

For Ken Mervine and St. Anne's Church, Raritan, New Jersey.

SHEPHERD ME, O GOD

Psalm 23, adapt. by M.H.

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Gentle and tranquil ♩ = 54–58

Introduction

Capo 1: (Em) (C) (G) (D) (Bm⁷) (C)
Fm Db Ab Eb Cm⁷ Db

*N.B.

mp

(Am⁷) (Bm⁷) (Em) (Am) (Em⁷) (A/E)
Bbm⁷ Cm⁷ Fm Bbm/F Fm⁷ Bb/F

*N.B.—If the woodwind or string arrangement is used, the piano should enter at measure 5.

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Refrain (1st time unison; may be intoned by cantor)*S, A unis.**mp*

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Shep-herd me, O God, be-yond my wants, be-yond my fears, from

T, B unis. mp

Shep-herd me, be-yond my wants, be-yond my fears, from

(Em)
Fm(C)
D \flat (G)
A \flat (D)
E \flat (Bm 7)
Cm 7 (C)
D \flat

10

death in - to life.

death to life.

(Am 7)
B \flat m 7 (Bm 7)
Cm 7 (Em)
Fm(Am/E)
B \flat m/F(Em 7)
Fm 7 (A/E)
B \flat /F

Verses 1-3

13 *Cantor or Choir*

1. God is my shep-herd, so noth-ing shall I want, I
 2. Gent-ly you raise me and heal my wea-ry soul, you
 3. Though I should wan-der the val-ley of death, I

(Em) (Am/E) (Em⁷) (A/E)
 Fm Bbm/F Fm⁷ Bb/F

15

rest in the mead-ows of faith-ful-ness and love, I walk by the
 lead me by path-ways of right-eous-ness and truth, my spir-it shall
 fear no e-vil, for you are at my side, your rod and your

(Em) (Am/E) (Em⁷) (A/E) (Am⁷)
 Fm Bbm/F Fm⁷ Bb/F Bbm⁷

18

qui-et wa-ters of peace. _____
 sing the mu-sic of your name. _____
 staff, my com-fort and my hope. _____ (To Refrain II)

(Bm⁷) (Am/C) (D) (Em) (Am/E) (Em⁷) (A/E)
 Gm⁷ Bbm/Db Eb Fm Bbm/F Fm⁷ Bb/F