

# While morning still is breaking

German Folk Melody, 15th Cent

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The first system of musical notation consists of two staves, a treble clef on top and a bass clef on the bottom. The key signature is one sharp (F#). The melody is written in the treble clef, and the accompaniment is in the bass clef. The music is in a common time signature.

The second system of musical notation continues the piece from the first system. It begins with a measure number '8' at the start of the treble staff. The notation follows the same format as the first system.

The third system of musical notation continues the piece from the second system. It begins with a measure number '14' at the start of the treble staff. The notation follows the same format as the previous systems.

While morning still is breaking  
and day replaces night,  
beneath God's care awaking  
we thank him for new light.  
We thank him that he calls us  
to life and health anew;  
whatever now befalls us  
his care will still be true.

O Israel's guardian, hear us,  
watch over us this day;  
in all we do be near us.  
For others, too, we pray;  
to you we would commend them,  
our church, our youth, our land;  
direct them and defend them  
when dangers are at hand.

O grant us peace and gladness,  
give us our daily bread,  
shield us from grief and sadness,  
on us your blessings shed.  
Grant that our whole behaviour  
in truth and righteousness  
may praise you, Lord, our Saviour,  
whose holy name we bless.

You are our vine, O nourish  
your branches, so that we  
may grow in you and flourish  
and ever fruitful be;  
your Spirit pour within us,  
and let the gifts of grace  
to those good actions win us  
that best may show your praise.

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