

# MY GOD, MY FATHER, THOUGH I STRAY

The musical score is written in 4/4 time with a key signature of two sharps (D major). It consists of four systems of music. Each system has a vocal line (treble clef) and a piano accompaniment line (bass clef). The lyrics are printed between the vocal and piano lines. The first system contains the first four lines of the lyrics. The second system contains the final three lines of the lyrics, including the phrase 'A - men.' The piano accompaniment features a steady bass line with chords and some melodic movement in the right hand.

1. My God, my Fa - ther, tho I stray Far from my home, on life's rough way,  
2. Tho dark my path, and sad my lot, Let me be still and mur - mur not,  
3. Re - new my will from day to day; Blend it with Thine, and take a - way  
4. Then, when on earth I breathe no more The prayer oft mixed with tears be - fore,

O teach me from my heart to say, "Thy will be done!"  
Or breathe the prayer di - vine - ly taught, "Thy will be done!"  
All that now makes it hard to say, "Thy will be done!"  
I'll sing up - on a hap - pier shore, "Thy will be done!" A - men.