Iesu dulcis memoria

O Jesus, Joy of Loving Hearts

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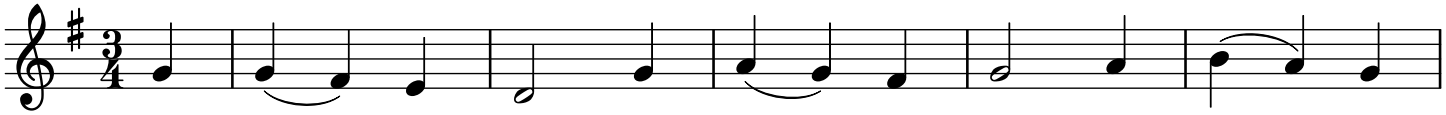
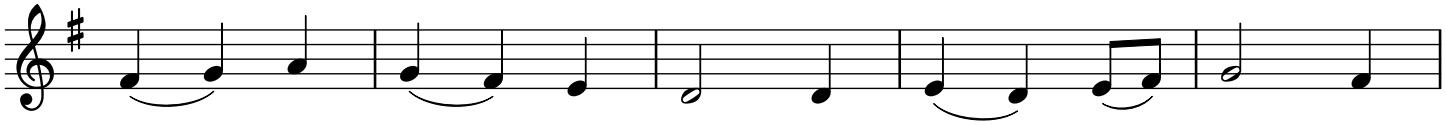
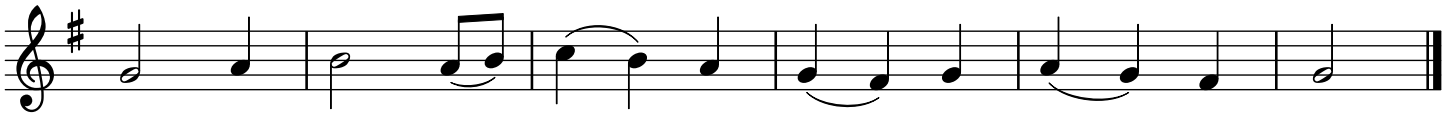


1. O Je - sus, joy of lov - ing hearts, the fount of
2. Your truth un-changed has ev - er stood; you save all
3. We taste you, Lord, our liv - ing bread, and long to
4. For you our rest - less spir - its yearn un - til your
5. O Je - sus, ev - er with us stay; make all our



1. life and our true light, we seek the peace your
2. those who heed your call; to those who seek you,
3. feast up - on you still; we drink of you, the
4. face we see at last; glad, when your pres - ence
5. mo - ments calm and bright; O chase the night of



1. love im - parts and stand re - joic - ing in your sight.
2. you are good, to those who find you, all in all.
3. foun - tain - head, our thirst - ing souls to quench and fill.
4. we dis - cern, blest, when our faith can hold you fast.
5. sin a - way, shed on the world your ho - ly light.

Inspiration: a cento from "Iesu dulcis memoria", Latin, 12th century, formerly attributed to Saint Bernard of Clairvaux, 1091-1153.
Lyrics: 88.88; Ray Palmer, 1808-1887, in "Sabbath Hymn Book", 1858.
Music: WAREHAM; William Knapp, 1698-1768, in "A Set of New Psalm Tunes and Anthems", 1738.