

NOW THE DAY IS OVER

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The musical score is written for a two-part setting (Soprano and Bass) in G major, 4/4 time. It consists of two systems of staves. The first system contains measures 1 through 4, and the second system contains measures 5 through 8. Each measure is numbered above the staff. The lyrics are printed below the staves, with three different verses provided for the first four measures. The melody is simple and hymn-like, with a descending line in the first measure of each system and a final cadence in the eighth measure.

1. Now the day is o - ver, Night is draw - ing nigh, —
2. Now the dark - ness gath - ers, Stars be - gin to peep, —
3. Je - sus, give the wea - ry Calm and sweet re - pose, —

5. Shad - ows of the eve - ning Steal a - cross the sky.
6. Birds and beasts and flow - ers Soon will be a - sleep.
7. With Thy ten - d'rest bless - ing, May our eye - lids close.
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