

BLEST BE THE LORD

Refrain: Spirited ($\text{♩} = \text{ca. } 78$)

Harmony

Blest be the Lord; blest be the Lord,

Melody

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the God of mer - cy, the God who saves.

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I shall not fear the dark of night, nor the

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ar - row that flies by day. day.

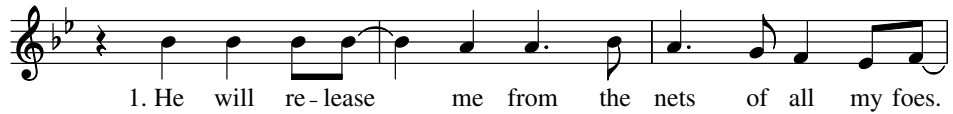
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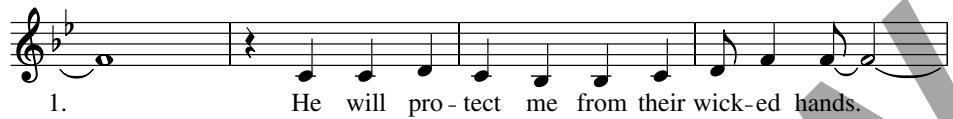
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BLEST BE THE LORD, cont. (2)

Verse 1



1. He will re-lease me from the nets of all my foes.



1. He will pro-tect me from their wick-ed hands.



1. Be-neath the shad-ow of his wings I will re-joice



1. to find a dwell-ing place se-cure. *D.C.*

Verse 2



2. I need not shrink be-fore the ter-rors of the night,



2. nor stand a-lone be-fore the light of day.




2. No harm shall come to me, no ar-row strike me down,



2. no e-vil set-tle in my soul. *D.C.*

BLEST BE THE LORD, cont. (3)

Verse 3



3. Al-though a thou - sand strong have fal-len at my side,



3. I'll not be shak-en with the Lord at hand.



3. His faith-ful love is all the ar - mor that I need



3. to wage my bat-tle with the foe. *D.C. al fine*

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