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O God of Light, the Dawning Day

James Quinn, SJ, 1919–2010

Luke D. Rosen

INTRO *Warmly* (♩ = ca. 53)

Keyboard *mp*

D/F# G F#m/A Bm Bm7/A G Em/G Em

A D/F# G F#m/A Cadd9

Melody *mf*

Harmony *mf*

G Em/F# A Bm Bm7/A G Em7 A D

The musical score is written in G major and 3/4 time. It begins with an introduction for keyboard, marked 'Warmly' and 'mp' (mezzo-piano), with a tempo of approximately 53 beats per minute. The introduction consists of two systems of music. The first system includes the chords D/F#, G, F#m/A, Bm, Bm7/A, G, Em/G, and Em. The second system includes the chords A, D/F#, G, F#m/A, and Cadd9. Following the introduction, there are two systems of music for the vocal parts. The first system shows the vocal melody and harmony, both marked 'mf' (mezzo-forte). The second system shows the keyboard accompaniment with the chords G, Em/F#, A, Bm, Bm7/A, G, Em7, A, and D. A large 'PREVIEW' watermark is overlaid on the score.

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VERSES

1. God of light, the dawn - ing day gives us new prom - ise of your
 2. bless - ings, Fa - ther, nev - er fail: your Son, who is our dai - ly
 3. us the ser - vants of your peace, re - new our strength, re - move all
 4. Fa - ther, Son and Spir - it blest, one on - ly God, we hum - bly

D/F# G F#m/A Bm Bm7/A G

1. love; each — fresh be - gin - ning is — your — gift, like —
 2. Bread, the — Ho - ly Spir - it of — your — love, by —
 3. fear; be — with us, Lord, through - out — this — day, for —
 4. pray: show — us the splen - dour of — your — light in —

A D/E# G F#m/A Cadd9

1. gen - tle dew from heav'n a - bove, like gen - tle dew from heav'n a -
 2. whom each day our hearts are led, by whom each day our hearts are
 3. all is joy if you are near, for all is joy if you are
 4. death, the dawn of per - fect day, in death, the dawn of per - fect

G A Bm Bm7/A G A7

1. bove.
 2. led.
 3. near.
 4. day.

2. Your ___
 3. Make ___
 4. To ___

1-3

D Em Em/G Cmaj7 D/A A

Final
 D/A A A7 D

molto rit.

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(Guitar/Vocal)

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INTRO *Warmly* (♩ = ca. 53)

mp D/F# G F#m/A Bm Bm7/A G Em/G Em A

(Kbd)

D/F# G F#m/A Cadd9 G Em/F# A Bm Bm7/A G Em7 A D

mf 1. O

VERSES

D/F# G F#m/A Bm Bm7/A G /E /F# /G /A /B

1. God of light, the dawn - ing day gives us new prom - ise of your
2. bless - ings, Fa - ther, nev - er fail: your Son, who is our dai - ly
3. us the ser - vants of your peace, re - new our strength, re - move all
4. Fa - ther, Son and Spir - it blest, one on - ly God, we hum - bly

A D/F# G F#m/A Cadd9

1. love; each fresh be - gin - ning is your — gift, like
2. Bread, the Ho - ly Spir - it of your — love, by
3. fear; be with us, Lord, through - out this — day, for
4. pray: show us the splen - dour of your — light in

G /E /F# /G /A /F# Bm Bm7/A G /E /F# /G A7

1. gen - tle dew from heav'n a - bove, like gen - tle dew from heav'n a -
2. whom each day our hearts are led, by whom each day our hearts are
3. all is joy if you are near, for all is joy if you are
4. death, the dawn of per - fect day, in death, the dawn of per - fect

D Em Em/G Cmaj7

1-3	Final
D/A A	D/A A A7 D
	<i>molto rit.</i>

1. bove.
 2. led.
 3. near.
 4. day.
2. Your
 3. Make
 4. To

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SOLO INSTRUMENT in C

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INTRO *Warmly* (♩ = ca. 53)

mp

mf

VERSES 1-4

1-3

Final
molto rit.

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Assembly Edition

O GOD OF LIGHT, THE DAWNING DAY

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1. O God of light, the dawn-ing day gives us new prom - ise
2. Your bless-ings, Fa - ther, nev - er fail: your Son, who is our
3. Make us the ser - vants of your peace, re - new our strength, re -
4. To Fa - ther, Son and Spir - it blest, one on - ly God, we



1. of your love; each fresh be - gin - ning is your
2. dai - ly Bread, the Ho - ly Spir - it of your
3. move all fear; be with us, Lord, through-out this
4. hum - bly pray: show us the splen - dour of your



1. gift, like gen - tle dew from heav'n a - bove, like
2. love, by whom each day our hearts are led, by
3. day, for all is joy if you are near, for
4. light in death, the dawn of per - fect day, in



1. gen - tle dew from heav'n a - bove.
2. whom each day our hearts are led.
3. all is joy if you are near.
4. death, the dawn of per - fect day.

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