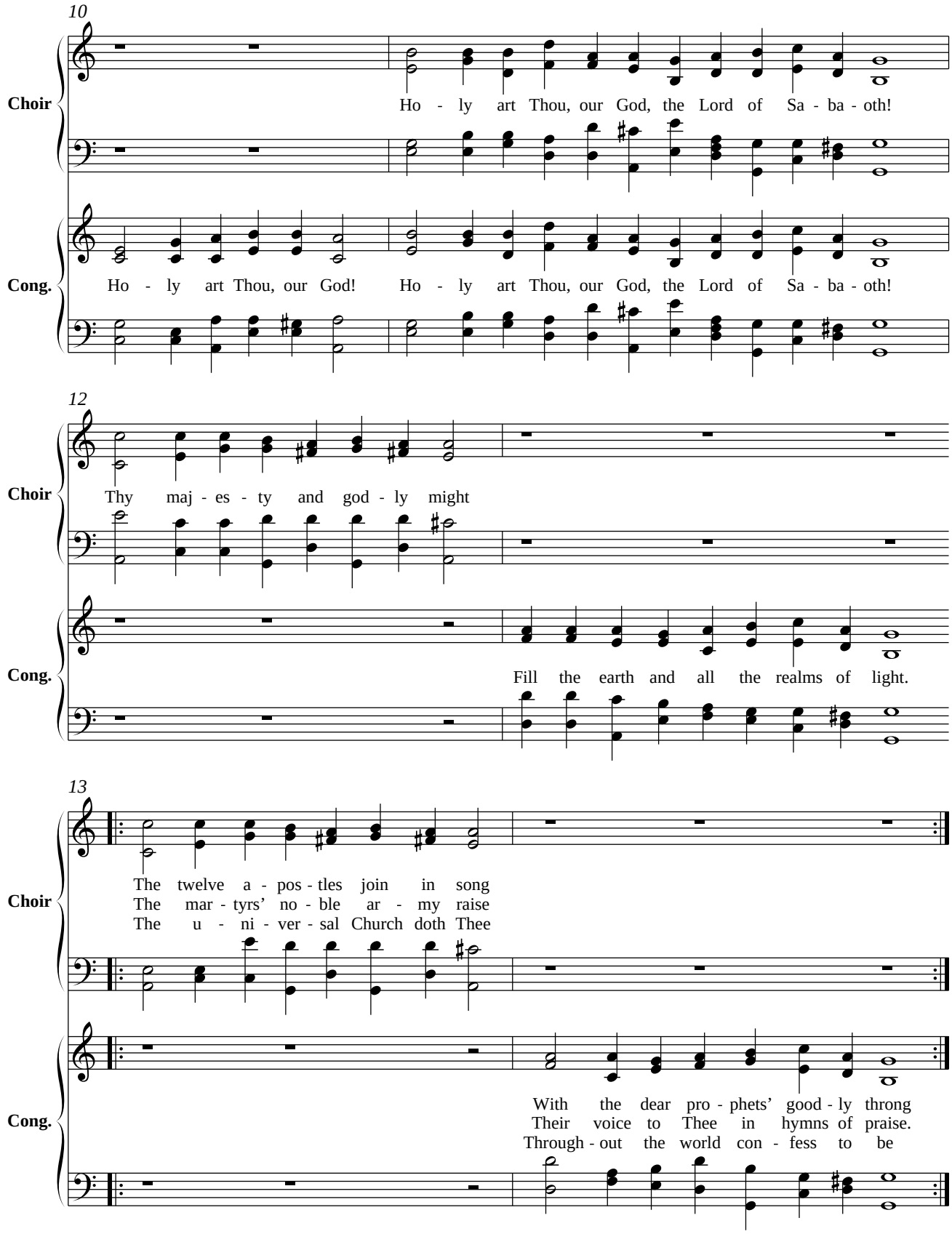

