

SERVICE OF THE LORD L. M.

"Singing with grace in your heart to the Lord." Col. 3:16

Key of F Major

E. J. King, 1844

1. { Fare - well, vain world, I'm go - ing home; I am bound to die in the ar - my; }
My Sav - ior smiles and bids me come I am bound to die in the ar - my. }

2. { Sweet an - gels beck - on me a - way, I am bound to die in the ar - my; }
To sing God's praise in end - less day, I am bound to die in the ar - my. }

The musical score consists of four staves. The first two staves correspond to the first verse, and the last two staves correspond to the second verse. Each staff contains a vocal line and a piano accompaniment line. The key signature is one flat (F major), and the time signature is 2/4. The music is written in a simple, hymn-like style with clear lyrics underneath.

Chorus

I am bound to live in the ser - vice of my Lord, I am bound to die in the ar - my.

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The chorus is presented in four staves, with two vocal lines and two piano accompaniment lines. The lyrics are repeated on the two vocal lines. The musical notation is consistent with the previous sections, featuring a vocal line and a piano accompaniment line on each staff.