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"And of his fullness have we received, and grace for grace." -- John 1:16.

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1. Je - sus, my Shep - herd, Friend, and Guide Can dry my ev - 'ry tear; Thy grace can raise my com - forts high

2. Dear Fa - ther, to Thy mer - cy seat, My soul for shel - ter flies; 'Tis here I find a safe re - treat

The first system of the musical score consists of four staves. The top staff is the vocal line, followed by three piano accompaniment staves. The music is in F major and 3/4 time. The first two stanzas are written across these staves, with lyrics placed below the vocal line.

And ban - ish ev - 'ry fear; Thy grace, how sweet the sound to me, Thou art my all in all.

When storms and tem - pest rise; He lives to bless me with His love, And plead my cause a - bove.

The second system of the musical score continues the composition. It features the same four-staff layout. The lyrics for the third stanza are placed below the vocal line. The system concludes with first and second endings, indicated by the numbers '1' and '2' above the final notes of the vocal and piano parts.