

Request

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Largo, Cantabile

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a.

God of mer - cy, grant our prayer, Save our souls from sin;
Ho - ly Fa - ther, dear - est friend, Lead us through the night;

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From our ru - in and de - spair make us pure with - in.
Par - don all our way - ward sin, Bring us to your light!

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Lord, have mer - cy on us!

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Lord, have mer - cy on us!

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In your hea - ven - ly king - dom, Lord, have mer - cy on us!

rit.

Detailed description: This is a musical score for a vocal soloist (soprano or alto) in 4/4 time, key of B-flat major. The tempo and mood are 'Largo, Cantabile'. The score consists of five staves of music. The first staff begins with a treble clef, a key signature of one flat (B-flat), and a 4/4 time signature. The melody is written on a single staff. The lyrics are: 'God of mer - cy, grant our prayer, Save our souls from sin; Ho - ly Fa - ther, dear - est friend, Lead us through the night;'. The second staff continues the melody with lyrics: 'From our ru - in and de - spair make us pure with - in. Par - don all our way - ward sin, Bring us to your light!'. The third staff has lyrics: 'Lord, have mer - cy on us!'. The fourth staff has lyrics: 'Lord, have mer - cy on us!'. The fifth staff has lyrics: 'In your hea - ven - ly king - dom, Lord, have mer - cy on us!'. There are several musical markings: a 'rit.' (ritardando) above the final staff, and various phrasing slurs and accents throughout the piece. The score ends with a double bar line and repeat dots.