

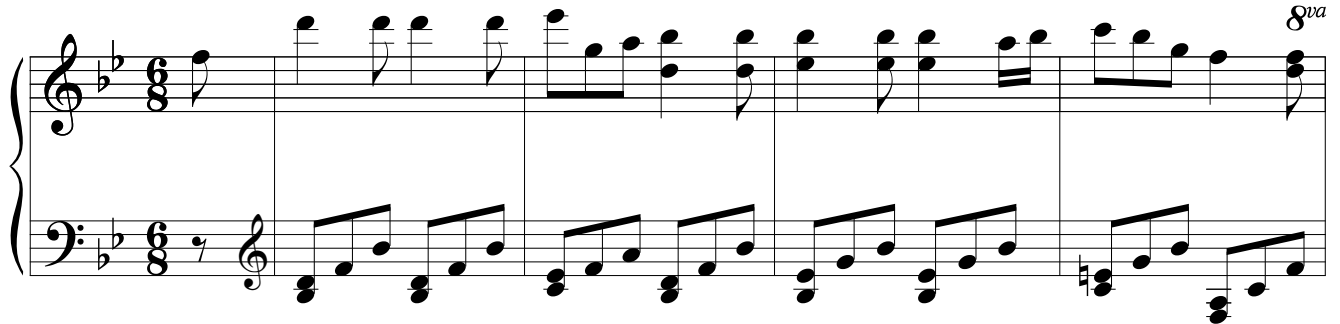
Resignation

Words by
Charles MacKay

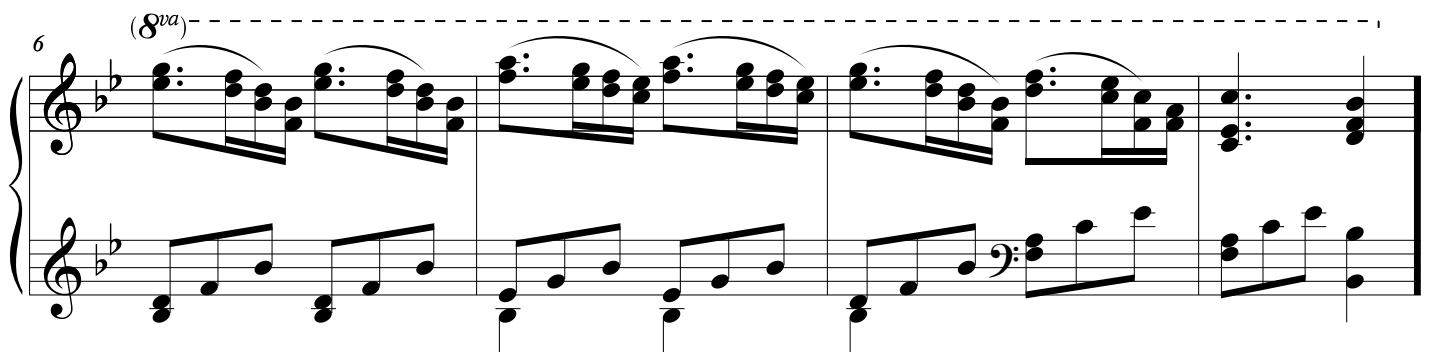
A Sacred Melody

Music by
Henry Russell

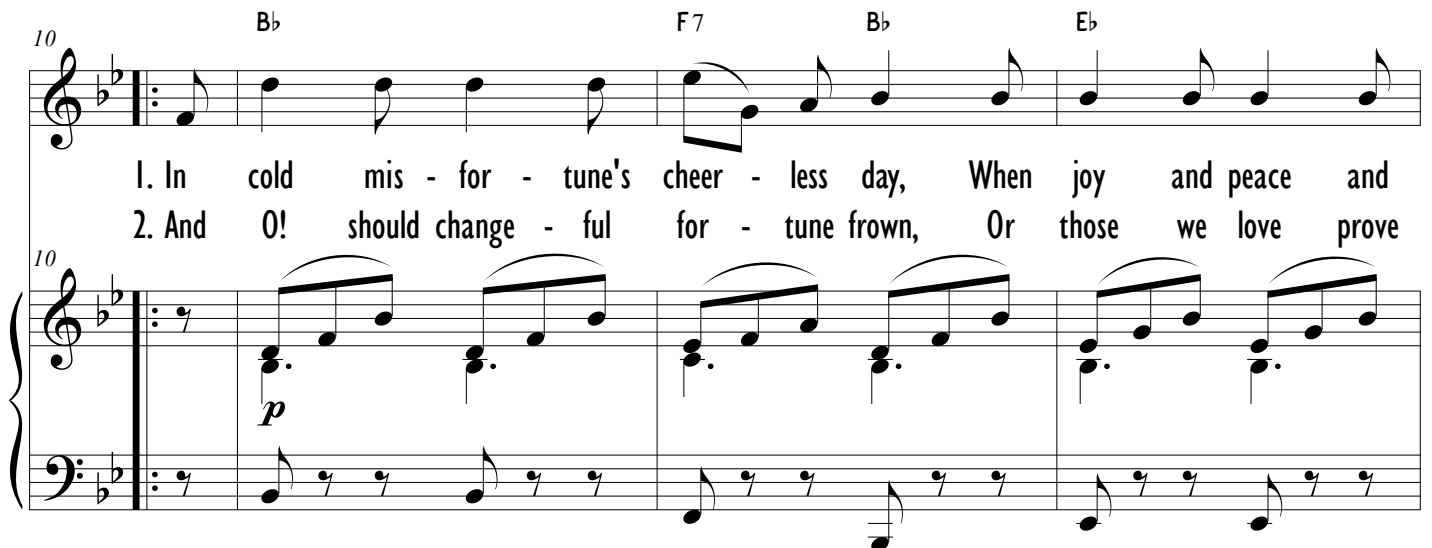
Moderato with feeling



Piano introduction in B-flat major, 3/4 time. The right hand features a melodic line with eighth notes and quarter notes, while the left hand provides a steady accompaniment of quarter notes. An *8va* marking is present at the end of the first line.



Second system of piano accompaniment, starting at measure 6. The right hand has a complex texture with chords and arpeggiated figures, marked *(8va)*. The left hand continues with a simple quarter-note accompaniment.



Vocal line and piano accompaniment starting at measure 10. The vocal line includes two verses of lyrics. The piano accompaniment features a melody in the right hand and a bass line in the left hand, with a *p* (piano) dynamic marking. Chord symbols $B\flat$, $F7$, $B\flat$, and $E\flat$ are indicated above the vocal line.

10 $B\flat$ $F7$ $B\flat$ $E\flat$

1. In cold mis - for - tune's cheer - less day, When joy and peace and
