I Will Bless The Lord

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With Energy ♩ = 95

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INSTRUMENTAL INTRO

Leader & Choir exaltation

(Begins with 4 bar rhythm section improv.)

VERSE

Lead ad lib.

(Choir in unison) **Mag - ni - fy   the Lord___**
For   the   Lord   our God___

CHORUS

Lead ad. lib. cont.

Bless the Lord ___ at all ___ times, _____

I will bless the Lord,

A♭m   G♭/B♭   D° E♭m   A♭m G♭/B♭   D° E♭m

CHORUS II

Lead ad. lib. cont.

Bless the Lord ___ at all ___ times, _____

Bless the Lord ___ oh my soul and all ___

A♭m   G♭/B♭   D° E♭m   A♭m7   G♭/B♭

___ that's with - in me bless His name.

D°   E♭m   A♭m7 G♭/B♭   D°   E♭m

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Bless the Lord ___ oh my soul and all _____ that's with-in me bless His name.

A♭m7   G♭/B♭   D°   E♭m   A♭m G♭/B♭

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VAMP

repeat section as needed
lead should continue ad. lib. within the same rhythmic call/response structure

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Lead: Alright ya'll ready, here we go, listen... **When I'm   lost   and all a-lone,**

I   will   bless   the Lord,

E♭m   F°   G♭6   G°   A♭m9

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Feel-ing like my strength is gone, With no friends to call my own, And no

I will bless the Lord, I will bless the Lord,

Abm9   Abm9 Db/Eb Abm9

one to call on the phone, I will lift my hands, And

I will bless the Lord, I will bless the Lord,

Abm9   Ebm11

call His pre-cious name,　　　Cause He's al-ways been there,　　　And He

I will bless　the Lord,　　　I will bless　the Lord,

E♭m11　　　E♭m11

Use ending number1 for the choir and piano parts in all repeats of section　　　*Use ending number 2 to go to the end*

1.　　　2.

pro-mised He'd ne-ver change.

I will bless　the Lord,　　　I will bless　the Lord,

E♭m11　　　E♭m11　　　/B♭　　　/B

END

Lead ad. lib. cont.

He has done great things for me so I _____ will,

G♭/D♭   E♭m11   /B♭   /B

He has done great things for me so I _____ will,

G♭/D♭   E♭m11   /B♭   /B

Repeat section as needed
lead ad. lib. cont.

He has done great things for me,   He has done great things for me,

G♭/B♭   E♭m11   /B♭   /B

52 *Lead ad. lib. cont.*

He has done great things for me so I____ will bless the____ Lord,_____

G♭/D♭   E♭m11 D♭m9 G♭13 B M7

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____ Bless the ____ Lord! ____

B /E♭   D♭/F   G♭   G♭2