Forty Days and Forty Nights

Verse

For - ty days and for - ty nights
Shall not we your sor - row share
Then if Sa - tan on us press,
So shall we have peace di - vine:
Keep, O keep us, Sav - ior dear,

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you were fast - ing in the wild;
and from world - ly joys ab - stain,
flesh or spir - it to as - sail,
ho - lier glad - ness ours shall be;
ev - er con - stant by your side,

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for - ty days and for - ty nights
fast - ing with un - ceas - ing prayer,
vic - tor in the wil - der - ness,
round us, too, shall an - gels shine,
that with you we may ap - pear

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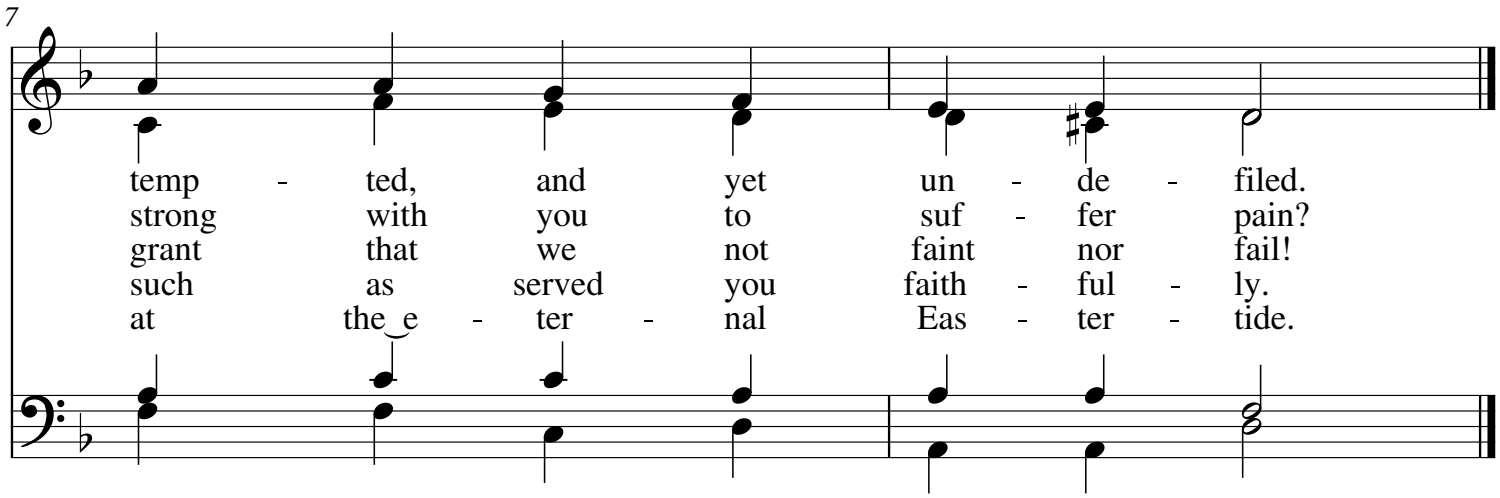

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