

O Light of Gentile Nations

Winkworth / AURELIA

The musical score consists of four staves of music in common time (indicated by '4') and G major (indicated by a 'G' with a sharp sign). The first staff starts with a D note. The second staff starts with a G note. The third staff starts with an F#m chord. The fourth staff starts with a D note.

Chords:

- Staff 1: D, G, D, A, G, A, D
- Staff 2: D, G, D, A, G, A, D
- Staff 3: F#m, G, D, A
- Staff 4: D, G, D, Em, Bm, D, Em

Lyrics:

1. O Light of Gen - tile na - tions, O Sav - iour from a - bove,
2. Yes, Lord, your ser - vants meet you in ev' - ry ho - ly place
3. Let us, O Lord, be faith ful like Sim - eon to the end,

1. drawn by your Spir - it's lead - ing, we come with joy and love
2. where your true word has prom - ised that we should see your face.
3. so that his prayer ex - ult - ant may from our hearts as - cend:

1. to en - ter now your tem - ple and wait with watch - ful mind
2. And still to - day you grant us who gath - er round you here
3. "O Lord, now let your ser - vant de - part in peace, I pray,

1. as Sim - eon once had wait - ed his God and Lord to find.
2. in arms of faith to bear you as did that a - ged seer.
3. since I have seen my Sav - iour, and here be - held his day."

Inspiration: Luke 2: 22-40; "Herr Jesu, Licht der Heiden"; Johann Franck, 1618-1677.

Lyrics: 76.76 D; Catherine Winkworth, 1817-1878, in her "Chorale Book for England", 1863.

Music: AURELIA; Samuel S. Wesley, 1810-1876, in Charles Kemble and Wesley's "A Selection of Psalms and Hymns", 1864.