

# Canticle Of The Sun

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INTRO: *Light and dancing* (♩. =60)

Piano

*f*

The piano introduction consists of two staves of music in G major, 4/4 time. The melody is written in the treble clef and features a series of eighth and sixteenth notes, creating a light and dancing feel. The bass line is in the bass clef, providing a steady accompaniment. Chord symbols G, Gsus4, G, and Gsus4 are placed above the first four measures of the music.

REFRAIN:

*f*

The heav - ens are tell - ing the glo - ry of God, \_\_\_\_\_ and

all cre - a - tion is shout - ing for joy, \_\_\_\_\_ Come, dance in the

for - est, come, play in the field, \_\_\_\_\_ and sing, \_\_\_\_\_ sing to the

The refrain section includes a vocal line and piano accompaniment. The vocal line is in the treble clef and contains the lyrics. The piano accompaniment is in the bass clef. Chord symbols are placed above the vocal line: G, C, D, G, Bb, F, Am7, D, G, C, D, Eb, Am7, and G/B. The piano accompaniment features a mix of chords and melodic lines, with some chords marked with a circled 'H'.

CANTICLE OF THE SUN, cont. (2)

C D7 G Gsus4 G to Verses

glo - ry of the Lord.

to Verses

Final

Am7 G/B C D *ff* Am7 G/B

Lord. Sing, sing to the

Final

*ff*

C D G Gsus4 G Gsus4 G *Fine*

glo - ry of the Lord!

*fff*

*Fine*

CANTICLE OF THE SUN, cont. (3)

VERSES:

G C G

*mf*

1. Sing to the sun, the bring - er of day. he car - ries the  
 2. Praise to the wind, that blows through the trees. the seas might - y  
 3. Praise to the rain, that wa - ters our fields. and bless - es our  
 4. Praise to the fire, who gives us his light. the warmth of the  
 5. Sing to the earth, who makes life to grow. the crea - tures you  
 6. Praise to our death, that makes our life real. the know - ledge of

D C G C

1. light of the Lord in his rays; the moon and the stars who  
 2. storms, the gen - tl - est breeze; they blow where they will, they  
 3. crops so all the earth yields; from death un - to life her  
 4. sun to bright - en our night; he danc - es with joy, his  
 5. made to let your life show; the flow - ers and trees that  
 6. loss that helps us to feel; the Gift of Your - self your

G D D7 D.S.

1. light up the way un - to your throne. \_\_\_\_\_  
 2. blow where they please, to please the Lord. \_\_\_\_\_  
 3. mys - t'ry con - cealed springs forth in joy. \_\_\_\_\_  
 4. spir - it so bright, he sings of you. \_\_\_\_\_  
 5. help us to know the Heart of Love. \_\_\_\_\_  
 6. Pres - ence re - vealed to bring us home. \_\_\_\_\_

D.S.