

# I will bless your name for ever and ever

## Psalm 145

The image shows a musical score for the hymn 'I will bless your name for ever and ever'. It is written in 3/4 time and features a vocal line and a piano accompaniment. The key signature has two flats (Bb and Eb). The lyrics are: 'I will bless your name for ev - er and ev - er.' The piano part includes a 'Capo 1:' instruction. The first system of the piano part shows the following chords: D (Eb), A (Bb), G (Ab), A (Bb), Bm (Cm), Em (Fm), and D (Eb). The second system shows: D (Eb), A/C# (Bb/D), G/B (Ab/C), A (Bb), D/F# (Eb/G), Em (Fm), A (Bb), D (Eb), Em (Fm), Bm7 (Cm7), Em (Fm), and A (Bb). The score includes a repeat sign at the end of the first system and a key signature change to 3/4 time at the beginning of the second system.

1. The Lord is gracious and merciful,  
slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love.  
The Lord is good to all,  
and his compassion is over all that he has made.
2. The eyes of all look to you,  
and you give them their food in due season.  
You open your hand,  
satisfying the desire of every living thing.
3. The Lord is just in all his ways,  
and kind in all his doings.  
The Lord is near to all who call on him,  
to all who call on him in truth.

### Psalm 144 (145): 8-9. 15-16. 17-18 R. cf. 1

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