

PSALM

103b O come, my soul, bless thou the LORD

Capo 3: **G D⁷ G D⁷ Em**

1 O come, my soul, bless thou the LORD thy Mak - er,
 2 Good is the LORD and full of kind com - pas - sion,
 3 His love is like a fa - ther's to his chil - dren,

and all with - in me, bless his ho - ly name;
 most slow to an - ger, plen - te - ous in love;
 ten - der and kind to all who fear his name;

bless thou the LORD, for - get not all his mer - cies,
 rich is his grace to all that hum - bly seek him,
 for well he knows our weak - ness and our frail - ty,

his par - doning grace and sav - ing love pro - claim.
 bound - less and end - less as the heavens a - bove.
 he knows that we are dust, he knows our frame.

A⁷ (D A⁷) D (Bm Em) D A D

Text: *Psalter Hymnal*, 1957
 Tune: James Walch, 1875

11 10 11 10 with refrain
 TIDINGS

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Refrain

The musical score is written for a piano accompaniment in G major, 4/4 time. It consists of two systems of music. The first system has a treble and bass staff. The treble staff has a key signature of one sharp (F#) and a common time signature. The bass staff has a key signature of two flats (Bb, Eb) and a common time signature. The melody is in the treble staff, and the bass staff provides a harmonic accompaniment. The lyrics are written below the treble staff. The second system also has a treble and bass staff, with the same key signature and time signature. The melody continues in the treble staff, and the bass staff provides a harmonic accompaniment. The lyrics continue below the treble staff. The score ends with a double bar line.

Bless him, ye an - gels, won - drous in might;

bless him, his ser - vants, that in his will de - light.

- 4 We fade and die like flowers that grow in beauty,
like tender grass that soon will disappear;
but evermore the love of GOD is changeless,
still shown to those who look to him in fear.
- 5 High in the heavens his throne is fixed forever,
his kingdom rules o'er all from pole to pole.
Bless ye the LORD through all his wide dominion;
bless his most holy name, O thou my soul.