

Joy Can't Wait

Text: Stephen M. Fearing, 2019

Tune: HYFRYDOL

Meter: 8.7.8.7 D

Music: Rowland Hugh Pritchard, 1830

The musical score is written on a single treble clef staff in a key signature of one flat (B-flat) and a 3/4 time signature. The melody consists of quarter and eighth notes, with some rests. The lyrics are written below the staff, with line numbers 9, 17, and 25 indicating the start of new lines of text.

Joy can't wait; she beck - ons bright - ly, gi - ving grace a - mid the gloom.

9
God is God of new be - gin - nings; failed, for - got - ten buds will bloom.

17
God for - gives and gives us laught - er, mirth that mo - thers us to health.

25
Joy sur - rounds be - fore and aft - er; end - less source of wond - rous wealth.