

Blest, Blest Forever

Frances Jane (Fanny) Crosby, 1892

John Robson Sweeney

The musical score consists of three staves of music in common time, key signature of four flats. The first staff uses soprano clef, the second staff alto clef, and the third staff bass clef. The lyrics are integrated with the music, appearing below the notes.

1. On - ly a lit - tle while, sow - ing and reap - ing, On - ly a lit - tle while,
2. On - ly a lit - tle while, heart - break and sor - row, Dark though the night may be,
3. On - ly a lit - tle while, sha - dow and sad - ness, Then in e - ter - ni - ty

our vi - gil keep - ing; Then we shall ga - ther home, no more to sev - er,
cloud - less the mor - row; On - ly a lit - tle while, Earth ties to sev - er,
sun - shine and glad - ness; On - ly a lit - tle while, then o'er the riv - er,

Clasped in e - ter - nal love, blest, blest for - ev - er.
Then in our Fa - ther land, blest, blest for - ev - er. Blest, blest for - ev - er, No
Home, rest and vic - tor palm, life, joy for - ev - er.

Refrain

more to sev - er, Clasped in e - ter - nal love, Blest, blest for - ev - er.