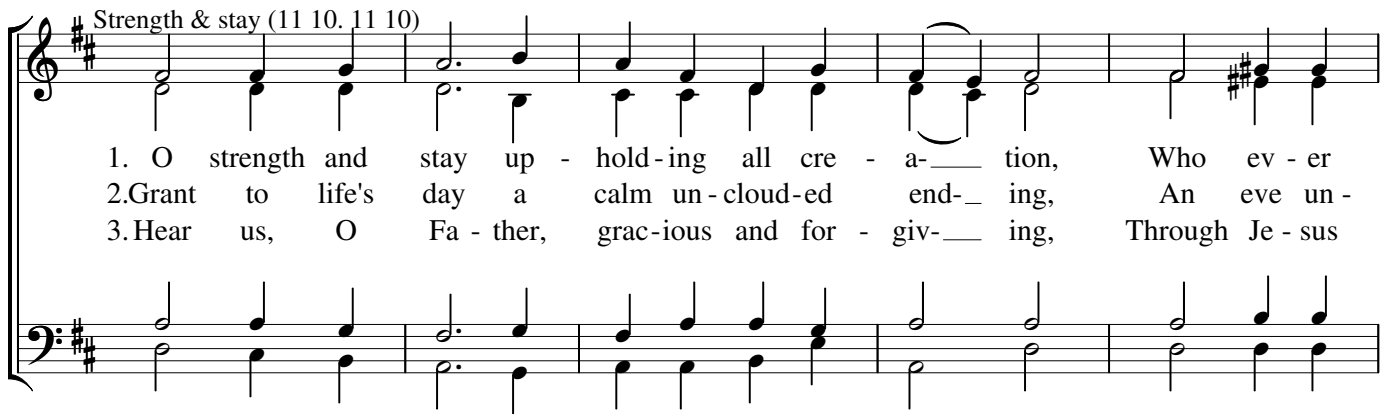


O Strength and Stay

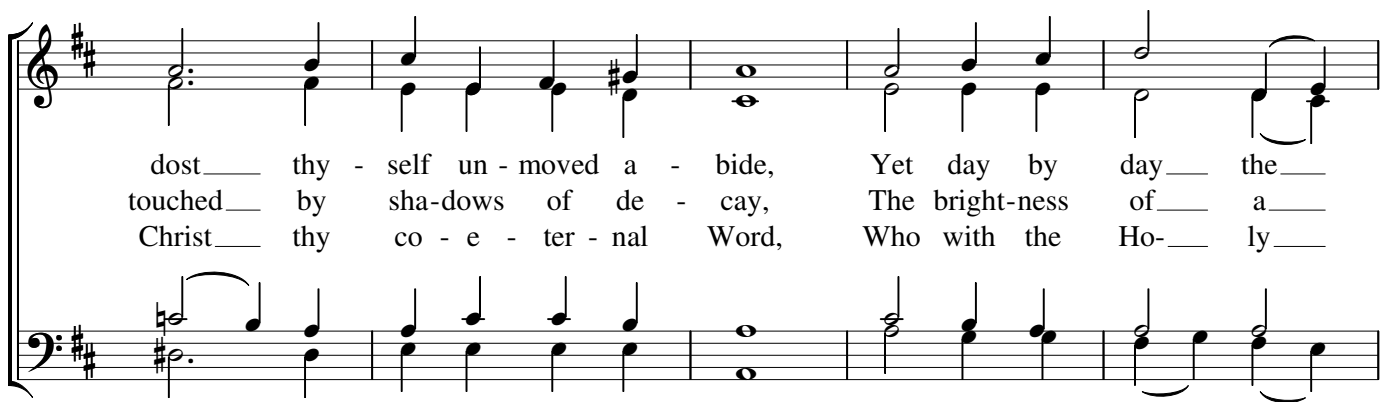
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(1823-76)

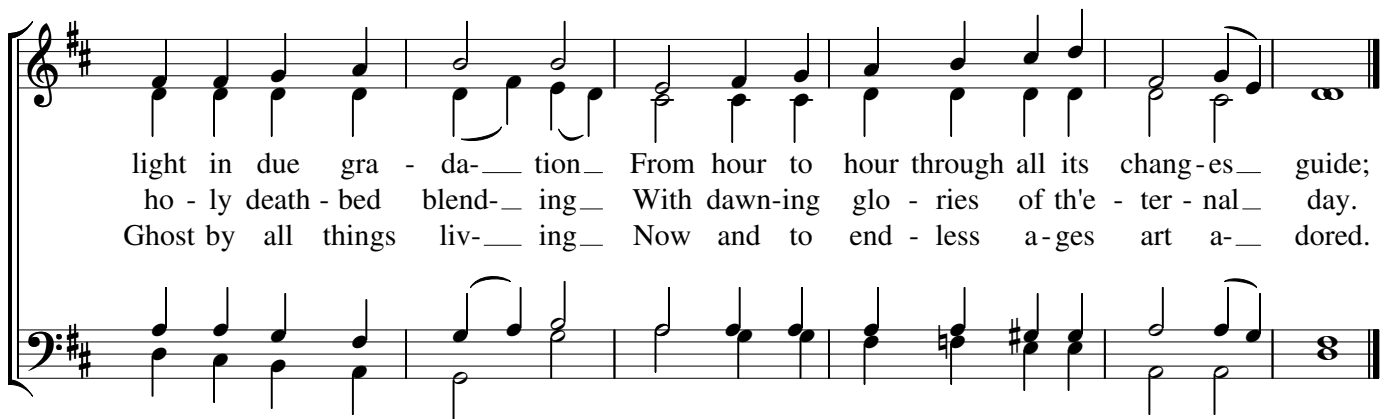
Strength & stay (11 10. 11 10)



1. O strength and stay up - hold - ing all cre - a - tion, Who ev - er
2. Grant to life's day a calm un - cloud - ed end - ing, An eve un -
3. Hear us, O Fa - ther, grac - ious and for - giv - ing, Through Je - sus



dost thy - self un - moved a - bid e, Yet day by day the
touched by sha - dows of de - cay, The bright - ness of a
Christ thy co - e - ter - nal Word, Who with the Ho - ly



light in due gra - da - tion From hour to hour through all its chang - es guide;
ho - ly death - bed blend - ing With dawn - ing glo - ries of th'e - ter - nal day.
Ghost by all things liv - ing Now and to end - less a - ges art a - dored.