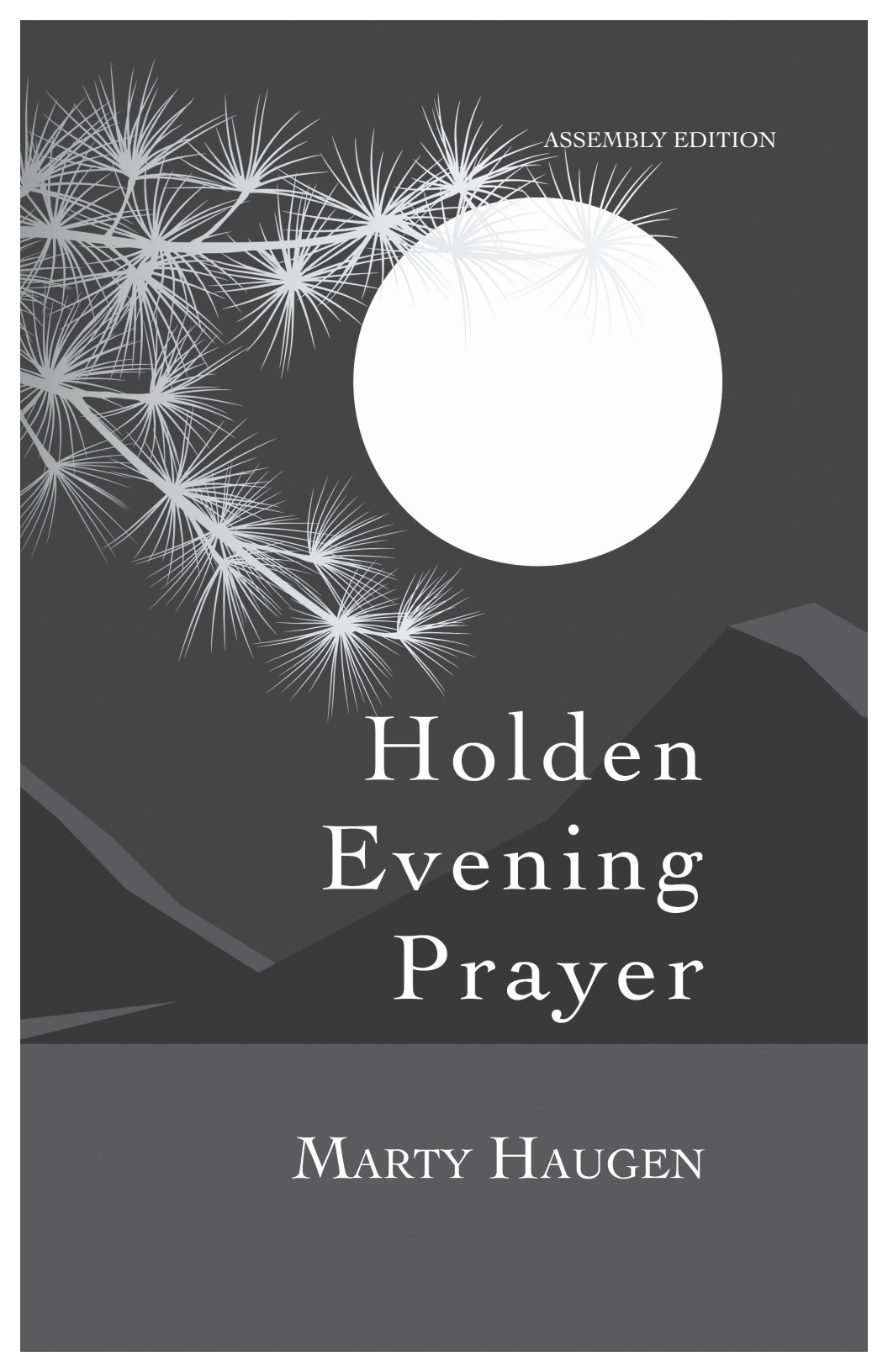




ASSEMBLY EDITION

Holden Evening Prayer

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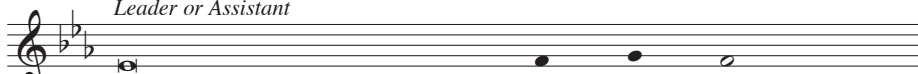
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Setting by Marty Haugen

