

Hymn

Our Day Complete

Suo Gan — Welsh Lullaby

PHL

Tenderly

A m

D m7

G7

C

A m

D m7 G C

As the sun flees to the west, — so to bed we now re-tire.
Though the world in tu - mult ra - ges, and this life is full of cares.
All God's Child - ren God em - bra - ces, bids us come and en - ter rest.
As the sun flees to the west — so to bed we now re-tire.

5

C

A m

D m7

G7

C

A m

D m7

G7

C

Close our eyes and take our rest, — pray the Spi - rit to in - spire.
Though the strife en - dures for a - ges, join in song let's sing our prayers.
Come to know God's ma - ny gra - ces, in God's arms we know we're blessed.
Close our eyes and take our rest, — pray the Spir - it to in - spire.

9

C

E m

F

E m

C

A m

F

G7

From our act - ive, live - ly la - bor, and all bu - sy - ness re - treat.
God keeps vi - gil while we sleep, — we need nev - er fear the night.
Like the vir - gin mo - ther Ma - ry held the Christ - child to her breast,
These we ask of you, O Lord: — rest - ful nights and peace - ful deaths.

13

C

A m

D m7

G7

C

A m

D m7

G7

C

Come to rest with - in God's fa - vor, be at peace our day com-plete.
In God's love our rest is deep. — God's love makes the dark as light.
God is faith - ful, does not tar - ry, bids us sup and take our rest.
Held with - in your love out - poured, now we en - ter Ho - ly rest.

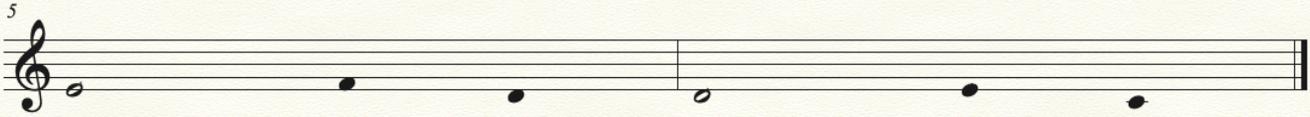
Psalms¹

Psalm 4

PHL



In - peace I will lie down and sleep; for you a - lone, O Lord make me rest se - cure. —



R¹ Answer me when I call, O God, defender of ¹ my cause;
you set me free when I was in distress;*
have mercy on me and hear ¹ my prayer.

² "You mortals, how long will you dishonor ¹ my glory;
how long will you love illusions and seek af- ¹ ter lies?"

³ Know that the LORD does wonders for ¹ the faithful;
the LORD will hear me when ¹ I call.

⁴ Tremble, then, and do ¹ not sin;
speak to your heart in silence upon ¹ your bed. **R**

⁵ Offer the appointed sa- ¹ crifices,
and put your trust in ¹ the LORD.

⁶ Many are saying, "Who will show us an- ¹ y good?"
Let the light of your face shine upon us, ¹ O LORD.

⁷ You have put gladness in ¹ my heart,
more than when grain and wine ¹ abound.

⁸ In peace, I will lie down ¹ and sleep;
for you alone, O LORD, make me rest ¹ secure. **R**

Silence

¹ All Psalm texts are from *The Book of Common Worship - Daily Prayer* (Westminster John Knox Press - 2018)

Psalm 134

PHL

Musical notation for Psalm 134, featuring a treble clef and a 4/4 time signature. The melody is written on a single staff with lyrics underneath. The lyrics are: "Lift up your hands in the ho - ly place and bless the Lord." The word "bless" is underlined with a red line. A second staff begins with a measure rest marked with the number 4, followed by a whole note G4, a whole note F4, a whole note E4, a whole note D4, and a whole note C4.

R¹ Behold now! Bless the LORD, all you servants of the LORD,
you that stand by night in the house of the LORD.

² Lift up your hands in the ho-ly place
and bless the LORD.

