LOVING AND FORGIVING

REFRAIN: \(\frac{j}{}= \text{ca. } 80\) 1st time: Cantor, All repeat; thereafter: All

Melody

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LOVING AND FORGIVING, cont. (2)

VERSES: Cantor/Choir

1. All my being, bless the Lord, bless the holy
2. God forgives us all our sins, healing those who
3. Good and gracious is the Lord, slow to anger,
4. As heaven soars above the earth, so great the love of

1. name of God. All my being, bless the Lord, reasonable
2. live in pain, saving us from final death. God
3. rich in love. God remembers not our sins; for -
4. God for us. As far as east is from the west, the

1. bringing the goodness of God.
2. fills us with goodness and love.
3. giving and loving is God.
4. Lord takes our sins from us.

D.C.
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& \text{Capo 3:} \quad \text{(D)} & \text{(A/C\#)} & \text{(G/B)} & \text{(D)} & \text{(G)} \\
& \text{(F)} & \text{(C/E)} & \text{(Bb/D)} & \text{(F)} & \text{(Bb)} \\
\text{Lov-ing and for-giv-ing are you, O Lord; slow to an-ger,} \\
\text{rich in kind-ness, lov-ing and for-giv-ing are you.} \\
\text{(D/F\#)} & \text{(Em7)} & \text{(G/A)} & \text{(A)} & \text{(D)} & \text{(Em7)} & \text{(A)}
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VERSES: Cantor/Choir

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\begin{align*}
& \text{Final} \quad \text{(Em7)} & \text{(G/A)} & \text{(A)} & \text{(D)} & \text{(G)} & \text{(Em7)} & \text{(A)} \\
& \text{(Gm7)} & \text{(Bb/C)} & \text{(C)} & \text{(F)} & \text{Fine} & \text{Melody} & \text{Harmony} \\
\text{1. All my be-ing,} \\
\text{2. God for-gives us} \\
\text{3. Good and gra-cious} \\
\text{4. As heav-en soars a-} \\
\text{(G/A)} & \text{(A)} & \text{(F#m)} & \text{(A/G)} & \text{(G)} & \text{(Em7)} & \text{(A)} \\
\text{(Bb/C)} & \text{(C)} & \text{(Am)} & \text{(C/Bb)} & \text{(Bb)} & \text{(Gm7)} & \text{(C)}
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\begin{align*}
1. & \text{bless the Lord,} & \text{bless the ho-ly name of God.} & \text{All my be-ing,} \\
2. & \text{all our sins,} & \text{heal-ing those who live in pain,} & \text{sav-ing us from} \\
3. & \text{is the Lord,} & \text{slow to an-ger,} & \text{rich in love.} & \text{God re-mem-bers} \\
4. & \text{bove the earth,} & \text{so great the love of God for us.} & \text{As far as east is} \\
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& \text{(Em)} & \text{(C)} & \text{(G/B)} & \text{(G/A)} & \text{(C)} & \text{(D.C.)} \\
& \text{(Dm)} & \text{(Gm)} & \text{(Eb)} & \text{(Bb/D)} & \text{(Bb/C)} & \text{rit.} & \text{C}
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\begin{align*}
1. & \text{bless the Lord, re-mem-b'ring the good-ness of God.} \\
2. & \text{fi-nal death. God fills us with good-ness and love.} \\
3. & \text{not our sins; for-giv-ing and lov-ing is God.} \\
4. & \text{from the west, the Lord takes our sins from us.}
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2. all our sins, __ heal-ing those who live in pain, __ sav-ing us __ from
3. is the Lord, __ slow to an- ger, __ rich in love. __ God re-mem - bers
4. love the earth, __ so great the love of God for us. __ As far as east __ is

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FLUTE & OBOE

REFRAIN (\( \text{\textit{d} = \textit{ca. 80}} \))

(a tempo) \( \text{mf} \)

VERSES 1-3: Tacet

VERSE 4

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