

Author of life Divine

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Author of Life
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The musical score is composed of four staves of music. The top two staves are in treble clef, and the bottom two are in bass clef. The key signature changes throughout the piece, indicated by sharp and flat symbols. Measure 1 starts in G major (no sharps or flats). Measure 2 moves to F# major (one sharp). Measures 3-4 move to E major (two sharps). Measures 5-6 move to D major (no sharps or flats). Measures 7-8 move to C major (no sharps or flats). Measures 9-10 move to B major (one sharp). Measures 11-12 move to A major (two sharps). Measures 13-14 move to G major (no sharps or flats). Measures 15-16 move to F# major (one sharp). The music is in common time throughout.

Author of life divine,
who hast a table spread,
furnished with mystic wine
and everlasting bread,
preserve the life thyself hast given,
and feed and train us up for heaven.

Our needy souls sustain
with fresh supplies of love,
till all thy life we gain,
and all thy fullness prove,
and, strengthened by thy perfect grace,
behold without a veil thy face.

Charles Wesley