

# THOU MUST LEAVE THY LOWLY DWELLING

## THE SHEPHERDS' FAREWELL TO THE HOLY FAMILY

(CHORUS FROM "CHILDHOOD OF CHRIST." Op. 25)

## Christmas Anthem for Mixed Voices

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tent our earth - ly lot to share, Lov-ing fa-ther, lov-ing moth-er,  
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tent our earth - ly lot to share, Lov-ing fa-ther, lov-ing moth-er,  
tent our earth - ly lot to share, Fa - ther, lov-ing moth-er,

Shel - ter Thee with ten - der care! Lov - ing fa - ther, lov - ing moth-er, dim.  
Shel - ter Thee with ten - der care! Lov - ing fa - ther, lov - ing moth-er, dim.  
Shel - ter Thee with ten - der care! Lov - ing fa - ther, lov - ing moth-er, dim.  
Shel - ter Thee with ten - der care! Lov - ing fa - ther, lov - ing moth-er,

*poco rit.* *p*

Shel - ter Thee with ten - der care, shel - ter Thee with ten - der care!  
*poco rit.* *p*

Shel - ter Thee with ten - der care, shel - ter Thee with ten - der care!  
*poco rit.* *p*

Shel - ter Thee with ten - der care, shel - ter Thee with ten - der care!  
*poco rit.* *p*

Shel - ter Thee with ten - der care, — shel - ter Thee with ten - der care!

*Tempo I*

Bless - ed Je - sus, we \_ im-plore Thee With  
*p*

Bless-ed Je - sus, we im-plore Thee With  
*p*

Bless - ed Je - sus, we im-plore Thee With  
*p*

Bless - ed Je - sus, we \_ im-plore Thee With

*Tempo I*

*f>* > > > *p*

poco f

hum-ble love and ho - ly fear, In the land that lies be-fore Thee, For-

poco f

hum-ble love and ho - ly fear, In the land that lies be-fore Thee, For-

poco f

hum-ble love and ho - ly fear, In the land that lies be-fore Thee, For-

poco f

hum-ble love and ho - ly fear, In the land that lies be-fore Thee, For-

poco f

get not us who lin - ger here! May the shep-herd's low - ly call-ing

p

- get not us who lin - ger here! May the shep-herd's low - ly call-ing

p

get not us who lin - ger here! May the shep-herd's low-ly call-ing

p

get not us who lin - ger here! May the shep-herd's low-ly call-ing

Ev - er to Thy heart be dear! May the shep-herd's low - ly call - ing  
Ev - er to Thy heart be dear! May the shep-herd's low - ly call - ing  
Ev - er to Thy heart be dear! May the shep-herd's low - ly call - ing  
Ev - er to Thy heart be dear! May the shep-herd's low - ly call - ing

cresc. f      mf      dim.

poco rit. p

Ev - er to Thy heart be dear, ev - er to - Thy heart be dear!  
poco rit. p

Ev - er to - Thy heart be dear, ev - er to - Thy heart be dear!  
poco rit. p

Ev - er to - Thy heart be dear, ev - er to - Thy heart be dear!  
poco rit. p

Ev - er to - Thy heart be dear, - ev - er to - Thy heart be dear!

poco rit. p

Un poco più lento

*Tempo I*

*ffff*

Blest are ye be-yond all meas-ure, Thou hap-py

*ffff*

Blest are ye be-yond all meas-ure, Thou hap-py

*ffff*

Blest are ye be-yond all meas-ure, Thou hap-py

*ffff*

Blest are ye be-yond all meas-ure, Thou hap-py

*ffff*

*Tempo I*

*f> > >*

*ffff*

fa-ther, moth-er mild! Guard ye well your Heav'n-ly Treas-ure, The

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fa-ther, moth-er mild! Guard ye well your Heav'n-ly Treas-ure, The

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A musical score for a three-part setting (SATB or similar) in G major. The score consists of six staves of music, each with a treble clef and a key signature of one sharp. The lyrics are repeated four times in a call-and-response style between the voices. The lyrics are:

Prince of Peace, the Ho - ly Child! God go with you, God pro-  
— Prince of Peace, the Ho - ly Child! God go with you, God pro-  
Prince of Peace, the Ho - ly Child! God go with you, God pro-  
Prince of Peace, the Ho - ly Child! God go with you, God pro-  
tect you, Guide you safe - ly through the wild! God go with you,  
protect you, Guide you safe - ly through the wild! God go with you,  
protect you, Guide you safe - ly through the wild! God go with you,  
protect you, Guide you safe - ly through the wild! God go with you,

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