

When I come to face their hatred,
When I come to face their fear,
Let me strive for Love and Kindness,
For I know my Lord and God is near,

**Let me be with my Lord,
Let me be with my Lord,
Let me be with my Lord,
Oh, Lord, let me be with my Lord.**

When I come to see their suffering,
(Come and see, Lord...)
When I come to see their pain,
(Come and see, Lord...)
Let me strive for True Compassion,
(Come and heal, Lord...)
For I know that we are all the same,

**Let me live with my Lord,
Let me live with my Lord,
Let me live with my Lord,
Oh, Lord, let me live with my Lord.**

When I come to feel their bigotry,
Their oppression, cruelty, and wrong,
Let me strive for Truth and Justice,
For I know my Lord will make me strong!

**Let me walk with my Lord,
Let me walk with my Lord,
Let me walk with my Lord,
Oh, Lord, let me walk with my Lord!**

But if I come to face my murder,
If I come to face that gun,
Let me strive for True Forgiveness,
For in that moment, my Lord and I are One,

**Then I shall die with my Lord,
I shall die with my Lord,
I shall die with my Lord,
Oh, Lord, I shall die with my Lord.**

**I shall die with my Lord,
I shall walk with my Lord,
I shall live with my Lord,
I shall live with my Lord!**

And when I come to face my anger,
My grief, my outrage, and my fear,
Let me grow in Love and Understanding,
For I know my Lord is always here, right here!

**Then I shall rise with my Lord,
I shall rise with my Lord,
I shall rise with my Lord,
Oh, Lord, I shall rise with my Lord!**

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Let Me Be With My Lord

Score

A Hymn of Healing

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Like a Spiritual $\text{♩} = 74$

Piano

f

Pno.

6

8va

RH

14

S

A

T

B

mf When I come _____ to face their ha - tred, _____ When I

mf When I come _____ to face their ha - tred, _____ When I

mf When I come _____ to face their ha - tred, _____ When I

mf When I come _____ to face their ha - tred, _____ When I

14

Pno.

RH

mf

For Mother Emmanuel AME,
The Nine and their families,
and the struggle for all human rights;
Patience, Tolerance, Kindness,
Compassion, Forgiveness

22

S come _____ to face their fear, _____ Let me strive _____ for Love and Kind - ness, _____

A come _____ to face their fear, _____ Let me strive _____ for Love and Kind - ness, _____

T 8 come _____ to face their fear, _____ Let me strive _____ for Love and Kind - ness, _____

B come _____ to face their fear, _____ Let me strive _____ for Love and Kind - ness, _____

Pno.

29

S — For I know my Lord and God is near; _____ *f* Let me Be _____ with my

A — For I know my Lord and God is near; _____ *f* Let me Be _____ with my

T 8 — For I know my Lord and God is near; _____ *f* Let me Be, let me be, _____

B — For I know my Lord and God is near; _____ *f* Let me Be, let me be, _____

Pno.

36

S Lord, _____ Let me Be _____ with my Lord, _____ Let me Be _____

A Lord, _____ Let me Be _____ with my Lord, _____ Let me Be _____

T 8 Lord, with my Lord, Lord, let me Be, Lord, with my Lord, Lord, let me

B Lord, with my Lord, Lord, let me Be, _____ Lord, with my Lord, Oh, Lord, let me

36

Pno.

43

S _____ with my Lord, _____ Oh, Lord, _____ let me Be. _____

A _____ with my Lord, _____ Oh, Lord, _____ let me Be. _____

T 8 Be, _____ Lord, with my Lord, Oh Lord, let me Be with my Lord. *mp* When I

B Be, Lord, with my Lord, Oh, Lord, let me Be with my Lord. *mp* When I

43

Pno. *mp*

mp

50

S *pp* Come and see, Lord! See their suff' - ring! Come and see, Lord! See their

A come _____ to see their suff' - ring, _____ When I come _____ to see their pain, _____

T 8 come _____ to see their suff' - ring, _____ When I come _____ to see their pain, _____

