

OF THE FATHER'S LOVE BEGOTTEN

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D⁵ D⁵ D⁵ D⁵

1. Of the Fath-er's love be - got - ten, e'er the worlds be - gan_ to be,

7 D⁵ D⁵ D⁵ D⁵

— He is Alph-a and O - me - ga, He the source, the en - ding He, —

13 D D/G D/F# A(add4) D/F# G A(add4)

of the things that are, that have _____ been, _____ and that fu-ture years shall see,

18 D/F# A(add4) D⁵ D⁵ Bm Bm/A

ev-er- more, and ev-er - more _____ 2. He is found in hu-man fa - shion,

23 Bm/G Em F#m Bm Bm/A Bm/G

death and sor-row here to know, _____ that the race of Ad-am's chil - dren doomed by law to

29 A Bm G(add2) D/F# A(add4)/E G/D

end-less woe, _____ may not hence-forth die and per - ish _____ in the dread-ful gulf be

35 A/C# Bm Bm/A G D/F# Em⁷ G(add2) D/F# G(add2)/B F#m/A

low, _____ ev-er-more and ev-er - more _____

42 A/C# A D D/G D D(sus4) D D/F# G/B A

3. O ye heights of heav'n a - dore Him; an - gel hosts, His prai - ses sing; ___

48 G Bm Em D/F# G A D D(sus4)

Pow'rs do - mi - nions, bow be - fore ___ Him, and ex - tol our God ___ and King! ___

53 D D/G D/F# G(add2)/B A D/F# G A

Let no tongue on earth be si - lent, ___ ev - ery voice in con - cert ring,

58 Bm A D⁵ D⁵ D⁵ D(sus4)

ev - er - more and e - ver - more ___ 4. Christ, to Thee with God the Fa - ther,

63 D⁵ A/D G(add2) D/A G(add2)/B

and O Ho - ly Ghost to Thee, ___ hymn and chant with high thanks - giv - ing, and un - wear - ied

69 A D D(sus4) D G(add2) D/F#

prai - ses be: ___ hon - or, glor - y, and do - min - ion, ___ and e - ter - nal vic - tor -

75 A(add4) D/F# A(add4) D⁵ D⁵ A(add4)

y, e - ver - more and e - ver - more ___ e - ver - more and e - ver - more

79 D⁵ D⁵ A(add4) D⁵

e - ver - more and e - ver - more ___