

God of Our Fathers, Know of Old

SAB and piano

Rudyard Kipling

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With dignity ♩ = 60

The musical score is arranged for Soprano, Alto, Baritone, and Piano. It is in the key of D major and 4/4 time. The tempo is marked 'With dignity' at 60 beats per minute. The score is divided into three systems. The first system (measures 1-6) features the Baritone and Piano parts. The Baritone part begins with a rest, followed by a melodic line starting on G4, moving to A4, B4, and C5. The Piano part provides accompaniment with chords and a bass line. The lyrics for the first system are: 'God of our fa - thers, known of old.' The second system (measures 7-11) continues the Baritone and Piano parts. The Baritone part has a 'cresc.' marking. The lyrics are: 'Lord of our far - flung bat - tle lines, Be - neath whose aw - ful hand we hold Do - min - ion o - ver'. The third system (measures 12-15) also continues the Baritone and Piano parts. The Baritone part has an 'mf' marking. The lyrics are: 'palm and pine: Lord God of Hosts, be with us yet. Lest we for - get, lest we for -'. The piano part includes various chordal textures and a steady bass line throughout.

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2
17 *dim.*

Bar

Pno

17 *get.*

dim. *mp*

22 *mp*

Sopo Alto

The tu-mult and the shout-ing dies; The cap-tains and the

Bar

Pno

27 *cresc.*

Sopo Alto

kings de - part. Still stands thine an - cient sac - ri - fice, An hum - ble and a con - trite heart.

Bar

Pno

cresc.

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32

Sopo Alto

Lord God of Hosts, be with us yet. Lest we for-get, lest we for - get.

Pno

37

Sopo Alto

Far-called, our na-vies melt a-way; On dune and head-land

Bar

Pno

f

42

Sopo Alto

sinks the fire. — Lo, all our pomp of yes - ter - day is — one with Nin - e -

Bar

Pno

cresc.

4
46

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p *mf*

Sopo Alto
vah and Tyre! — Oo — Lest we for - get, — lest

Bar
mf
Judge of the na - tions, spare us yet.

46

Pno

50

Sopo Alto
we for - get. — Lest we for - get, lest we for -

Bar
we for - get. — Lest we for - get, lest we for -

rit. *p* *rubato*

50

Pno

rit.

54

Sopo Alto
get.

Bar
get.

a tempo *rit.*

54

Pno

a tempo *rit.*