2. And O! should change - ful for - tune frown, Or those we love prove

14

C7 F7 B \flat F7 B \flat E \flat B \flat

love — de - part, When friends de - ceive and hopes de - cay, And sor - rows press — the
true — no more, Should Death's re - lent - less hand cut down Those who re - turned the

14

p *p*

18

C7 F B \flat E \flat /B \flat B \flat /F *ad lib.* F7 B \flat

heav - y heart, And sor - rows press the heav - y heart;
love — we bore, Those who — re - turned the love — we bore.

18

pp

21

F7 B \flat D G \flat m

Lord Thou canst a re - lief im - part, 'Tis Thou canst cheer the
Still let — us — wor - ship and a - dore And seek the peace we

21

24

D F7 B \flat F7 B \flat B \flat F B \flat 7 E \flat

wound - ed mind; 'Tis Thou canst heal af - flic - tion's smart. Teach us to pray and
yet ___ may find: Teach us, O Fa - ther, we ___ im - plore, To trust in Thee, and

24

p

28

B \flat /F F B \flat F B \flat 7 E \flat B \flat /F F7 B \flat

be ___ re - signed, Teach us to pray and be ___ re - signed.
be ___ re - signed! To trust in Thee, and be ___ re - signed! *8va* - -

28

p

31

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(8va)