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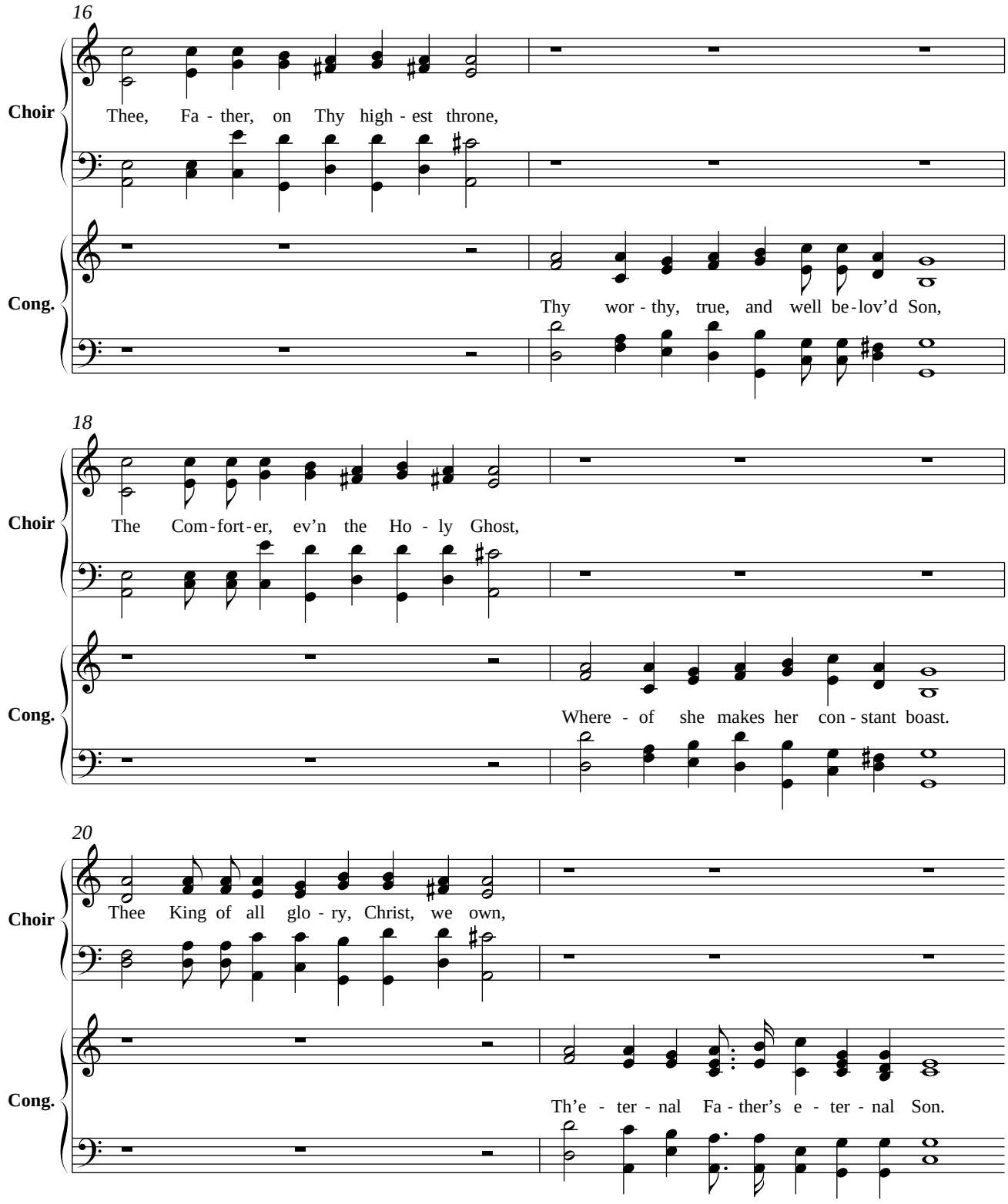