1. SERVICE OF LIGHT

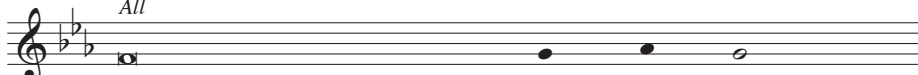
Procession

Leader or Assistant



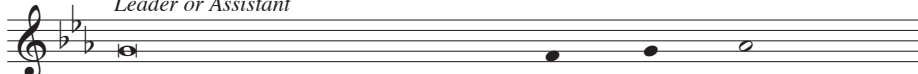
Jesus Christ, you are the light of the world,

All



the light no darkness can o - ver - come.

Leader or Assistant



Stay with us now, for it is evening,

All



and the day is al - most over. *Leader or Assistant*



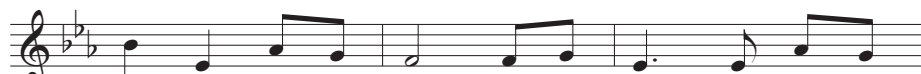
and shine within your peo-ple here.

Evening Hymn

All



1. Joy - ous light of heav'n - ly glo - ry, lov - ing
2. In the stars that grace the dark - ness, in the
3. You who made the heav-en's splen - dor, ev - 'ry



glow of God's own face, you who sing cre - a - tion's
blaz - ing sun of dawn, in the light of peace and
danc - ing star of night, make us shine with gen - tle



sto - ry, shine on ev - 'ry land and race. Now as
wis - dom, we can hear your qui - et song. Love that
jus - tice, let us each re - flect your light. Might - y

eve - ning falls a - round us, we shall raise our songs to
 fills the night with won - der, love that warms the wea - ry
 God of all cre - a - tion, gen - tle Christ who lights our
 you. God of day - break, God of shad - ows, come and
 soul, love that bursts all chains a - sun - der, set us
 way, lov - ing Spir - it of sal - va - tion, lead us
 light our hearts a - new.
 free and make us whole.
 on to end - less day.

Evening Thanksgiving

Leader or Assistant May God be with you all. *All* And al - so with you.
Leader or Assistant Let us sing our thanks to God. *All* It is right to give God thanks and praise.

Leader Blessed are you, Creator of the universe, from old you have led your people by night and day. May the light of your Christ make our darkness bright, for your Word and your presence are the light of our pathways, and you are the light and life of all creation.

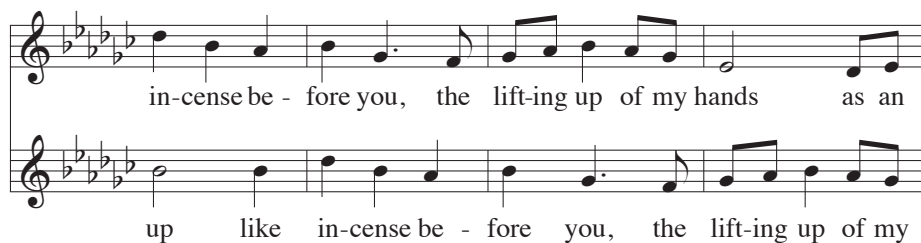
All
A - men.

2. PSALMODY, READINGS AND CANTICLES

Psalms 141

Refrain

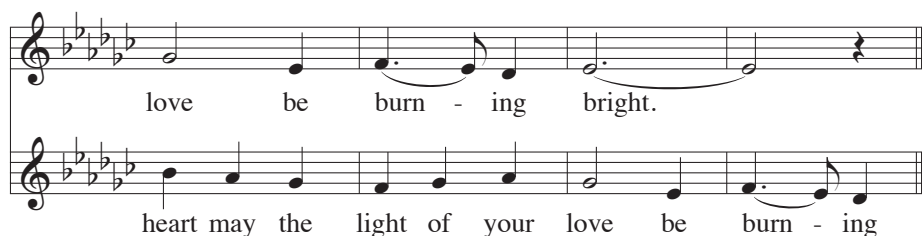
All
 Let my prayer rise up like in - cense be - fore you, the
 lift - ing up of my hands as an of - fer - ing to you.

