

I Will Sing For Ever of Your Love

Psalm 89

Psalm 89:1a, 21, 22, 25, 27

Andrew Wright

REFRAIN (♩ = ca. 69)

F Dm B♭ F Dm Csus4 C F

p

Soprano Alto

I will sing for ever of your love, O Lord.

Tenor Bass

p

D Gm C F B♭ F G C

Fine

I will sing for ever of your love, — O Lord.

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Keyboard may double choral parts.

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E
L
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A
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S

VERSES: Cantor

p

1. I have found Da - vid my ser - vant and with my ho - ly

mp

2. My hand shall al ways, shall al - ways be with him

mp

3. My tri - umph shall be with him;

mf

4. He will say me: "You are my fa - ther,

Choir *F* *più p* Dm Dm Csus4 C F

più p

D.C.

1. oil an - oint - ed

D.C.

2. and my hand shall make him strong.

D.C.

3. by my name his might shall be ex - alt - ed.

D.C. al fine

4. my God, the rock the rock who saves me."

D Gm C F Bb F G C *D.C.*

Mm

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Capo 3: (D) F (Bm) Dm (G) B♭ (D) F (Bm) Dm (Asus4) C (A) C (D) F

p

I will sing, I will sing of your love, O Lord.

(B) D (Em) Gm (A) C (D) F (G) B♭ (D) F (E) G (A) C *Fine*

I will sing for of your love, O Lord.

VERSE 1

(D) F (Bm) Dm (G) B♭ (D) F (Bm) Dm (Asus4) C (A) C (D) F

p

1. I have found Da - vid my ser - vant and with my ho - ly

(B) D (Em) Gm (A) C (D) F (G) B♭ (D) F (E) G (A) C *D.C.*

1. oil an - oint - ed him

VERSE 2

(D) F (Bm) Dm (G) B♭ (D) F (Bm) Dm (Asus4) C (A) C (D) F

mp


2. My hand shall al - ways, shall al - ways be with him

(B) D (Em) Gm (A) C (D) F (G) B♭ (D) F (E) G (A) C *D.C.*

2. and my hand shall make him strong.

VERSE 3

(D) (Bm) (G) (D) (Bm) (Asus4) (A) (D)
 F Dm B \flat F Dm Csus4 C F



3. My truth and my love shall be _____ with him;

(B) (Em) (A) (G) (D) (E) (A)
 D Gm C B \flat F G C



3. by my name his might shall be ex - alt - ed.


VERSE 4

(D) (Bm) (G) (D) (Bm) (Asus4) (A) (D)
 F Dm B \flat F Dm Csus4 C F



4. He will say to me: "You are _____ my fa - ther,

(B) (Em) (A) (D) (G) (D) (E) (A)
 D Gm C B \flat F G C



4. my God, _____ the _____ the rock who saves _____ me."

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SOLO INSTRUMENT

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(♩ = ca. 69)

The musical score consists of two staves of music. The top staff begins with a treble clef, a key signature of one flat (B-flat), and a 4/4 time signature. The tempo marking '(♩ = ca. 69)' is placed above the first few notes. The melody is written in a simple, accessible style with a mix of quarter and eighth notes, and some rests. The bottom staff continues the melody, also in treble clef with a key signature of one flat. A large, bold, black 'SAMPLE' watermark is oriented vertically across the center of the page, overlapping both staves of music.

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Composer Notes

This beautiful and central psalm text in Scripture, set here in responsorial form, may be used on a number of occasions in the liturgy for Holy Orders and Chrism Mass. It is also relevant to Advent; specifically, it is the proper psalm for the Fourth Sunday of Advent, Year B.

At the heart of this psalm is the covenant God made with David; this covenant is fulfilled today by those who commit their lives to God in faithfulness, trust and hope. We are drawn more deeply into the permanency of this covenant relationship in the person of Mary, whom we celebrate in the Season of Advent.

In practical terms, the setting has a number of possible uses for various combinations of assembly, cantor, choir (in harmony), accompanied or unaccompanied, with optional instrument and with or without the verses (the refrain itself can be simply and effectively repeated for any liturgical occasion). The setting is meditative and sustained, but at the same time, voices should remain rhythmic, especially on notes of the same pitch.

—Andrew Wright


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Assembly Edition

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Refrain



Verses

<p>1. I have found David my servant and with my holy oil anointed him.</p> <p>2. My hand shall always, shall always be with him and my hand shall make him strong</p>	<p>3. My faith and my love shall be with him; by his name his might shall be exalted.</p> <p>4. He will say to me: "You are my father, my God, the rock, the rock who saves me."</p>
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