

Christ Our Hope In Life and Death

Score

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Bold, with confidence (♩ = c. 88)

The piano introduction consists of two systems of music. The first system features a treble clef staff with a 3/4 time signature and a key signature of two flats (B-flat and E-flat). The melody is composed of eighth and quarter notes. The bass clef staff provides a simple harmonic accompaniment with quarter notes. A dynamic marking of *mf* is placed below the first measure.

The first system of the vocal and piano accompaniment begins at measure 4. The vocal line is written in a treble clef with a 3/4 time signature and a key signature of two flats. The lyrics are: "What is our hope in life and death? Christ a-lone, Christ a- lone. What truth can calm the trou- bled soul? God is good, God is". The piano accompaniment is written in two staves (treble and bass clefs) with a 3/4 time signature and a key signature of two flats. A dynamic marking of *mf* is placed below the first measure of the piano part.

The second system of the vocal and piano accompaniment begins at measure 8. The vocal line continues with the lyrics: "lone. What is our on - ly con - fi - dence? That our souls to Him be- good. Where is His grace and good-ness known? In our great Re - deem-er's". The piano accompaniment continues with the same harmonic structure as the first system, maintaining a dynamic marking of *mf*.

12

long. Who holds our days with - in His hand? What comes, a - part from His com-
 blood. Who holds our faith when fears a - rise? Who stands a - bove the storm - y

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16

mand? And what will keep us to the end? The love of Christ, in which we
 trial? Who sends the waves that bring us nigh? Un - to the shore, the rock of

16

16

20 *f*

stand. O sing hal - le - lu - jah! Our hope springs e -
Christ?

20 *f*

20 *f*

24

ter - nal, O — sing hal - le - lu - jah! Now and ev - er we con -

24

24

28

fess, Christ our hope in life and death.

mf

mf

32

mp

Un-to the grave, what shall we sing? Christ, He

mp

36

lives! Christ, He lives! And what re-ward will hea-ven bring? Ev-er-

40

last - ing life with Him. There we will rise to meet the Lord, then sin and

mf

mf

44

death will be ds-troyed, and we will feast in end - less joy, when Christ is

f

f

48

ours for - ev - er - more. O sing hal - le - lu - jah! Our

48

ff

48

ff

3

52

hope springs e - ter - nal, O — sing hal - le -

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52

55

lu - jah! Now and ev - er we con - fess, Christ our

58 *rit. and dec. second time*

1. 2.

hope in life and death. O death.

rit. and dec. second time *mf*

58 *rit. and dec. second time* *mf*