

# Thy Song Be With Me

(Psalm 42:8)

Lyrics by James Drummond Burns (1823-1864)

Music by Andrew Moore

Thoughtfully ♩ = 84

1. In the night of my sol - i - tude kneel - ing a - lone,  
2. In the night of my sor - row when trou - bles and fears  
3. In the night of temp - ta - tion, when per - ils as - sail,  
4. In the night of my sick - ness when sleep - less I lie,

When— friends may for - sake me and com - forts have flown,  
Gath - er round, and I wa - ter my couch with my tears,  
And my strength in the strug - gle seems read - y to fail,  
And— rest - less and faint, for the dawn - ing I cry,

May I say, not a - lone, while I think up - on Thee,  
May I say, not de - spair - ing, while rest - ing on Thee,  
May I say, not a - fraid, while I look un - to Thee,  
May I say, not— cast down, while cling - ing to Thee,

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My Fa - ther, in se - cret Thy song be with me.  
My Fa - ther, in tri - al, Thy song be with me.  
My Fa - ther, in dan - ger, Thy song be with me.  
My Fa - ther, in suff'r - ing, Thy song be with me.

The image shows a musical score for a piano accompaniment. It consists of two staves: a treble clef staff on top and a bass clef staff on the bottom. The key signature is one flat (B-flat), and the time signature is 4/4. The melody is primarily in the treble staff, with chords in the bass staff. The lyrics are written below the treble staff, aligned with the notes. The lyrics are: 'My Fa - ther, in se - cret Thy song be with me.', 'My Fa - ther, in tri - al, Thy song be with me.', 'My Fa - ther, in dan - ger, Thy song be with me.', and 'My Fa - ther, in suff'r - ing, Thy song be with me.'

5. In the night of desertion when Thou seemest far,  
In the waste not a well, in the sky not a star,  
May I say, not forsaken, while waiting on Thee,  
My Father, in darkness, Thy song be with me.
  
6. In the last night of life when my journey shall end,  
And\_ in the dark valley the shadows descend,  
May I say, not dismayed, while I lean upon Thee,  
My Father, in death, may Thy song be with me.