

Bless This House

Arranged for Male Voice Chorus
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PIANO

Andante moderato

TENORS I

Reverently

Key E♭

Bless this house, O Lord we pray, Make it safe by night and day;

TENORS II

Bless this house, O Lord we pray, Make it safe by night and day;

BARITONES

Bless this house, O Lord we pray, Make it safe by night and day;

BASSES

Bless this house, O Lord we pray, Make it safe by night and day;

pp (MELODY)

Rehearsal only

pp a tempo

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||s :d' |t :-t | i :r' |r' :de' |r' :t |d' :ta | i :i |l :s |
mf
 Bless these walls, so firm and stout, — Keep-ing want and trou-ble out; —
 ||m :s |s :-s | i :t |ta :- | i :r | i :m |d :f |f :m |
 Bless these walls, so firm and stout, — Keep-ing want and trou-ble out; —
 ||d :m |s :-s | i :-. |s :- |f :s |m :d |r :t, |d :— |
mf
 Bless these walls, so firm and stout, — Keep-ing want and trou-ble out;
 ||d :d |m :-m |f :f |m :- |r :s, |i. :s, |f, :s, |d, :— |
 Bless these walls, so firm and stout, — Keep-ing want and trou-ble out;

(MELODY)
mf
 ||d' :-d' |t :s | i :i |s :- | i :-. |t |d' :m' |r' :d' |r' :— |
 Bless the roof, and chim-neys tall, Let Thy peace lie o - ver all;
 ||i :-. |s :m |f :f |f :— | i :-. |s :d' |t :i |d' :t |
 (MELODY) *p* (MELODY) *rit.*
 Bless the roof, and chim-neys tall, Let Thy peace lie o - ver all;
 || : | :m |r :d |t, :— | d :—. |r |d :i |fe :fe |f :— |
p
 and chim-neys tall, Let Thy peace lie o - ver all;
 || : | : | : | : |f, :—. |m, :i, |r :r |s, :— |
p *rit.*
 Let Thy peace lie o - ver all;

rit.

(MELODY)

a tempo

that it may prove Ev-er o - pen, to joy and love.

a tempo

that it may prove Ev-er o - pen, to joy.... and love.

a tempo

Bless this door, that it may prove Ev-er o - pen, to joy and love.

a tempo

(MELODY)

Bless this door, that it may prove Ev-er o - pen, to joy.... and love.

a tempo

G 4

mf (MELODY)

Bless these windows shining bright,

mf

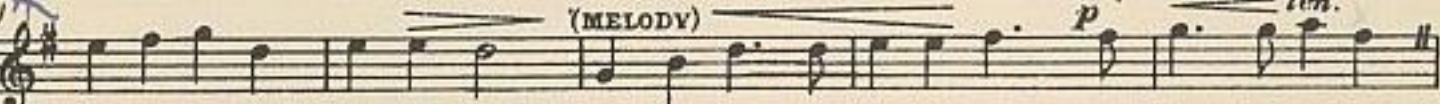
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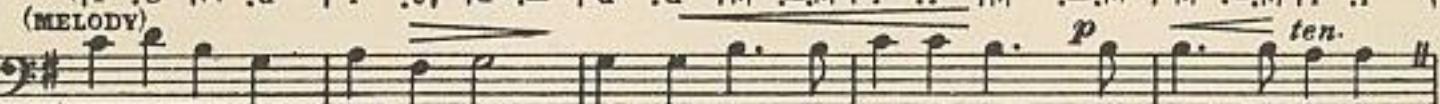
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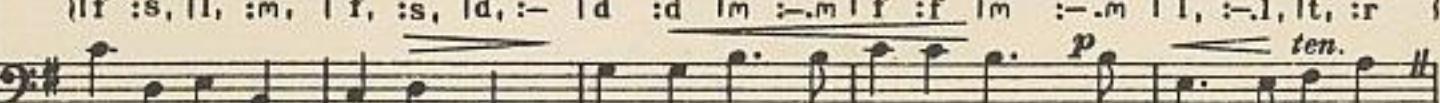
rit.

mf a tempo

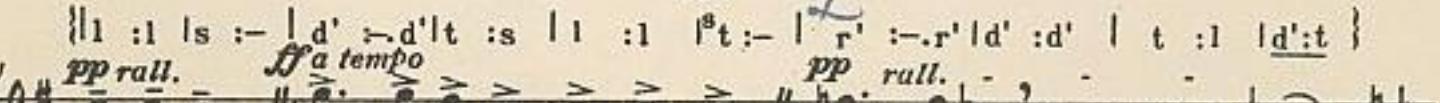
||1 :t |d' :s |1 :1 |s :- |d :m |s :-r |1 :1 |lt :-t |d' :-d|r' :t | ten.
 (MELODY) 

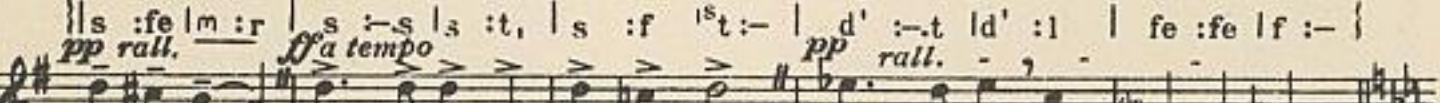
 Let-ting in God's heav'nly light; Bless the hearth a-blaz-ing there, With smoke as-cending,
 ||1 :f |1 :s |d :f |f :m |d :m |s :-s |1 :1 |se :-se |1 :-1 |s :s | ten.

