

For All Souls


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Burden



8 For all Chris-ten sou - lës pray we: re - qui-em ae - ter - nam do -
- - - na e - - is, Do - - - mi - - ne.

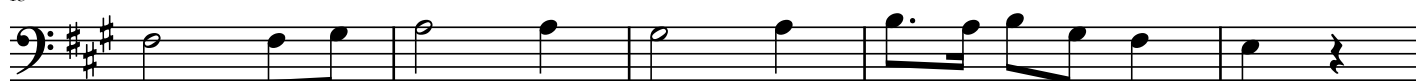
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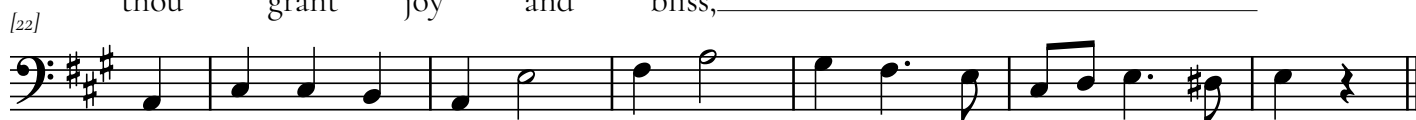
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1. O God, we pray to thee in spe - ci - al for all the
2. In espe - ci - al for the souls that han most need, a - bi - ding
3. Now God, in hea - ven that art so _____ high, these soul - ës

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souls that_ suf - fered pain in - fer - - - - nal;
in the_ pains of dark - - - - - kë - ness,
thou grant joy and bliss, _____



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now, Je - su, for thy mer - cy grant them life_ e - ter - nal,
which_ no_ suc - cour but alm - - - - - ës-deed:
for whom this_ day we sing _____ and cry:

Refrain



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et lux per - pe - tu - - - a, et lux per -
- pe - tu - - a, et_ lux per - pe - tu - - a lu - -
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- ce - at _____ e - - - - is.