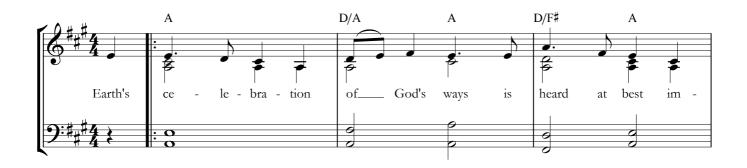
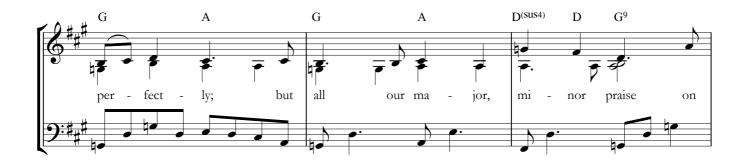
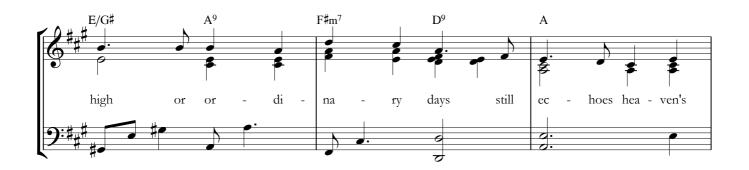
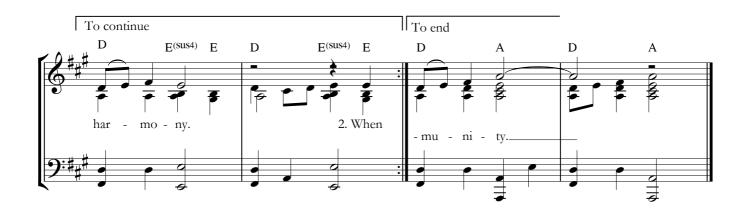
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EARTH'S CELEBRATION OF GOD'S WAYS is heard at best imperfectly; but all our major, minor praise on high or ordinary days still echoes heaven's harmony.

2 When wounds are fresh or scars remain our songs emerge reluctantly; yet saints who face extremes of pain, the rope, the gun, the fire, the chain, praise their dear Lord most joyously.

3 When grief has made our spirits numb the trusting heart sings silently; when instruments are rendered dumb faith still perceives God's kingdom come by love's unconquered victory.

4 Then finding gain in bitter loss, each hour, each anniversary, we have a Friend who sings with us, and psalms still treasured at his cross shall rise with Easter energy.

5 And comes that day that rights all wrongs, the new creation's infancy, then perfect praise unites all tongues in words and music, hymns and songs from one redeemed community.

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