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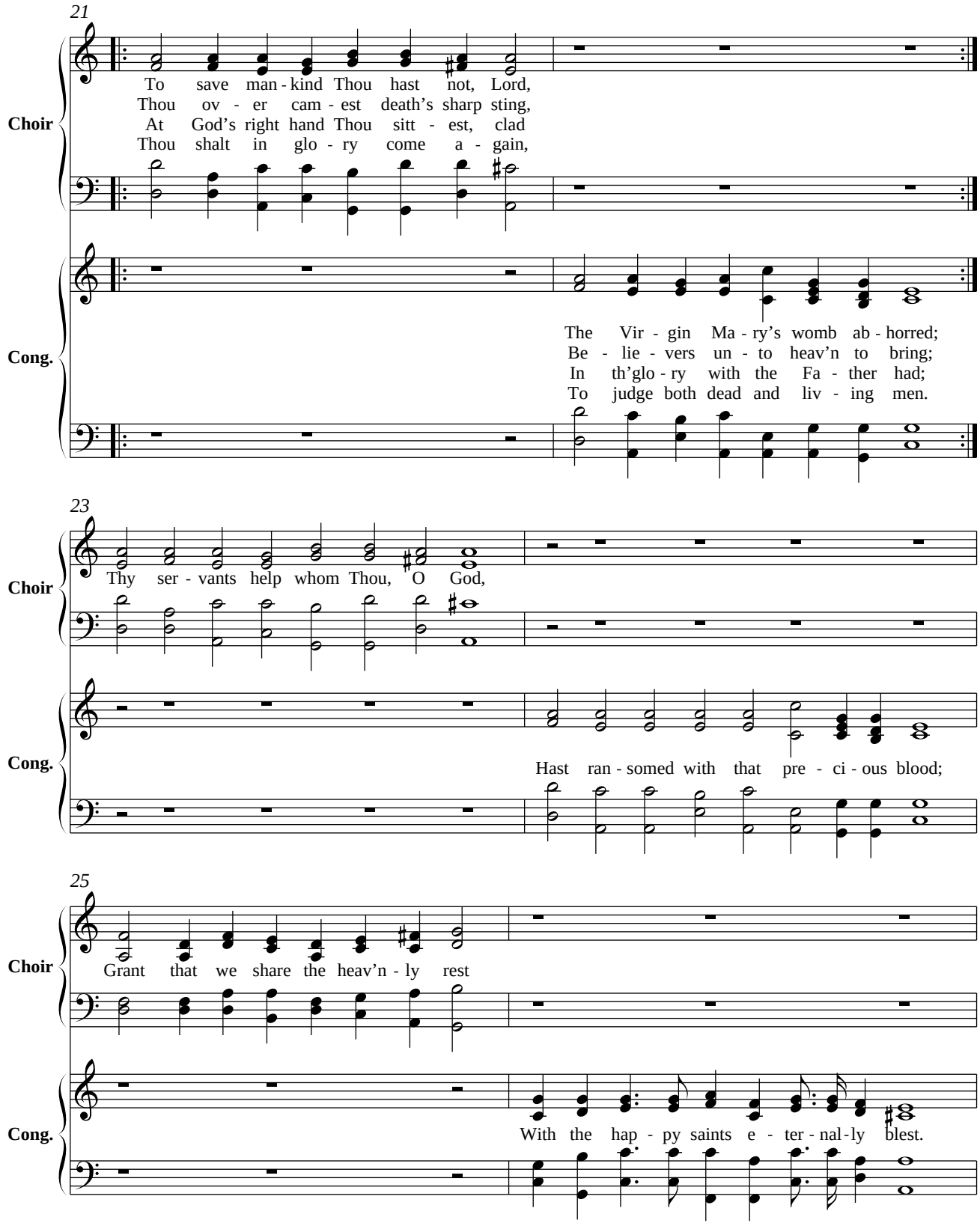

