

Take Thou My Hand

SO NIMM DENN, 7, 4, 7, 4, D.

The musical score consists of four staves of music in common time, key signature of D minor (two flats). The top staff uses a soprano C-clef, the second staff an alto F-clef, the third staff a tenor G-clef, and the bottom staff a bass F-clef. The lyrics are integrated into the music, with each line of text corresponding to a specific staff and measure. The music features various note values including quarter notes, eighth notes, sixteenth notes, and rests. Measure numbers 1 through 16 are indicated above the staves.

1. Take Thou my hand and lead me Un - to the end;
2. Thou might - y God of ag - es, O be Thou near;
3. When eve - ning's shad - ows length - en, The night is come,

In life and death I need Thee, O bless - ed Friend;
When an - gry tem - pest rag - es I need not fear;
My faint - heart, Fa - ther, strength - en And bring me home.

I can - not live with - out Thee For one brief day;
Close by Thy side a - bid - ing I fear no foe,
Take Thou my hand and lead me Un - to the end,

Lord, be Thou ev - er near me, And lead the way.
While Thy strong hand is guid - ing Life hath no woe.
In life and death I need Thee, O bless - ed Friend! A - men.