B 8 come _____ to see their suff' - ring, _____ When I come _____ to see their pain, _____

57

S pain! _____ Come and heal, Lord! with Your Com - pas - sion! I know that

A — Let me strive _____ for True Com - pas - sion, _____ For I know that

T 8 — Let me strive _____ for True Com - pas - sion, _____ For I know that

B — Let me strive _____ for True Com - pas - sion, _____ For I know that

63

S we are all the same: *mf* Let me Live _____ with my Lord, _____ Let me

A we are all the same; *mf* Let me Live _____ with my Lord, _____ Let me

T 8 we are all the same; *mf* Let me Live, let me live, _____ Lord, with my Lord,

B we are all the same; *mf* Let me Live, let me live, _____ Lord, with my Lord,

70

S Live with my Lord, Let me Live.

A Live with my Lord, Let me Live.

T Lord, let me Live, Lord, with my Lord, Lord, let me

B Lord, let me Live, Lord, with my Lord, Oh, Lord, let me

75

S with my Lord, Oh, Lord, let me Live.

A with my Lord, Oh, Lord, let me Live.

T Live, Lord, with my Lord, Oh, Lord, let me Live with my

B Live, Lord, with my Lord, Oh, Lord, let me Live with my

81

S *f* When I come to feel their bi-go-try, *mf* Their op - pres - sion,

A *f* When I come to feel their bi-go-try, *mf* Their op - pres - sion,

T Lord. *f* When I come to feel their bi-go-try, *mf* Their op - pres - sion,

B Lord. *f* When I come to feel their bi-go-try, *mf* Their op - pres - sion,

81

Pno. *f* *mf*

87

S wrong, hate and wrong!

A cru - el - ty and wrong, *ff* Let me strive for Truth and *mf*

T cru - el - ty and wrong, *ff* Let me strive for Truth and *mf*

B cru - el - ty and wrong, *ff* Let me strive for Truth and *mf*

Pno. *ff* *mf*

92

S Jus - tice, For I know, I know, my Lord will make me strong! *ff* Let me *subito p*

A Jus - tice, For I know my Lord will make me strong! *ff* Let me *subito p*

T Jus - tice, For I know, I know, my Lord will make me strong! *ff* Let me *subito p*

B Jus - tice, For I know my Lord will make me strong! *ff* Let me *subito p*

Pno. *ff* *subito p*

98

S Walk _____ with my Lord, _____ *mf* Let me Walk _____

A Walk _____ with my Lord, _____ *mf* Let me Walk _____

T 8 Walk, oh let me walk, _____ Lord, yes, with my Lord, Oh, let me Walk, yes let me *mf*

B Walk, oh, let me walk with my Lord, yes, with my Lord, Oh let me Walk, yes, let me *mf*

Pno. 98

103

S _____ with my Lord, _____ *f* Let me Walk _____ with my

A _____ with my Lord, _____ *f* Let me Walk _____ with my

T 8 walk, Walk with my Lord, Oh let me Walk, yes, let me walk, _____ *f*

B walk, _____ Walk with my Lord, Oh let me Walk, yes, let me walk with my *f*

Pno. 103

108

S Lord, _____ Oh, Lord, _____ let me Walk! _____

A Lord, _____ Oh, Lord, _____ let me Walk! _____

T Lord, with _____ my _____ Lord, Oh, Lord, let me Walk with my Lord!

B Lord, with _____ my _____ Lord. Oh, Lord, let me Walk with my Lord!

Pno. *p*

115 **Lento and hushed** ♩ = 44 *p*

Descant Solo or Duet *mf* But if I come _____ to face my

115

S Come... mm... mm... Oh, Lord, come... mm...

A *pp* Come... mm... mm... Oh, Lord, come... mm... mm...

T *pp* Come... mm... mm... Oh, Lord, come... mm... mm...

B *pp* Come... mm... mm... mm... mm...

