

# WHAT IS MY SERVICE TO BE, LORD

Words and music by  
James L. Clark

Tune name: HIS SERVICE  
8.7.8.7.[D]

may be sung in unison



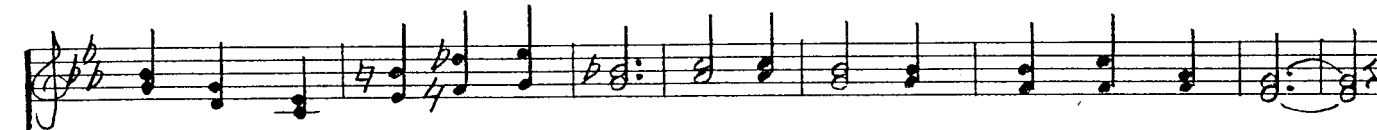
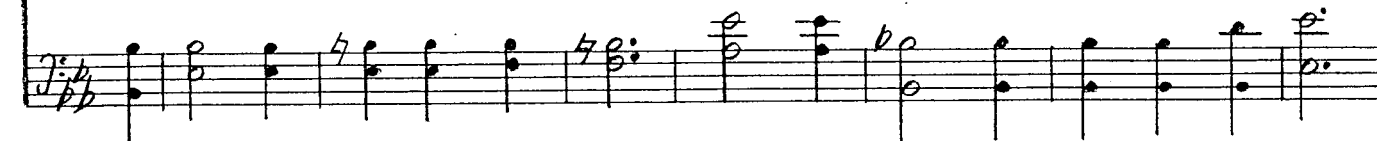
1. What is my ser - vice to be, Lord? What must I do in God's name?  
2. What is your ser - vice to be, child? What must you do in God's name?  
3. What will re - sult from my work, Lord? What will I see tak - ing place?



Is it to teach or to preach, Lord, Or heal the sick and the lame?  
First pray to live in God's will, child, Thus prove the worth of your claim;  
Or, could I have no suc - cess, Lord, And feel in fail - ure, dis - grace?



Is it to com - fort the griev - ing, Per - haps pro - tect with the sword?  
Then make each day be - come Christ's day, And give, as He gave His life.  
Yours just to walk in Christ's way, child, Is all your wit - ness de - mands;



What should man - kind be re - ceiv - ing From one who claims Christ as Lord?  
Thus show all peo - ple a new way, And preach through eas - ing their strife.  
Then whe - ther praised or re - viled, child, God loves you, Christ un - der - stands.

