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# **THREE ANCIENT PRAYERS**

by

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| <b>1. O Lord, How Can We Know Thee?</b> | <b>5439</b> |
| <b>2. Hear, O Israel</b>                | <b>5440</b> |
| <b>• 3. Cause Us, O Lord</b>            | <b>5441</b> |

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**BOOSEY and HAWKES**

## Cause Us, O Lord

From The Book of Prayer

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Andante - smoothly flowing (♩ = 62)

SOPRANO

ALTO

TENOR

BASS

ORGAN  
or  
PIANO

8' Flute or Clar.  
*p*

8' String

*mp*

Cause us, O Lord our God, to lie down each night in

*mp*

Cause us, O Lord our God, to lie down each night in

8' Gt.  
*p*

16' Ped.

peace, - and to a - wak-en to re-newed life and strength.°

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Add Soft Strings

Detailed description: This system contains the first vocal entry. The vocal staves (Soprano, Alto, Tenor, Bass) enter with a melodic line. The piano accompaniment consists of chords in the right hand and sustained notes in the left hand. The lyrics are 'peace, - and to a - wak-en to re-newed life and strength.°'.

*mp* Cause us, O

*mp* Cause us, O

*pp* Hear our prayer, O

*pp sempre* Hear our prayer, O

*p*

*pp*

Detailed description: This system continues the vocal melody. The vocal staves have lyrics 'Cause us, O' and 'Hear our prayer, O'. The piano accompaniment includes a section marked 'pp sempre' and another marked 'p'. The lyrics are 'Cause us, O', 'Hear our prayer, O', and 'Hear our prayer, O'.

Lord our God to lie down at

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Lord, hear our prayer, O Lord, hear our prayer, O

Lord, hear our prayer, O Lord, hear our prayer, O

night in peace, and to a -

night in peace, and to a -

Lord, hear our prayer, O Lord, hear our prayer... and to a -

Lord, hear our prayer, O Lord, hear our prayer... and to a -

wak - en to re - newed life and strength.

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Poco animato (♩ : 66-69)

*pp* Lord, help us to or - der our

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Poco animato (♩ : 66-69)

*mf*

lives by Thy coun - cil, lead us in the paths of

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*sfz* *mf*

*sfz = mf*

*with intensity* *f*

right-eous-ness. Lord, be Thou a shield a - bout us, pro-tect us.

*f*

right-eous-ness. Lord, be Thou a shield a - bout us, pro-tect us.

*f*

right-eous-ness. Lord, be Thou a shield a - bout us, pro-tect us.

*f*

right-eous-ness. Lord, be Thou a shield a - bout us, pro-tect us.

*with intensity* *f*

right-eous-ness. Lord, be Thou a shield a - bout us, pro-tect us.

*Sw. with mixtures*

*f* *4' coup. Gt.* *sfz*

*poco rit.*

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*ff*

*no breath*

save our world from sor - row, from hate, and from war.

*ff*

*no breath*

save our world from sor - row, from hate, and from war.

*ff*

*no breath*

save our world from sor - row, from hate, and from war.

*ff*

*no breath*

save our world from sor - row, from hate, and from war.

*poco rit.*

(♩ = ca. 66)

*ff* Curb Thou with - in us the will to do e - vil.

*ff* Curb Thou with - in us the will to do e - vil.

*ff* Curb Thou with - in us the will to do e - vil.

*ff* Curb Thou with - in us the will to do e - vil.

(♩ = ca. 66)

*mf* *poco rit.* *mp*

She1-ter us be - neath the sha - dow of Thy wings. \_\_\_\_\_

*mf* *poco rit.* *mp*

She1-ter us be - neath the sha - dow of Thy wings. \_\_\_\_\_

*mf* *poco rit.* *mp*

She1-ter us be - neath the sha - dow of Thy wings. \_\_\_\_\_

*mf* *poco rit.* *mp*

She1-ter us be - neath the sha - dow of Thy wings. \_\_\_\_\_

*mf* *poco rit.*

Gt.

A tempo (♩ = 62)

*pp* *p*

Cause us, O

*pp* *p*

Cause us, O

*pp* *p*

Cause us, O

*pp* *p*

Cause us, O

A tempo (♩ = 62)

1st Registration

8' *p* *p*



*ten.*

*f*

Lord our God, to lie down each\_ night in

*f ten.*

Lord our God, to lie down each\_ night in

*f ten.*

Lord our God, to lie down each\_ night in

*f ten.*

Lord our God, to lie down each\_ night in

*mp*

peace, \_\_\_\_\_ and to a - wak - en to re - newed life and

*mp*

peace, \_\_\_\_\_ and to a - wak - en to re - newed life and

*mp*

peace, \_\_\_\_\_ and to a - wak - en to re - newed life and

*mp*

peace, \_\_\_\_\_ and to a - wak - en to re - newed life and

strength. *pp* *p* A - men A -

strength. *pp* *p* A - men A -

strength. *pp* *p* A - men A -

strength. *pp* *p* A - men A -

*poco rit.* *p* *a tempo* *poco a poco rit.* *morendo*

men A - men. men A - men. men A - men.

*poco rit.* *p* *a tempo* *poco a poco rit.* *morendo*

men A - men. men A - men. men A - men.

*poco rit.* *p* *a tempo* *poco a poco rit.* *morendo*

men A - men. men A - men. men A - men.