Pno. **Lento and hushed** ♩ = 44 *p* Solo or Duet *mf* But if I come _____ to face my

121

Descant

mur - der, ____ If ____ I ____ come ____ to face ____ that ____

S

Come, my Lord, come! mm... Come, oh, Lord, come! mm... *p*

A

Come, my Lord, come! mm... Come, oh, Lord, come! mm... *p*

T

8 Come... mm... oh, come! mm... Oh, *p*

B

8 Come... mm... Oh, come! mm... Oh, *p*

Pno.

mur - der, ____ If ____ I ____ come ____ to face ____ that ____

125

Descant

Gun, *f* Oh, let me strive, ____ for True For-

S

mm... My Lord, come! mm... Come, My Lord, come... mm... *mp*

A

mm... My Lord, come! mm... Come, My Lord, come... mm... mm... *mp*

T

8 come... mm... Oh, Lord, come! My Lord, come... mm... mm... *mp*

B

come... mm... Oh, Lord, come! mm... mm... mm... *mp*

Pno.

Gun, *f* Oh, let me strive, ____ for True For-

129

Descant

give - ness, — Oh, Lord, — For in that mo-ment, my Lord and I are

S

mm...

For in that mo-ment, my Lord and I are

A

mm...

For in that mo-ment, my Lord and I are

T

mm...

For in that mo-ment, my Lord and I are

B

mm...

For in that mo-ment, my Lord and I are

Pno.

give - ness, — Oh, Lord, — For in that mo-ment, my Lord and I are

133

Descant

One; — ***f*** Then I shall die — with my Lord!

piu mosso $\text{♩} = 58$

S

One; ***p*** Then I shall Die, I shall die, — Lord, with my

A

One; ***p*** Then I shall Die — with my Lord,

T

One; ***p*** Then I shall Die, I shall die, — Lord, with my

B

One; ***p*** Then I shall Die — with my Lord,

f Then I shall die — with my Lord!

piu mosso $\text{♩} = 58$

Pno.

One; ***f*** Then I shall die — with my Lord!

138

Descant

I shall die with my Lord! Yes, I shall

S

Lord, *mp* Die, I shall die, Lord, with my Lord,

A

mp I shall Die with my Lord, *mf* I shall

T

8 Lord, *mp* Die, I shall die, Lord, with my Lord,

B

mp I shall Die with my Lord, *mf* I shall

Pno.

I shall die with my Lord! Yes, I shall

143

Descant

die with my Lord!

S

mf Yes, I shall Die, Lord, with my Lord, *p* Oh,

A

Die with my Lord, *p* Oh,

T

8 *mf* Yes, I shall Die, Lord, with my Lord,

B

Die with my Lord,

Pno.

die with my Lord!

148

Descant

Yes. my Lord:_____ I shall die with my Lord!_____

148

S Lord,_____ I shall Die. *pp* un poco piu $\text{♩} = 64$

A Lord,_____ I shall Die. *pp*

T *p* Oh, Lord,_____ with my Lord. *pp*

B *p* Oh, Lord,_____ with my Lord. *pp* un poco piu $\text{♩} = 64$

Pno.

Yes, my Lord!_____ I shall dies with my Lord!_____

153

S I shall die,_____ *mp* with my Lord, I shall

A *p* I shall die,_____ *mp* with my Lord,

T *p* With my Lord, *mp* I shall die,_____

B *p* With my Lord,

153

Pno.

p *mp*

160

S walk, _____ with my Lord, *mf* with my Lord,

A _____ with my Lord, *mf* with my Lord,

T 8 with my Lord, I shall walk, _____ *f* I shall

B with my Lord, *f* I shall live, _____ I shall

Pno. 160 *mf*

mf

166 *accel.*

S with my Lord, *f* I shall live, I shall

A with my Lord, *f* I shall live, I shall

T 8 live, _____ *f* I shall live, _____ with my Lord, _____

B live, _____ *f* I shall live, _____ with my Lord, _____

Pno. 166 *accel.* *f*

171 **Tempo Primo** $\text{♩} = 74$ *mf*

Descant

When I face

S live with my Lord! *ff* And when I come to face my

A live with my Lord! *ff* And when I come to face my

T with my Lord! *ff* And when I come to face my

B with my Lord! *ff* And when I come to face my

Tempo Primo $\text{♩} = 74$ *mf*

Pno.

