

Leaning On The Everlasting Arms

Dulcimer

The musical score consists of four staves of music. The first staff starts at measure 1, the second at measure 5, the third at measure 9, and the fourth at measure 13. Each staff includes a treble clef, a key signature of one sharp (F#), and a common time signature (indicated by the number 4). The music is primarily in D major, with chords indicated above the staff: D, G, D, A (for the first staff); D, G, D, A7, D (for the second staff); G, D, E7, A (for the third staff); and D, G, D, A7, D (for the fourth staff). The lyrics are written below each staff, corresponding to the chords. Dulcimer tablature is provided at the bottom of each staff, showing fingerings (e.g., 1, 2, 0) and strumming patterns (e.g., 2, 2, 1, 0).

Staff 1 (Measures 1-4):

D G D A

1.What a fel - low-ship, what a joy di - vine. Leaning on the ever last-ing arms.
2.O how sweet to walk in this pil-grim way, Leaning on the ever last-ing arms.
3.Whathaave I to dread, what have I to fear, Leaning on the ever last-ing arms?

Staff 2 (Measures 5-8):

D G D A₇ D

What a bless - ed ness, What a peace is mine, Lean-ing on the ev-er last-ing arms.
O how bright the path grows from day to day, Lean-ing on the ev-er last-ing arms.
5 IO have bless - ed peace with my Lord so nerar, Lean-ing on the ev-er last-ing arms

Staff 3 (Measures 9-12):

G D E₇ A

Lean - ing lean - ing safe and se - cure from all a - larms;

Staff 4 (Measures 13-16):

D G D A₇ D

Lean - ing, lean - ing, Lean - ing on the ev - er last - ing arms.