

“Forth in Thy Name, O Lord” and “Duke Street” melody (UMC #438)...

Lyrics: Charles Wesley, 1749 / Arrangement: John Hatton, 1793 / Melody: Duke Street

In hymnals this can be found in key of Eb and too in key of D. Chords shown below are based on trying to match that of those created by the SATB harmonies in the hymnal's arrangement. In addition to the verses shown in hymnals, addition ones are also included below. (Versus 1, 2, 4 and 6 below are the ones included in UMC's hymnal.)

VERSE 1 (key of Eb)

| Eb Bb7 | Eb Ab Bb7_(no1) | Eb Bb Adim | Bb
Forth in Thy name, O Lord, I go,

| Eb | Ab Eb | Fm _ Eb | Bb
My daily labor to pursue;

| Eb Bb7 | Eb | Ab Eb/Bb Bb7/F Eb | Bb
Thee, only Thee, resolved to know

| Eb Ab Bb7_(no1) | Eb Fm | Eb Bb Bb7 | Eb
In all I think, or speak, or do.

VERSE 1 (key of D)

| D A7 | D G A7_(no1) | D A G#dim | A
Forth in Thy name, O Lord, I go,

| D | G D | Em D | A
My daily labor to pursue;

| D A7 | D | G D/A A7/E D | A
Thee, only Thee, resolved to know

| D G A7_(no1) | D Em | D A A7 | D
In all I think, or speak, or do.

Forth in Thy name, O Lord, I go,
My daily labor to pursue;
Thee, only Thee, resolved to know
In all I think, or speak, or do.

The task Thy wisdom hath assigned,
O let me cheerfully fulfill;
In all my works Thy presence find,
And prove Thy good and perfect will.

Preserve me from my calling's snare,
And hide my simple heart above,
Above the thorns of choking care,
The gilded baits of worldly love.

Thee may I set at my right hand,
Whose eyes mine inmost substance see,
And labor on at Thy command,
And offer all my works to Thee.

Give me to bear Thy easy yoke,
And every moment watch and pray,
And still to things eternal look,
And hasten to Thy glorious day.

For Thee delightfully employ
Whate'er Thy bounteous grace hath given;
And run my course with even joy,
And closely walk with Thee to Heaven.

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