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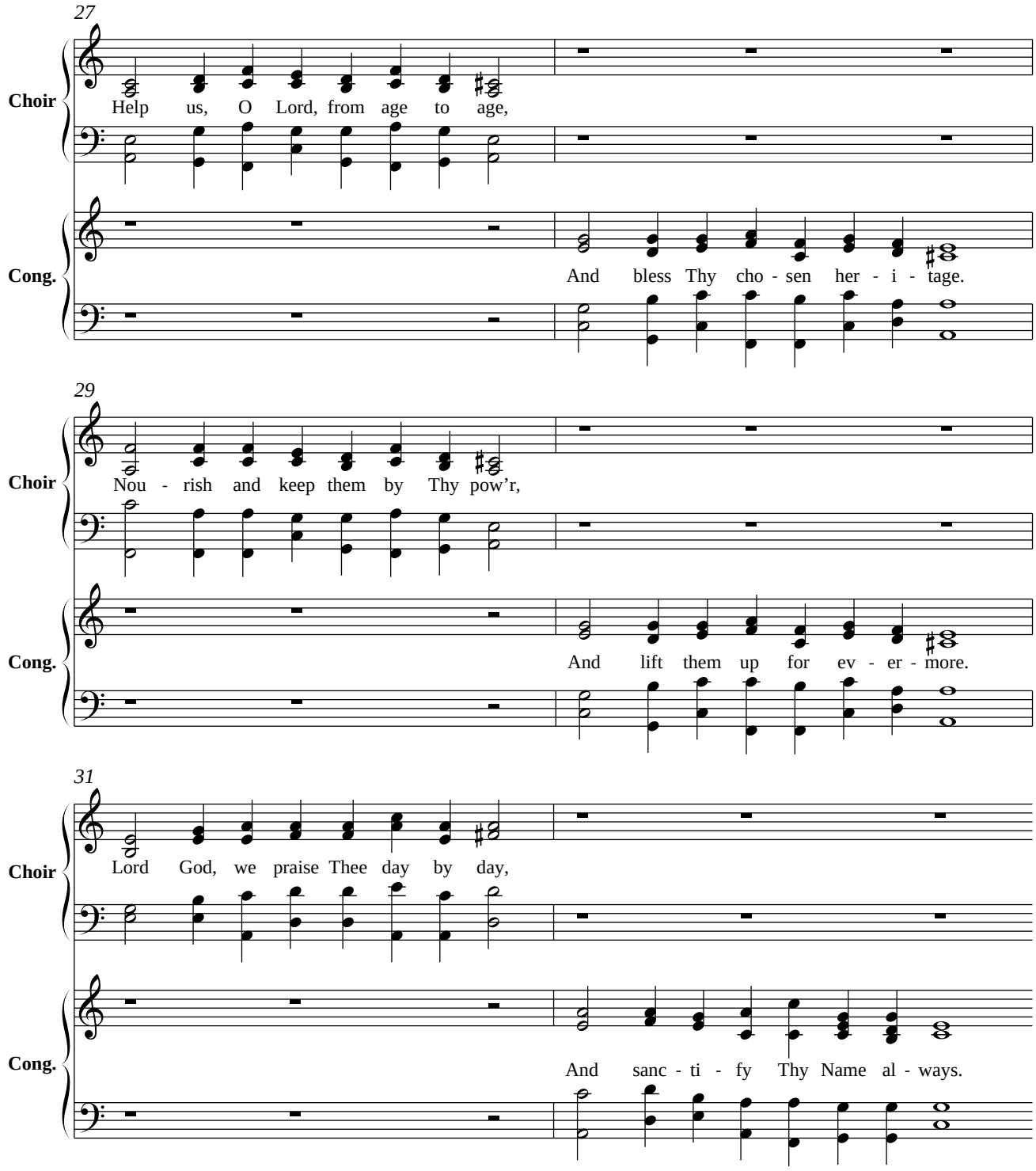