Verse 1*Leader or Group One**All or Group Two***Refrain****Verse 2**



in me, God; deep in my heart may the light of your

2. Keep watch with - in me, God; deep in my



love be burn - ing bright.

heart may the light of your love be burn - ing

Refrain



Let my prayer rise up like in-cense be - fore you, the

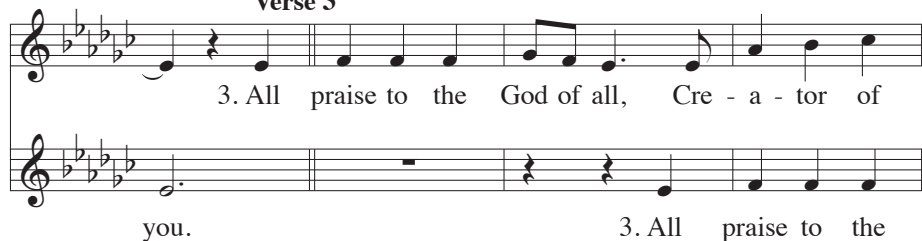
bright. Let my prayer rise up like in-cense be -



lift-ing up of my hands as an of-fer-ing to you.

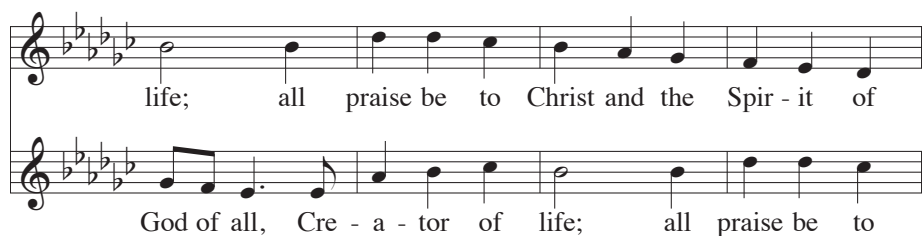
fore you, the lift-ing up of my hands as an of-fer-ing to

Verse 3

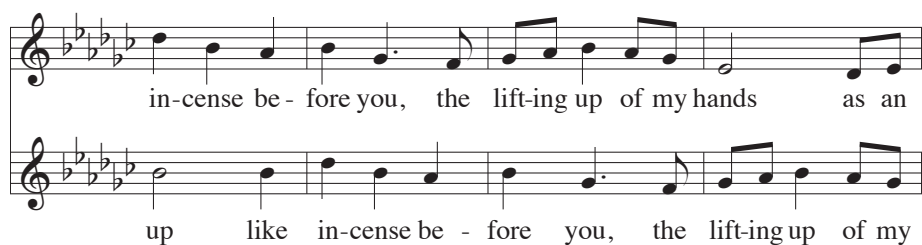


3. All praise to the God of all, Cre - a - tor of

you. 3. All praise to the



Refrain



Silence for meditation

Leader May our prayers come before you, O God, as incense,
and may your presence surround and fill us,
so that in union with all creation,
we might sing your praise and your love in our lives.

All Amen.

G.R.A.C.E.

Grow, Renew, Act, Commit

Scripture: St. Matthew 6: 25-33

“Therefore I tell you, do not worry about your life, what you will eat or what you will drink, or about your body, what you will wear. Is not life more than food, and the body more than clothing? Look at the birds of the air; they neither sow nor reap nor gather into barns, and yet your heavenly Father feeds them. Are you not of more value than they? And can any of you by worrying add a single hour to your span of life? And why do you worry about clothing? Consider the lilies of the field, how they grow; they neither toil nor spin, yet I tell you, even Solomon in all his glory was not clothed like one of these. But if God so clothes the grass of the field, which is alive today and tomorrow is thrown into the oven, will he not much more clothe you—you of little faith? Therefore do not worry, saying, ‘What will we eat?’ or ‘What will we drink?’ or ‘What will we wear?’ For it is the Gentiles who strive for all these things; and indeed your heavenly Father knows that you need all these things. But strive first for the kingdom of God and his righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

