

The Lord is compassion and love

Psalm 102

Music by Martin Foster

The Lord is com-pas-sion and love, — slow to an-ger and rich — in mer-cy. — mer-cy. —

Final

The first system of the musical score consists of three staves. The top staff is the vocal line, the middle is the right-hand piano accompaniment, and the bottom is the left-hand piano accompaniment. The music is in 6/8 time and B-flat major. The lyrics are written below the vocal staff. A 'Final' bracket is placed above the end of the first system.

The second system of the musical score consists of three staves: vocal, right-hand piano, and left-hand piano. It continues the melody and accompaniment from the first system.

1. My soul, give thanks to the Lord,
all my being bless his hólly name.
My soul, give thanks to thé Lord
and never forget áll his blessings.
2. It is he who forgives áll your guilt,
who heals every one óf your ills,
who redeems your life from thé grave,
who crowns you with love ánd compassion.
3. His wrath will come to an end;
he will not be angrý for ever.
He does not treat us according to óur sins
nor repay us according to our faults.
4. For as the heavens are high abóve the earth
so strong is his love for thóse who fear him.
As far as the east is from thé west
so far does he remove our sins.

Psalm 102: 1–4. 9–12. R̄: v8

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