

O Gracious Father

whatsoever ye shall ask of the Father in my
name, he may give it you. - Jn. 15:16

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1. O Gra-cious Fa-ther, Look with pit-y on Thy child,
2. Help me, O Fa-ther, To ful-fill Thy ho-ly will,
3. O bless-ed Fa-ther, When the way grows dark and steep,

Grant me Thy bless-ing, Make me meek and mild.
In-to this cold heart Heav'n-ly warmth in-still.
My hand so trem-bling, Gen-tly take and keep.

Par-don, heav'n-ly Fa-ther, All Thou seest in me a-miss,
Give me, bless-ed Fa-ther, Strength suf-fi-cient for each day,
Through the cloud and shad-ow, Make Thy gra-cious face to shine,

Let Thy sweet for-give-ness, Fill my heart with bliss.
From Thy way ap-point-ed, Let me nev-er stray.
Let Thy bless-ed pres-ence, Bring me peace di-vine.

Chorus

Gra-cious, heav-en-ly Fa-ther, Hear, O hear my hum-ble pray'r;

Bless me, and keep me In Thy love and care.

The image shows a musical score for a hymn. It consists of two staves: a treble clef staff on top and a bass clef staff on the bottom. The key signature is one sharp (F#), and the time signature is 4/4. The melody is written in the treble clef, and the bass line is in the bass clef. The lyrics are: "Bless me, and keep me In Thy love and care." The word "In" is capitalized. There is a triplet of eighth notes in the melody, marked with a "3" above it. The piece ends with a double bar line.