

My goal is God Himself (New Tune)

Longings—For God

350

The musical score is written in 6/8 time with a key signature of one flat (B-flat). It consists of four staves of music. The first staff begins with a treble clef and a key signature of one flat. The notes are: F4 (quarter), G4 (quarter), A4 (quarter), Bb4 (quarter), C5 (quarter), Bb4 (quarter), A4 (quarter), G4 (quarter), F4 (quarter). The lyrics are: "1. My goal is God Him - self, not joy, nor peace,". The second staff continues with notes: F4 (quarter), G4 (quarter), A4 (quarter), Bb4 (quarter), C5 (quarter), Bb4 (quarter), A4 (quarter), G4 (quarter), F4 (quarter). The lyrics are: "Nor e - ven bless - ing, but Him - self, my God;". The third staff continues with notes: F4 (quarter), G4 (quarter), A4 (quarter), Bb4 (quarter), C5 (quarter), Bb4 (quarter), A4 (quarter), G4 (quarter), F4 (quarter). The lyrics are: "'Tis His to lead me there— not mine, but His—". The fourth staff continues with notes: F4 (quarter), G4 (quarter), A4 (quarter), Bb4 (quarter), C5 (quarter), Bb4 (quarter), A4 (quarter), G4 (quarter), F4 (quarter). The lyrics are: "At a - ny cost, dear Lord, by a - ny road.".

1. My goal is God Him - self, not joy, nor peace,
Nor e - ven bless - ing, but Him - self, my God;
'Tis His to lead me there— not mine, but His—
At a - ny cost, dear Lord, by a - ny road.

2. So faith bounds forward to its goal in God,
And love can trust her Lord to lead her there;
Upheld by Him, my soul is following hard
Till God hath full fulfilled my deepest prayer.
3. No matter if the way be sometimes dark,
No matter though the cost be oft-times great,
He knoweth how I best shall reach the mark,
The way that leads to Him must needs be strait.
4. One thing I know, I cannot say Him nay;
One thing I do, I press towards my Lord;
My God my glory here, from day to day,
And in the glory there my great Reward.