

**A Hymn to God the Father**  
(For Soprano, Tenor or Treble voices.)

Words by John Donne, (1572-1631).

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Voice

Wilt thou\_ for - give\_ that sin where I be - gun; \_\_\_\_\_ Which

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was\_ my sin, though it were done be - fore? \_\_\_\_\_ Wilt thou\_ for -

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give\_ that sin, through which I run, And do run\_ still: though still I do de

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plore? When thou hast done, thou hast not done, For, \_\_\_\_\_ I have

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more. Wilt.

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thou for - give that sin which I have won o - thers to sin? and, made

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my sin their door? Wilt thou for - give that sin which I did shun

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A year, or two: but wa - llo - wed in, a score? When

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thou hast done, thou hast not done, For I have more.

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I have a sin of fear, that when I have

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spun My last thread, I shall pe-rish on the shore;

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But swear by thy self, that at my death thy son shall

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shine \_\_\_\_\_ as he shines now, and here - to - fore; \_\_\_\_\_

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And, \_\_\_\_\_ ha - ving done that, \_\_\_\_\_ thou hast

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done, I \_\_\_\_\_ fear \_\_\_\_\_ no \_\_\_\_\_ more. \_\_\_\_\_