

City of God

Based on Isaiah 9; 40:1-9; 1 John 1

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INTRO Easy swaying rhythm (♩ = ca. 56)

Capo 2: (D) (Em7/D) (A/D) (A) (D) (G/D) (D) (Dsus2)
 E F#m7/E B/E B E A/E E Esus2

VERSES 1, 2

(D) (Em7/D) (A/D)
 E F#m7/E B/E

1. A - wake from your slum - ber! _____ A - rise from your
 2. We are sons of the morn - ing; _____ we are daugh - ters of

(D) (Dsus2) (D) (Em7/D) (A/D) (A)
 E Esus2 E *cresc.* F#m7/E B/E *dim.* B

1. sleep! _____ A new day is dawn - ing _____ for all those who
 2. day. _____ The one who has loved us _____ has bright - ened our

(D) (G/D) (D) (Dsus2) (D) (Em7/D)
 E A/E E Esus2 E F#m7/E

1. weep. _____ The peo - ple in dark - ness _____
 2. way. _____ The Lord of all kind - ness _____

(A/D) (D) (Dsus2) (D) (Em7/D)
 B/E E Esus2 E *cresc.* F#m7/E

1. have seen a great light. _____ The Lord of our long - ing _____
 2. has called us to be _____ a light for his peo - ple _____

(A/D) (A) (D) (G/D) (D) (Dsus2) (D)
 B/E B E *cresc.* A/E E Esus2 *f* E

1. has con - quered the night. _____
 2. to set their hearts free. _____

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REFRAIN

f Melody (G) A (A) B (D) E (Dsus2) Esus2

Let us build the cit - y of God.

Harmony *f*

Let us build the cit - y of

(D) E (Em) F#m (A) B (D) E (Dsus2) Esus2

God. May our tears be turned in - to danc - ing!

God. May our tears be turned to

(D) E (G) A (A) B (D) E (Dsus2) (D) Esus2 E

For the Lord, our light and our love, has

dance. For the Lord, our light and our love, has

(Em) F#m (A) B 1-3 (D) E *cresc.* (Em7/D) F#m7/E (A/D) B/E (A) B

turned the night in - to day!

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(D) (G/D) (D) (Dsus2) E A/E E Esus2 *dim. to Verses* Final (D) E *cresc.* (Em7/D) F#m7/E (A/D) B/E (A) B *ff* (D) E (A7) B7 E *Fine*

day!

dim. to Verses Final *cresc.* *ff* *Fine*

day!

VERSE 3

(F#7) (Bm) (Em) (A)
 G#7 C#m F#m B
mp
 3. God _____ is light; _____ in him there is no dark-ness.

(D) (Dmaj9/C#) (Bm) (Bm7/A) (G)
 E Emaj9/D# C#m C#m7/B A
cresc. mf cresc.
 3. Let us walk _____ in his light, _____ his chil - dren,

(Em) (A7sus4) (A7) (D) (Em7/D)
 F#m B7sus4 B7 E F#m7/E
f dim. pp p
 3. one and all. _____ O com-fort my peo-ple; _____

(A/D) (D) (D sus2) (D) (Em7/D)
 B/E E E sus2 E F#m7/E
 3. make gen-tle your words. _____ Pro-claim to my cit-y _____

(A/D) (A) (D) (G/D) (D) (D sus2) (D)
 B/E B E A/E E E sus2 E
mf cresc. f D.S.
 3. the day of her birth. _____

VERSE 4

(D) (Em7/D) (A/D) (D) (D sus2) (D)
 E F#m7/E B/E E E sus2 E
mf
 4. O cit-y of glad-ness, _____ now lift up your voice! _____ Pro -

(Em7/D) (A/D) (A) (D) (G/D) (D) (D sus2) (D)
 F#m7/E B/E B E A/E E E sus2 E
cresc. D.S. al fine
 4. claim the good tid-ings _____ that all may re - jice! _____