

# Octavo

# Psalm 23

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Stately (♩ = 66)

The musical score is written for Octavo and consists of two systems. The first system contains four measures, and the second system contains five measures. The tempo is marked 'Stately' with a quarter note equal to 66 beats per minute. The key signature has two flats (B-flat and E-flat), and the time signature is 3/4. The score includes vocal staves (soprano and bass) and piano accompaniment (treble and bass clef). The piano part features a steady accompaniment with chords and moving lines in both hands. The vocal parts are currently silent, indicated by whole rests.

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## Psalm 23 -2-

9 S, A unis. *mf* Verse

The LORD, He is my Shep-herd King, bought

12 by His blood, my life He claims. I shall not want for an - y

15 need for I am His - He knows my name.

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## Psalm 23 -3-

### Verse

18

T, B unis. *mf*

He leads me by still wa - ters now; in

21

rich green pas-tures makes me lie. I trust His wis-dom and His

24

S, A unis. *mf*

care; from His great rich - es He pro - vides. His

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## Psalm 23 -4-

27 **Chorus**

good-ness and His stead-fast love will fol-low me through all my

30

days. for - ev - er, then I'll see His face, dwell

33

in His house and sing His praise!

Detailed description: This is a musical score for a four-part setting of Psalm 23. It features a vocal line (Soprano and Bass staves), a piano accompaniment (Grand staff), and lyrics. The score is divided into three systems. The first system (measures 27-29) is labeled 'Chorus' and contains the lyrics 'good-ness and His stead-fast love will fol-low me through all my'. The second system (measures 30-32) contains the lyrics 'days. for - ev - er, then I'll see His face, dwell'. The third system (measures 33-35) contains the lyrics 'in His house and sing His praise!'. The piano accompaniment consists of chords and single notes in both hands. The vocal line has a melody with some rests and a final note in measure 35.

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## Psalm 23 -5-

35 S, A unis. *mf*

When

T, B unis. *mf*

40 Verse

I am temp-ted and I stray, de - ceived that sin will make me

43 whole, He guides me in His right - eous paths and

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## Psalm 23 -6-

46 *mp*

He a - lone re - stores my soul. Life's

49 *mp*

dark - est val - leys He de - signed when shad - ows fall and dark - ness

52 *mp*

nears; His rod and staff will com - fort me. He's

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## Psalm 23 -7-

55 *mf*

by my side - I will not fear. His good-ness and His stead-fast

*mf*

58

love Will fol - low me through all my days. for -

61

ev - er, then I'll see His face, Dwell in His house and sing His

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## Psalm 23 -8-

64

praise!

69

*f*

*f* With

74

joy I'll sit at His great feast with flow - ing cup and ta - ble



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## Psalm 23 -9-

77

spread. My Lord will rise, greet me as friend, and

80

serve the one for whom He bled. His

83

good-ness and His stead-fast love Will fol-low me through all my

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## Psalm 23 -10-

86

days. for - ev - er, then I'll see His face, Dwell

89

in His house and sing His praise! *f* His good-ness and His stead-fast

92

love Will fol - low me through all my days. For -

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## Psalm 23 -11-

95

ev - er, then I'll see His face, Dwell in His house and sing His

98

praise!

102

*Poco Rit.*