

# Faith of Our Fathers

Frederick W. Faber (1849)

Piano

Henri F. Hemy (1864)

1. Faith of our fa - thers! liv - ing still In spite of dun - geon;  
2. Our fa - thers, chained in pris - ons dark, Were still in heart and  
3. Faith of our fa - thers! we will love Both friend and foe in

fire, and sword, O how our hearts beat high with joy  
con - science free; How sweet would be their chil - dren's fate,  
all our strife, And preach thee, too, as love knows how,

When - e'er we hear that glo - rious word. Faith of our  
If they, like them, could die for thee! Faith of our  
By kind - ly words and vir - tuous life. Faith of our

fa - thers! ho - ly faith! We will be true to thee till death.  
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The musical score is written for piano in 3/4 time, key of D major. It features three staves of music with lyrics underneath. The first staff contains three verses of the hymn. The second and third staves continue the lyrics. The fourth staff repeats the final line of the hymn. The music is simple and melodic, with a focus on the lyrics.