

The day Thou gavest, Lord is ended

Vorspiel: ganzes Lied

Strophen 1-2+4: *mf*

(optionaler
Zwischen-
takt)

D G D Em Hm C G C D G D Em Hm C G C/D D G Em7/D D

- Melodie: > 1. The day Thou gavest, Lord, is ended. The darkness falls at Thy behest. To Thee our morning hymns ascended, Thy praise shall sanctify our rest.
> 2. We thank Thee that Thy church, un-sleeping while earth rolls onward into light, through all the world her watch is keeping and rests not now by day or night.
> 3. As o'ver each continent and island the dawn leads on another day, the voice of prayer is never silent, nor dies the strain of praise a way.
> 4. The sun that bids us rest is waking our brethren 'neath the western sky, and hour by hour fresh lips are making Thy wondrous doings heard on high.
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Strophen 3+5 *mp* *mf* *f* (optionaler (rit.) Zwischen-takt)

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2. Ah - - - Uh - - - Through all world, watch sleep, rest not day or night.
- > 3. Ah - - - Uh - - - The voice prays e - ver, lies in praise on way.
4. Ah - - - Uh - - - And hour by hour Thy won - ders heard on high.
- > 5. Ah - - - Uh - - - Thy king stand, grows up, all life own Thy sway.

* Der Tenor kann die ersten 4 Takte den Bass mitsingen, wenn sich ein Alt2 erbarnt.