

O LET HIM WHOSE SORROW

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The musical score is written for a single melodic line on a treble clef staff with a key signature of one flat (B-flat). The melody is simple and hymn-like, with a final cadence on a whole note. The lyrics are arranged in four lines, each corresponding to a different verse. The first line of the score includes a sharp sign (#) above the staff, likely indicating a key change or a specific musical instruction. The lyrics are: 1. Oh! let him whose sor - row No re - lief can find, 2. Where the mourn - er weep - ing Sheds the se - cret tear, 3. God will ne - ver leave thee, All thy wants He knows, 4. Raise thine eyes to hea - ven When thy spi - rits quail, Trust in God, and bor - row Ease for heart and mind. God His watch is keep - ing, Though none else be near. Feels the pains that grieve thee, Sees thy cares and woes. When, by tem - pests driv - en, Heart and cou - rage fail.

5. When in grief you languish,
He will dry the tear,
Who His children's anguish
Soothes with succour near.
6. All thy woe and sadness
In this world below,
Balance not the gladness
Thou in heaven shalt know,
7. When thy gracious Saviour,
In the realms above,
Crowns thee with His favour,
Fills thee with His love.

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