

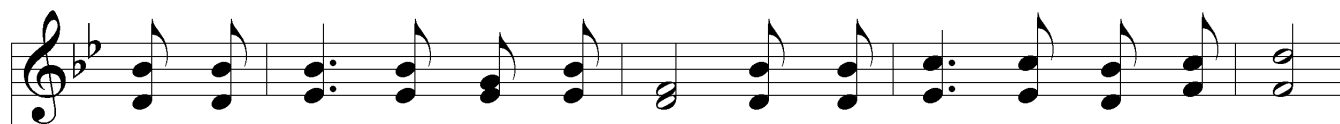
As The Growing Of The Corn



1. 'Tis not great e - vents that make Men and na - tions what they be;
2. No - ble thoughts and ac - tions spring From the self - same hid - den source
3. Broth - er, sis - ter, oh, take heed, In your heart there is a germ



Lit - tle riv - ers form the lake, Lakes and riv - ers form the sea,
That doth en - vious ha - tred bring, Giv - ing bru - tal pas - sion force.
Like the grain of mus - tard seed, Grow - ing strong - er, grow - ing firm;



God hath made the hu - man heart So that out of it must flow
Not to - day, but af - ter years, Pa - tient wait - ing, night and morn,
And the fruit must soon ap - pear, Wheth - er wheat or ug - ly thorn;



That which makes of life a part What of grief or joy we know.
Warmed with smiles and wet with tears, As the grow - ing of the corn.
First the blade and then the ear, By and by the full ripe corn.



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Chorus

First the blade and then the ear, So the spir - it - life is born,
Si - lent - ly it doth ap - pear, As the grow - ing of the corn.

The musical score is written for voice and piano. It consists of two systems of music. Each system has a vocal line (treble clef) and a piano accompaniment line (bass clef). The key signature is one flat (B-flat major or D minor), and the time signature is 4/4. The lyrics are: "First the blade and then the ear, So the spir - it - life is born, Si - lent - ly it doth ap - pear, As the grow - ing of the corn." The piano accompaniment features a steady bass line with chords that support the vocal melody.