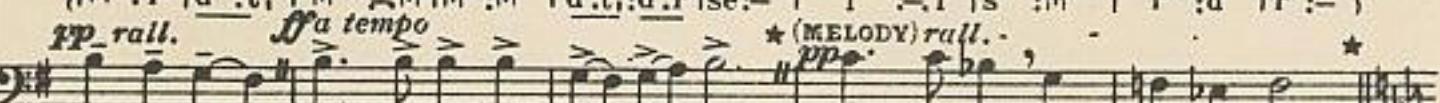

 Let-ting in God's heav'nly light; Bless the hearth a-blaz-ing there, With smoke as-cending,
 ||f :s |m :d |r :t, |d :- |d :d |m :-m |f :f |m :-m |m :-m |r :r | ten.
 (MELODY) 

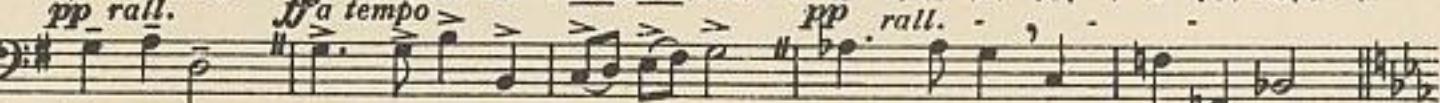
 Let-ting in God's heav'nly light; Bless the hearth a-blaz-ing there, With smoke as-cending,
 ||f :s, |1, :m, |f, :s, |d, :- |d :d |m :-m |f :f |m :-m |1, :-1, |lt, :r | ten.


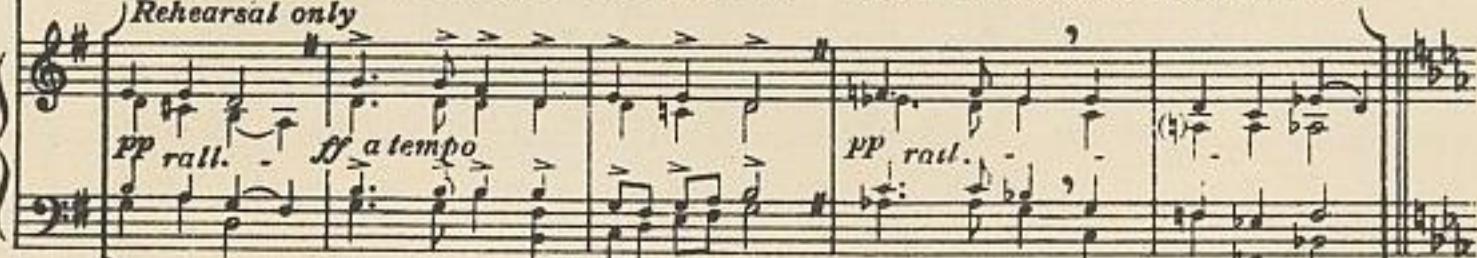
 Let-ting in God's heav'nly light; Bless the hearth a-blaz-ing there, With smoke as-cending,


 4 Eb
 ||1 :1 |s :- |d' :-d|lt :s |1 :1 |^{ff}a tempo |r' :-r'|d' :d' | t :1 |d':t |
 pp rall. 

 like a prayer; Bless the people here with-in, Keep them pure, and free from sin;
 ||s :fe|m :r |s :-s |s :t, |s :f |^{ff}a tempo |t:- |d' :-t |d' :1 | fe :fe |f :- |
 pp rall. 

 like a prayer; Bless the people here with-in, Keep them pure, and free from sin;
 ||m :r |d :t, |m :-m |m :m |d.t,:d.r|se:- | 1 :-1 |s :m | r :d |r :- |
 pp rall. 

 like a prayer; Bless the people here with-in, Keep them pure, and free from sin;
 ||d :r |s, :- |d :-d |m :m |f, .s, :l, t, |d:m:- | f :-f |m :1, | r :r, |s, :- |
 pp rall. 

 like a prayer; Bless the people here with-in, Keep them pure, and free from sin;
Rehearsal only


*It is important that the melody should predominate in these two bars. ****

||d' :- | - :d' | d' :ra' | d' :- | *r' :- | - :r' | r' :ma' | r' :- |*
a tempo *rall.*

Bless that we may be Fit, to dwell with Thee,
 ||ta :- | - :ta | l :ta | d' :- | d' :- | - :d' | t :d' | s :- | *rall.*

Bless that we may be Fit, to dwell with Thee,
 ||m :f ls :m | f :f lf :- | r :m fe :r | s :l it :- | *rall.*

a tempo (MELODY) *rall.*

Bless us all, that we may be Fit, O Lord, to dwell with Thee,
 ||d :r im :d | f :s ll :- | fe :s ll :fe | s :fe lf :- | *rall.*

(MELODY) *rall.*

Bless us all, that we may be Fit, O Lord, to dwell with Thee,

a tempo *rall.*

||m :m|r' :t | d' :d' | d' :t.d' | f' :-m|r' :d' | d' :- | - :- | : | : ||

Allargando

Bless us all that we one day, May dwell, O Lord, with Thee.
 ||t :-t ll :se | l :ta ll :t.d' | d' :-d' | d :f | s :- | - :- | : | : ||

Allargando

Bless us all that we one day, May dwell, O Lord, with Thee.
 ||se :-self :m | m :m | f :t.d | l :-lats f | m:- | - :- | : | : ||

Allargando

Bless us all that we one day, May dwell, O Lord, with Thee.
 ||m :-m, :m | l :s, lf, :t.d | r :-r | s, :s, | d :- | - :- | : | : ||

Allargando

Bless us all that we one day, May dwell, O Lord, with Thee.