

Father Of Earth, Mother Of Sea

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Latin Feel

♩ = 150

B^b B^b/D E^b Gm E^b F

The first system of the piano introduction consists of four measures. The treble clef part features a melodic line with eighth and quarter notes, while the bass clef part provides a steady accompaniment with quarter notes. The key signature is B-flat major (two flats) and the time signature is 4/4.

B^b B^b/D E^b Dm⁷ Gm

Fa - ther of earth, mo - ther of sea,
Fa - ther of hope, mo - ther of love,
Fa - ther of day, mo - ther of night,

The second system of the piano introduction consists of four measures. The treble clef part features a melodic line with quarter notes, while the bass clef part provides a steady accompaniment with quarter notes. The key signature is B-flat major (two flats) and the time signature is 4/4.

Cm⁷ F Gm F B^b B^b/D

spi - rit who stands with the vic - tims of greed. Vi - sion of
spi - rit who prays with us while war goes on. Vi - sion of
spi - rit who vi - sits the prison - ers, the blind. Vi - sion of

The third system of the piano introduction consists of five measures. The treble clef part features a melodic line with quarter notes, while the bass clef part provides a steady accompaniment with quarter notes. The key signature is B-flat major (two flats) and the time signature is 4/4.

E^b Dm Gm

life, Christ's mys - te - ry.
life, know - ing your love.
life, pro - phe - tic voice.

The fourth system of the piano introduction consists of three measures. The treble clef part features a melodic line with quarter notes, while the bass clef part provides a steady accompaniment with quarter notes. The key signature is B-flat major (two flats) and the time signature is 4/4.

E^b B^b/D C⁷ F

Stand with us Je - sus your chil - ren in need.
 Pray with us Je - sus so help us dis - arm.
 Vi - sit us Je - sus so help us re - joice.

B^b B^b/D E^b Gm E^b F

Stand with us Lord._____
 Pray with us Lord._____
 Vi - sit us Lord._____

B^b B^b/D E^b Gm E^b F

Stand with us Lord._____
 Pray with us Lord._____
 Vi - sit us Lord._____

B^b B^b/D E^b Gm E^b F B^b B^b/D E^b

Stand with us Lord._____ Stand with us Lord._____

Gm Gm/E^b Gm/C B^b

rit.

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Vs 1 Father of earth, Mother of sea
Spirit who stands with the victims of greed
Vision of life, Christ's mystery
Stand with us Jesus, your children in need
Stand with us Lord
Stand with us Lord

Vs 2 Father of hope, Mother of love
Spirit who prays with us while war goes on
Vision of life, knowing your love
Pray with us Jesus, so help us disarm
Pray with us Lord
Pray with us Lord

Vs 2 Father of day, Mother of night
Spirit who visits the prisoners, the blind
Vision of life, prophetic voice
Visit us Jesus, so help us rejoice
Visit us Lord
Visit us Lord

Stand with us Lord
Stand with us Lord

At the ecumenical House of the Gentle Bunyip in Clifton Hill, Melbourne, we were involved in the (anti-nuclear) peace movement. Athol Gill's Call to Discipleship on Mark's gospel took us into a strong social and political response – for justice and liberation. This was Christian community and is the vision of life. This song was born there.