

Deal gently with thy servants, Lord

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Solo

1. Gent - ly Lord, oh gent - ly lead us, through this lone - ly vale of tears,

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and, O Lord, in mer - cy give us thy rich grace in all our fears.

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3. Oh, re - fresh us with thy bless-ing, oh, re - fresh us with thy grace;

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may thy mer - cies, nev - er ceas-ing, fit us for thy dwell - ing place.

The music consists of two staves: a treble staff above and a bass staff below. The treble staff begins with a quarter note followed by an eighth note, then a half note, another half note, and so on. The bass staff follows a similar pattern, providing harmonic support. The lyrics are written below the notes.

4. In the hour of pain and an-guish, in the hour when death draws near,
suf - fer not our hearts to lan-guish, suf - fer not our souls to fear.

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Oh _____ bid us in thine arms to rest,
5. When this mor - tal life is end - ed, Oh _____
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39 'til by an - gel bands at-tend-ed we a - wake a - mong the blest. Oh _____
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