³ The LORD who made heaven and earth
bless you out of Zion.

R

Silence

Versicle & Response

Guard Us, O Lord

Psalm 17:8

Musical notation for the Versicle & Response, featuring a treble clef and a 4/4 time signature. The notation is split into two parts: Cantor and People. The Cantor part is marked with "Cantor" and the People part with "People" and "PHL". The lyrics are: "Guard us O Lord, as the apple of your eye. Alleluia." The word "Alleluia" is underlined with a red line. A second staff begins with a measure rest marked with the number 5, followed by a whole note G4, a whole note F4, a whole note E4, a whole note D4, a whole note C4, a whole note B3, a whole note A3, and a whole note G3.

Canticle of Simeon

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English Language Liturgical Consultation

Cantor **PHL**

Congregation

Let your ser-vant go in peace. Now your word has been ful-filled. Let your ser-vant

Repeat Throughout with same chords.

Now
C

6

Lord _____ Now let your ser-vant go in peace. Your word has been ful-

6

F C Dm

go in peace. Now your word has been ful-filled. Let your ser-vant go in peace.

11

filled. _____ Mine own eyes have seen the sal - va-tion,

11

Now your word has been ful-filled. Let your ser-vant go in peace. Now your word has

Canticle of Simeon

16

which you have re-vealed in the sight of all peo-ple. A light to re

16

been ful-filled. Let your ser - vant go in peace. Now your word has been ful-filled.

21

veal you to the na-tions and the glo - ry of your peo - ple Is - ra - el. —

21

Let your ser - vant go in peace. Now your word has been ful-filled. Let your ser-vant

26

—

26

go in peace. Now your word has been ful - filled.

Collect ²

You, Lord, are “the Alpha and the Omega, the first and the last, the beginning and the end.” In you our lives have both beginning and ending, initiation and completion. You hem us in behind and before and lay your guiding hand upon us. In Advent we are even more aware of you as the God who is, who was, and who is to come.

Now at the close of the day we seek your blessing as we enter into the time for rest. As we relinquish consciousness in the gift of sleep we give into your care:

† all of our unfinished business,

† our unresolved concerns,

† our worries for those we love,

and we entrust them all to your care that we might rest well and come into deeper communion with you.

All this we pray that we might be restored in our hours of rest and made ready to rise up in vigil and praise on the morrow and live fully as disciples of our Lord, Jesus, in whose name we pray.

Amen.

² Revelation 22:13. Psalm 139:5. Revelation 1:4,8.

Hymn

Holy God, We Praise Your Name

Ignace Franz, ca.1774 tr. by Clarence A. Walworth, 1858 alt. PHL

Johann Gottfried Schicht 1819

Ho - ly God we praise your name;
 Ho the glad ce - lest - ial hymn
 Hark, a - post - les join the strain
 Ho - ly Fa - ther Ho - ly Son,

Lord of all we bow be - fore you;
 An - gel choirs a - bove are rais - ing;
 as your sa - cred name they hal - low;
 Ho - ly Spi - rit Three we name you;

All on earth your scep - ter claim,
 Che - ru - bim and se - ra - phim
 Pro - phets swell the glad re - frain,
 While in es - sence on - ly One

All in heav - en a - bove a - dore you.
 in un - ceas - ing chor - us prais - ing,
 and the bles - sed mar - trys fol - low;
 Un - di - vid - ed God we claim you,

In - fi - nite your vast do - main,
 fill the heav - ens with sweet ac - cord:
 And from morn - to set of sun,
 And a - dor - ing bend the knee,

E - ver - last - ing is your reign.
 "Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Ho - ly Lord!"
 through the church the song goes on.
 while we own the the - my - ster - y.

Final Blessing

Lord, save us!

Save us while we are awake.

Protect us while we are asleep,
that we may keep our watch with Christ,
and when we sleep, rest in peace.

**May the all-powerful Lord, grant us a restful night
and a peaceful death. Amen.**