177 *fff* *mf*

Descant

an - ger, my grief, my out-rage and my fear, and my fear, *mp* Let me

S an - ger, my grief, my out-rage and my fear, Let me grow in

A an - ger, my grief, my out-rage and my fear, *mp* Let me grow in

T an - ger, my grief, my out-rage and my fear, *mp* Let me grow in

B an - ger, my grief, my out-rage and my fear, *mp* Let me grow in

Pno. *f* *mp*

184

Descant

grow stand - ing, For I know my Lord is al - ways here!_____

S

Love and Un - der - stand - ing, For I know my Lord is al - ways here!_____

A

Love and Un - der - stand - ing, For I know my Lord is al - ways here, right

T

8 Love and Un - der - stand - ing, For I know my Lord is al - ways here, right

B

Love and Un - der - stand - ing, For I know my Lord is al - ways here, right

Pno.

190

Descant

f Then I shall Rise with my Lord,_____

S

Then I shall Rise with my Lord, I shall

A

f here! Then I shall Rise with my Lord, I shall

T

8 *f* here! Then I shall Rise, I shall rise, Lord, with my Lord,

B

f here! Then I shall Rise, yes, I shall rise with my Lord, oh, with my Lord! Yes, I shall

Pno.

190

f

195

Descant

Rise _____ with my Lord, _____ I shall Rise _____ with my

S

Rise _____ with my Lord, _____ I shall Rise _____ with my

A

Rise _____ with my Lord, _____ I shall Rise _____ with my

T

8 Rise, I shall rise, Rise with my Lord, Rise, I shall rise!

B

Rise, oh, I shall Rise! Rise with my Lord! Yes, I shall Rise, oh, I shall rise with my

Pno.

201

Descant

Lord, _____ Oh, Lord, _____ I shall Rise! _____ *ff* Yes, I shall Rise, I shall

S

Lord, _____ Oh, Lord, _____ I shall Rise! _____ *ff* Yes, I shall Rise _____

A

Lord, _____ Oh, Lord, _____ I shall Rise! _____ *ff* Yes, I shall Rise _____

T

8 Lord, I shall Rise! Oh, Lord, Yes, Lord, oh, Lord I shall Rise! Yes, I shall Rise, I shall

B

Lord, I shall Rise! Oh, Lord, Yes, Lord, oh, Lord, I shall Rise! Yes, I shall Rise, I shall

Pno.

208

Descant

rise, _____ My Lord! _____ Rise, I shall Rise with my

208

S

with my Lord, _____ I shall Rise _____ with my

A

with my Lord, _____ I shall Rise _____ with my

T

8 Rise! _____ Lord, _____ with my Lord, Oh, I shall Rise, I shall Rise!

B

Rise! _____ Lord, _____ with my Lord, Oh, I shall Rise, I shall Rise! _____

208

Pno.

213

Descant

Lord, with my Lord! _____ I shall Rise, _____ Lord, with my Lord! _____

213

S

Lord _____ Yes, I shall Rise _____ with my Lord, _____

A

Lord! _____ Yes, I shall Rise _____ with my Lord, _____

T

8 Lord, with my Lord, Yes, I shall Rise, I shall Rise! _____ Rise with my Lord! _____

B

Lord, with my Lord, Yes, I shall Rise, I shall Rise! _____ Rise with my Lord! _____

213

Pno.

220

Descant

Oh, Lord!

Grand Adagio ♩ = 40

220

S

Oh, Lord!

A

Oh, Lord!

T

Oh, Lord!

B

Oh, Lord!

I shall

Rise! *fp*

Rise! *fp*

Grand Adagio ♩ = 40

Pno.

RH

LH

226

Descant

ff Lord! *fff*

226

S

fff

A

Lord! *fff*

T

Rise with my Lord! *fff*

B

Rise with my Lord! *fff*

Pno.

ff

ff