

# Dirge to Our Martyred Dead

The first system of musical notation consists of two staves. The upper staff is in treble clef and the lower staff is in bass clef. The key signature has one flat (B-flat) and the time signature is 4/4. The music is primarily composed of chords and single notes, with some accidentals (sharps) appearing in the upper staff.

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The second system of musical notation consists of two staves. The upper staff is in treble clef and the lower staff is in bass clef. The key signature has one flat (B-flat) and the time signature is 4/4. The music continues with chords and single notes, ending with a double bar line.

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In the pres - ence of our dead, Stand we now with bleed - ing hearts.

The third system of musical notation consists of two staves. The upper staff is in treble clef and the lower staff is in bass clef. The key signature has one flat (B-flat) and the time signature is 4/4. The lyrics are written below the upper staff. The music continues with chords and single notes, ending with a double bar line.

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Low we kneel and bow the head, And a cry un - bid - den starts.

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Man - y are the com - rades brave In the broth - er - hood of toil;

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Fill - ing now a mar - tyr's grave, Add - ed to the foe - man's spoil.

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Ne'er they shrank from du - ty's call; Ne'er were deaf to hu - man need.

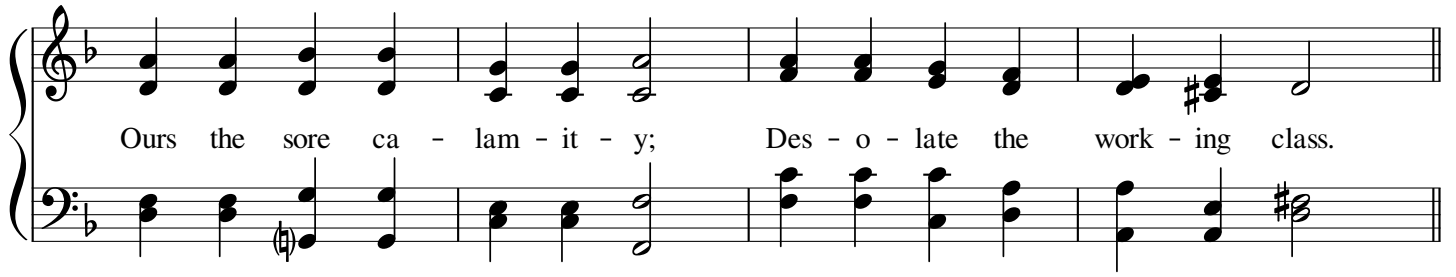
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Bribes nor ter - rors could en - thrall. War - ri-ors they of stal - wart breed.

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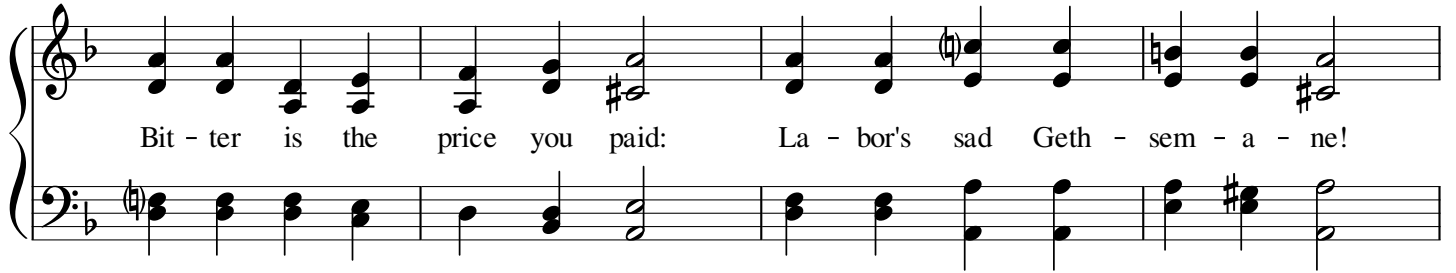
He - roes of hu - man - it - y, Green a - bove you be the grass.

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Ours the sore ca - lam - it - y; Des - o - late the work - ing class.

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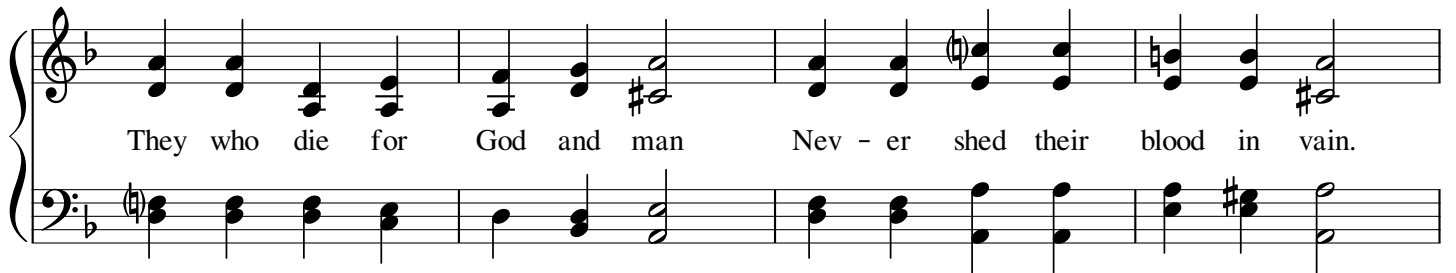
Bit - ter is the price you paid: La - bor's sad Geth - sem - a - ne!

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Blood-sweat 'neath the o - live's shade, Crown of thorns and Cal - va - ry.

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They who die for God and man Nev - er shed their blood in vain.

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Read-ers of High Hea ven's plan, Dy - ing they shall live a - gain.\_\_\_\_