

Ere God Had Built the Mountains

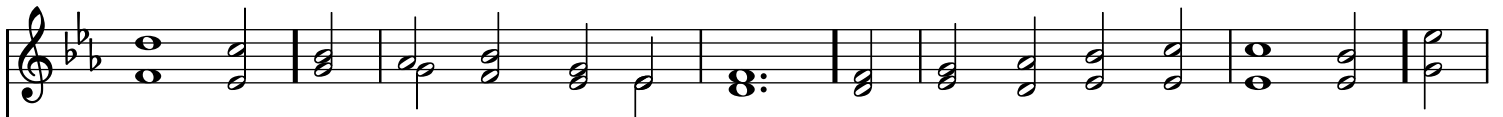
William Cowper

(Aurelia. 7. 6. 7. 6. D.)

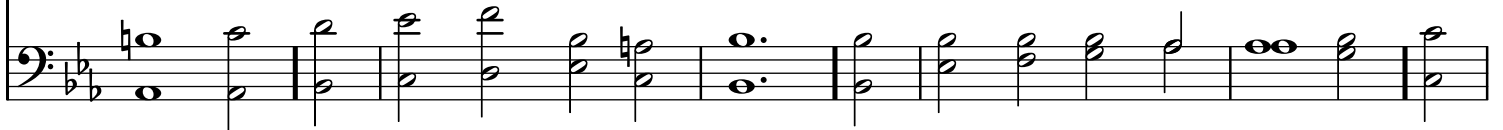
Samuel Sebastian Wesley



1. Ere God had built the mountains, Or raised the fruitful hills; Be - fore He filled the
2. When, like a tent to dwell in, He spread the skies a - broad, And swathed a - bout the
3. And couldst Thou be de - light - ed With crea - tures such as we, Who, when we saw Thee,



foun - tains That feed the run - ning rills; In Thee, from ev - er - last - ing, The
 swell - ing Of o - cean's might - y flood, He wrought by weight and meas - ure; And
 slight - ed And nailed Thee to a tree? Un - fath - om - a - ble won - der! And



won - der - ful I AM Found pleasures nev - er wast - ing, And Wis - dom is Thy name.
 Thou wast with Him then: Thy - self the Fa - ther's pleas - ure, And Thine, the sons of men.
 mys - ter - y di - vine! The voice that speaks in thun - der Says, "Sin - ner, I am thine!"

