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F (Dm) C F B^b C F B^b F (Gm F) B^b

1 What God or-dains is al-ways right; his will is just and
 2 What God or-dains is al-ways right; and he will not de-
 3 What God or-dains is al-ways right; all that he does is
 4 What God or-dains is al-ways right; he guides our joy and

C F (Dm) C F B^b C F B^b F (Gm F) B^b

ho-ly. He holds us in his per-fect might; in Christ our lives are
 ceive us. He leads us in the way of light and will not ev-er
 for us. He heals our souls and gives us sight and puts no ill be-
 sad-ness. He is our life and bless-ed light; in him a-lone is

C F B^b C Am F B^b F C (G⁷ C) F

god-ly. He is our God and all we need, the Fa-ther who pre-
 leave us. In him we rest, who makes the best of all the stum-bling
 fore us. Our God is true; he makes us new; our lives are built up-
 glad-ness. We see his face, the way of grace; he holds us in his

G⁷ C F (B^b F) C F Gm⁷ C F

serves us still; to him we bend each heart and will.
 turns we take and loves us for his mer-cy's sake.
 on his rock, our cor-ner-stone and build-ing block.
 might-y arm and keeps us safe from ev-ery harm.

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