

What Solemn Tidings

from the Gadsby Hymnal #664

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The musical score is written in treble clef with a key signature of one sharp (F#) and a common time signature (C). It consists of seven systems of music, each with a line of lyrics underneath. Chord symbols are placed above the notes. The lyrics are as follows:

What Sol - emn tid - ings reach our ears! How aw - ful how grand!
Though he's more hap - py I'm se - cure. God's prom - ise can - not fail;

5 A bro - ther land - ed safe from fears, A Can - aan's happ - y land.
O may I pat - ient - ly en - dure, My heav'n - ly Fa - ther's will.

9 No clouds shall now ob - struct his sun, But all be life and peace;
The coun - sel of the Lord shall stand, And all his will be done;

13 With him 'tis ev - er, ev - er noon, Nor can his joy de - crease.
I there - fore wait in Me - shech's land, Un - til He fetch me home.

17 He's gone in end - less bliss to dwell, And I am left be - low,

21 To strug - gle with the pow'rs of hell, Till Je - sus bids me go.

Tag ending
25 And there the wear - y be at rest. And there the wear - y be at rest.