

A MIGHTY FORTRESS

1. A might - y for - tress is our God, A
2. Did we in our own strength con - fide, Our

The first system of music is in 4/4 time. The treble clef staff contains the vocal melody, and the bass clef staff contains the bass line. The lyrics are written below the treble staff.

1. bul - wark nev - er fail - ing; Our help - er he a -
2. striv - ing would be los - ing, Were not the Sav - ior

The second system of music continues the melody and bass line. The lyrics are written below the treble staff.

1. mid the flood Of mor - tal ills pre - vail - ing; For
2. on our side, The man of God's own choos - ing; Dost

The third system of music concludes the piece. The lyrics are written below the treble staff.

A MIGHTY FORTRESS, cont. (2)

1. still _ our an - cient _ foe Doth seek to work _ us woe; His
2. ask _ who that may _ be? Christ Je - sus, it _ is he; Lord

1. craft _ and pow'r are great, And armed with cru - el
2. Sab - a - oth, his name, From age to age the

1. hate, On earth _ is not _ his e - qual.
2. same, And he _ must win _ the bat - tle.

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