

# What God ordains is always good

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Was Gott tut, das ist wohlgetan

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Psalm 27, "The Lord is my light and my salvation; Whom shall I fear?  
The Lord is the strength of my life; Of whom shall I be afraid?"

♩ = 75

The musical score is written for a piano and voice. It features a treble and bass clef with a key signature of one sharp (F#) and a 4/4 time signature. The tempo is marked as quarter note = 75. The score is divided into four systems, each with four measures. Chord symbols (G, Em, D, C, Bm, A) are placed above the measures. The lyrics are written below the notes, with some words hyphenated across measures. The piano accompaniment consists of a steady bass line and a more active treble line with some arpeggiated chords.

What God or - dains is al - ways good: His will is just and  
What God or - dains is al - ways good: He ne - ver will de -  
What God or - dains is al - ways good: though I the cup am  
What God or - dains is al - ways good: this truth re - mains un -

5 D G G Em D G C G Em  
ho - ly. As He di - rects my life for me, I fol - low meek and  
ceive me; He leads me in His right - eous way, and ne - ver will He  
drink - ing which sa - vors now of bit - ter - ness, I take it with - out  
sha - ken. Though sor - row, need, or death be mine, I shall not be for -

9 D G C D Bm Em A D  
low - ly. My God in - deed in ev' - ry need knows well how He will  
leave me. I take con - tent what He has sent; His hand that sends me  
shrink - ing. For af - ter grief God gives re - lief, my heart with com - fort  
sa - ken. I fear no harm, for with His arm He shall em - brace and

13 A D C D G  
shield me; to Him, then, I will yield me.  
sad - ness will turn my tears to glad - ness.  
fill - ing and all my sor - row stil - ling.  
shield me; so to my God I yield me.