

May the Lord Bless Us

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The musical score is written in 4/4 time with a key signature of one flat (Bb). It consists of two systems of music, each with a vocal line and a guitar accompaniment line. The lyrics are in English and correspond to the text of Psalm 128.

System 1: Measures 1-4. Chords: F, Gm, Bb, F. Lyrics: "May the Lord bless us all the days of our lives."

System 2: Measures 5-8. Chords: Bb, F, Gm, F. Lyrics: "1. Bless-ed are you who fear the Lord, who walk in His ways! For you shall"

System 3: Measures 9-12. Chords: C, Dm, Bb, C. Lyrics: "eat fruit of your hand-i - work; bless - ed shall you be and — fa - vored."

System 4: Measures 13-16. Chords: Bb, F, Gm. Lyrics: "2. Your wife shall be like a fruit - ful vine in the re - cess - es of your"

System 5: Measures 17-20. Chords: F, C, Dm, Bb, C. Lyrics: "home; your child - ren like o - live plants a - round your ta - ble."

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3. Be-hold thus is the man bless-ed who fears the Lord. The Lord

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bless you from Zi-on may you see pros-per-i-ty of Je-

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ru-sa-lem all the days of your life.

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4. May you see your child-ren's child-ren. Peace be up-on Is-ra-el.