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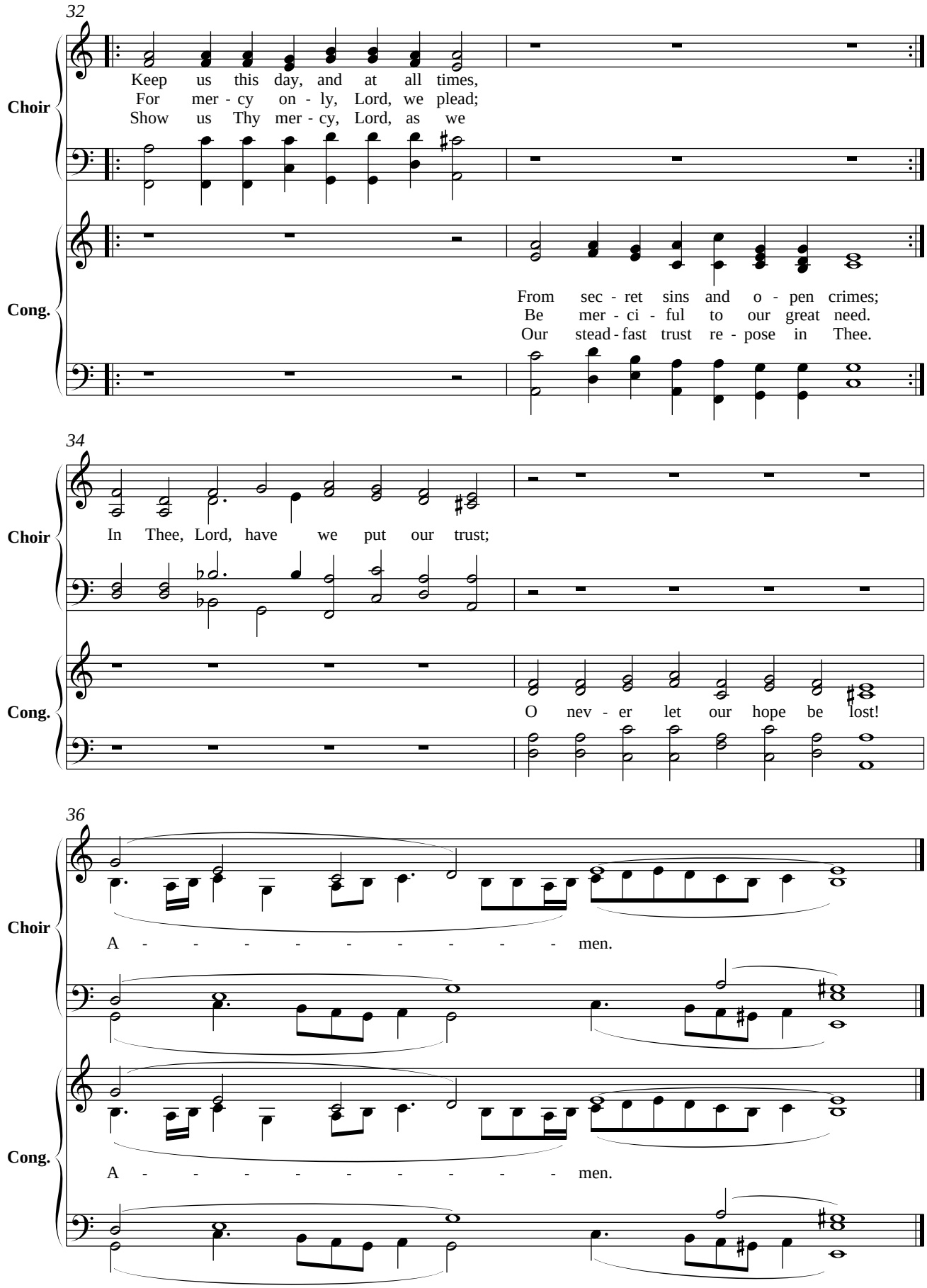

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My Song Shall Be Of Jesus

(Choral Version)

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♩ = 96

1. My song shall be of Je - - sus, His Mer - cy crowns my days
2. My song shall be of Je - - sus, while sit - ting at His feet
3. My song shall be of Je - - sus, when press - ing on my way

