

# Sometimes a Light Surprises

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## Intro

F#m            A            D            F#m            A            D

piano

Musical score for the first system of the piano introduction. It features a treble clef staff with a key signature of three sharps (F#, C#, G#) and a common time signature (C). The bass clef staff contains a piano accompaniment with eighth and sixteenth notes. The first staff has rests for the first six measures, corresponding to the chord changes listed above.

F#m            A            D            F#m            A            D            F#m

pn

Musical score for the second system of the piano introduction. It features a treble clef staff with a key signature of three sharps (F#, C#, G#) and a common time signature (C). The bass clef staff contains a piano accompaniment with eighth and sixteenth notes. The first staff has rests for the first six measures, corresponding to the chord changes listed above. The second system includes a '4' marking above the first measure of the piano part.

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## Verses 1 - 4

A D A D f#min E A D



1. Some - times a light sur - pris - es the \_\_\_ Chris - tian while he  
 ho - ly con - tem - pla - tion we \_\_\_ sweet - ly then pur -  
 can bring with it noth - ing but \_\_\_ he will bear us  
 vine nor fig tree nei - ther their \_\_\_ wont - ed fruit shall

pn

E D<sub>sus</sub> A/C# E f#min b min

sings; it is the Lord who ris - es, with heal - ing in his \_\_\_  
 sue the theme of God's sal - va - tion, and find it ev - er \_\_\_  
 through; who gives the lil - ies cloth - ing will clothe his peo - ple \_\_\_  
 bear, though all the field should with - er, nor flocks nor herds be \_\_\_

pn

E D A/C# E



wings; when com - forts are de - clin - ing, he grants the soul a -  
 new; set free from pre - sent sor - row, we cheer - ful - ly can  
 too: be - neath the spread - ing heav - ens no crea - ture but is  
 there; yet God the same a - bid - eth, his praise shall tune my

pn

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D A D f#min E D E

gain a sea - son of clear shin - ing, to cheer it af - ter  
 say, "Let the un - known to - mor - row bring with it what it  
 fed; and he who feeds the ra - vens will give his chil - dren  
 voice, for, while in him con - fid - ing, I can - not but re -

pn 20

Turnaround F#m A D F#m A D

rain.  
 may."  
 bread.  
 joice.

pn 24

F#m D

2.In  
 3.It  
 4.Though

pn 27