

## Psalm 88

*I will sing for ever of your love, O Lord.*

The musical score is written in 4/4 time. The vocal line (top staff) begins with the lyrics "I will sing for ever of your love, O Lord." The piano accompaniment consists of two staves: a right-hand staff with a treble clef and a left-hand staff with a bass clef. The music is in a simple, hymn-like style with a clear melody and harmonic support.

1. I will sing for ever of your love, O Lord;  
through all ages my mouth will proclaim your truth.  
Of this I am sure, that your love lasts for ever,  
that your truth is firmly established as the heavens.
2. 'I have made a covenant with my chosen one;  
I have sworn to David my servant:  
I will establish your dynasty for ever  
and set up your throne through all ages.'
3. He will say to me: 'You are my father,  
my God, the rock who saves me.'  
I will keep my love for him always;  
with him my covenant shall endure.

**Psalm 88 (89): 2-5. 25. 27. R. cf. v. 2**

- 4th Sunday of Advent, Year B
- Advent: 24 December