G.R.A.C.I.A

Crecer, Renovar, Acctuar, Compromiso

Escritura: San Mateo 6: 25-33

“Por eso os digo, no os preocupéis por vuestra vida, qué comeréis o qué beberéis, ni por vuestro cuerpo, qué vestiréis. ¿No es la vida más que el alimento y el cuerpo más que el vestido? Mira las aves del cielo; no siembran ni cosechan ni recogen en graneros, y sin embargo vuestro Padre celestial los alimenta. ¿No es usted de más valor que ellas? ¿Y puede alguno de ustedes, preocupándose, añadir una sola hora a la duración de su vida? ¿Y por qué te preocupas por la ropa? Considere los lirios del campo, cómo crecen; no trabajan ni hilan, pero os digo que ni Salomón con toda su gloria se vistió como uno de ellos. Pero si Dios viste así la hierba del campo, que hoy es y mañana se echa en el horno, ¿no hará mucho más a vosotros, hombres de poca fe? No os preocupéis, pues, diciendo: “¿Qué comeremos?” o “¿Qué beberemos?” o “¿Con qué nos vestiremos?” Porque son los gentiles los que luchan por todas estas cosas; y ciertamente vuestro Padre celestial sabe que tenéis necesidad de todas estas cosas. Pero esfuércense primero por el reino de Dios y su justicia, y todas estas cosas se les darán a ustedes también.

La Palabra del Señor

Gracias a Dios

Reflection Dr. Lynne Yao

Take My Life, That I May Be



3. LITANY AND PRAYERS

Intercessions

All
[A] repeat continuously [B]

Hm. God of mer-cy, hold us in love.

[A] *Leader or Assistant* [B]

1. In peace, in peace, we pray to you:
2. For peace and sal - va - tion, we pray to you:
3. For peace be-tween na-tions, for peace be-tween peo - ples:
4. For us, who are gath-ered to wor-ship and praise you:
5. For all of your ser-vants who live out your gos - pel:
6. For all those who gov-ern, that jus-tice might guide them:
7. For all those who la - bor in ser-vice to oth - ers:
8. Grant weath-er that nour-ish - es all of cre - a - tion:
9. Keep watch on our loved ones and keep us from dan - ger:
10. For all the be - lov - ed who rest in your mer - cy:

[A] *Leader or Assistant*

Help us, com-fort us, all of our days:

All

Keep us, hold us, gra - cious God.

Closing Prayers

Leader Great and merciful God,
source and ground of all goodness and life,
give to your people the peace that passes all understanding,
and the will to live your gospel of mercy and justice,
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

All Amen.

The Lord's Prayer:

Gathered into one by the Ho-ly Spir - it, let us pray as Je-sus taught us.

Our Fa - ther in heav - en, hal - lowed be your name,

your king-dom come, your will be done, on earth as in heav - en.

Give us to - day our dai - ly bread. For - give us our sins as we

for-give those who sin a- gainst us. Save us from the time of tri - al

and de - liv - er us from e - vil. For the king - dom, the pow'r,

and the glo - ry are yours, now and for - ev - er. A - men.

Final Blessing

Leader or Assistant *All*

Let us bless our God: Praise and thanks to you.

Leader or Assistant

May God, Cre - a - tor, bless us and keep us, may

Christ be ev - er light for our lives, may the Spir - it of Love be our

All

guide and path for all of our days. men.

Detailed description: The musical score is written for a single melodic line on a treble clef staff. It begins in 2/4 time with a key signature of one flat (Bb). The first line of music is for the 'Leader or Assistant' and the second line is for 'All'. The lyrics are: 'Let us bless our God: Praise and thanks to you.' The third line is for the 'Leader or Assistant' and the fourth line is for 'All'. The lyrics are: 'May God, Cre - a - tor, bless us and keep us, may Christ be ev - er light for our lives, may the Spir - it of Love be our guide and path for all of our days. men.' The score ends with a double bar line. The bass line is shown but contains no notes.