



Father breathe an evening blessing.

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To his friend
CHARLES H. RUSSELL ESQ.

"Father breathe an evening blessing"

VESPER HYMN

as sung in the Choir

OF THE

Church of the Savior

(REV'D DR. FARLEY)

BY

MRS ABBOT, MRS SHEEHAN, MR CASTLE, & MR STEINS

composed by

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FATHER BREATHE AN EVENING BLESSING.

VESPER HYMN.

Original Key D^b

JOHN.M.ABBOT.

Legato.

Solo SOPRANO or TENOR

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Ere re . . pose our eye . . lids seal

P Andantino.

rall.

Soprano vocal line:

4 Sin and want we come con - - fes - - sing

Piano accompaniment (right hand):

cres

Bassoon line (left hand):

Thou canst save and thou canst heal.

mf *rall* *p*

QUARTETTE.

SOPRANO.

Soprano vocal line:

5 Sin and want we come con - - fes - - sing

Contralto vocal line:

Contralto vocal line (continues from previous page).

Tenor vocal line:

Tenor vocal line (continues from previous page).

Bass vocal line:

Bass vocal line (continues from previous page).

Piano accompaniment (right hand):

mf

Bassoon line (left hand):

Thou canst save and thou canst heal.
Thou canst save and thou canst heal.

rall

2.

Though destruction walk around us,
Though the arrows past us fly,
Angel guards from thee surround us,
We are safe if thou art nigh.

3.

Though the night be dark and dreary,
Darkness cannot hide from thee;
Thou art He who never weary
Watcheth where thy people be.

4.

Should swift death this night o'er take us,
And our couch become our tomb,
May the morn in Heaven awake us,
Clad in bright and deathless bloom.