4

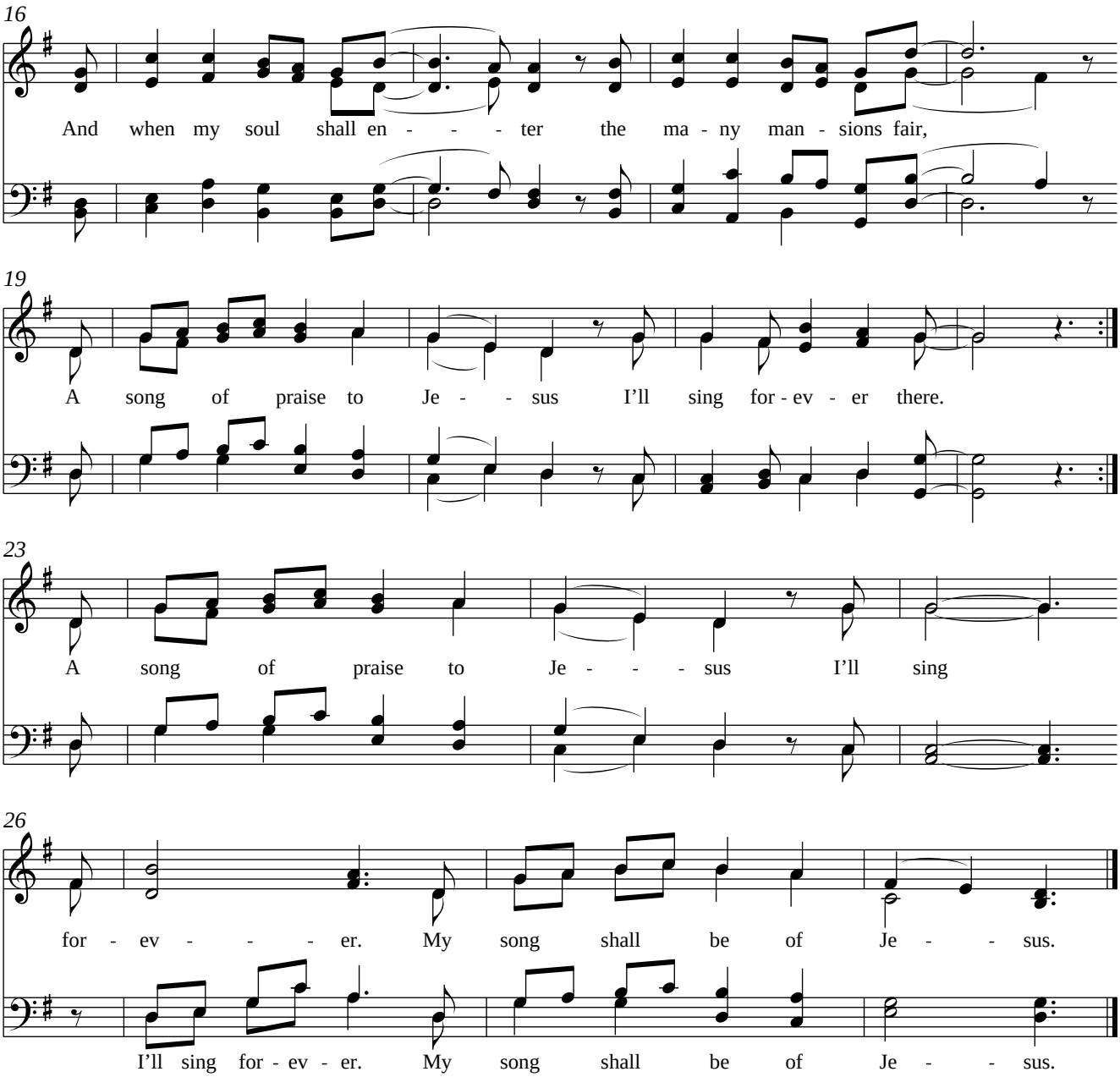
He fills my cup with bless - - ings and tunes my heart to praise
He calls to mind His good - - ness, and makes my joy com - plete;
To where my home shines glo - - rious in pure and per - fect day.

8

My song shall be of Je - - - sus the pre - cious Lamb of God
My song shall be of Je - - sus, what - ev - er ills be - fall,
And when my soul shall en - - - ter the ma - ny man - sions fair,

12

Who gave Him - self my ran - - som and bought me with His blood
I'll sing the grace that saves me, and tri - umphs o - ver all.
A song of praise to Je - - sus I'll sing for - ev - er there.



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