

# God Is Our Rock

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based on Psalm 46:1-3  
and **John Newton** (1779)

SATB with opt. Rhythm

Music by  
**Pepper Choplin**

1/8 Soulful Gospel ♩ = 108

The musical score is written for piano and voice. It begins with a piano introduction in 4/4 time, marked *mf*. The key signature has two flats (Bb and Eb). The piano part features a steady eighth-note accompaniment in the bass and a more melodic line in the treble. The vocal line enters at measure 4 with the lyrics "God is our Rock, He is our sure foun - da - tion." The piano accompaniment continues with chords Bb, Eb, Dm, and G. The vocal line continues with "Sure-ly He nev - er will fail. God is our Rock, He is our". The piano accompaniment continues with chords Cm, EbM7, F, Eb, F, Bb, and Bb. The score includes a large watermark for Lorenz Publishing Co. and a "REVIEW ONLY" watermark.

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10

might - y tow - er His pow - er shall pre - vail.

Dm F/G G Cm7 F E<sup>b</sup>/B<sup>b</sup> E<sup>b</sup>/B<sup>b</sup> B<sup>b</sup> B<sup>b</sup>/F

13 *f*

God is our Rock, He is our sure foun - da - tion. Sure - ly He nev - er will

B<sup>b</sup> B<sup>b</sup>/E<sup>b</sup> Dm E/G G Cm E<sup>b</sup>M7

16

fail. God is our Rock, He is our might - y tow - er

F E<sup>b</sup>/F F B<sup>b</sup> Dm E/G G

3/10

*poco rit.*

19

His pow - er shall pre - vail.

Cm F Eb Bb

*poco rit.*

A bit slower ♩ = 104

*mf*

22

God is our ref - uge and strength through all our times of trou - ble.

A bit slower ♩ = 104

F7sus Eb

Gm7

*mf*

24

We will not fear, we will not fear.

F7sus Eb

Gm7

F

Dm7

26 *f*

And though the moun-tains shake, and though the earth will quake, we will trust the Lord on

*f*

F7sus Eb F Gm Fsus4 G Gm7 Cm7 EbM7

29 4/11

high. We will trust the Lord on high,

F Cm7 EbM7 Fsus4 F

32 *poco accel.* **Tempo I** ♩ = 108

*melody* God is our Rock, He is our sure foun - da - tion.

Fsus4 F Bb Bbsus4 Eb Bb Dm7 F G

*poco accel.*

44

The grace of God has led us

we have al - read - y come.

$F7_{sus}$   $E\flat$   $Gm7$   $F$   $Dm7$   $F7_{sus}$   $E\flat$

47

safe\_ thus far and sure - ly grace will lead us home.

$F$   $G$   $Gm$   $Cm7$   $E\flat M7$   $F$

50

*f*

Sure - ly grace will lead us home.

*f*

$Cm7$   $E\flat M7$   $F_{sus4}$   $F$   $F_{sus4}$   $F$

*f*

53

God is our Rock, He is our sure foun - da - tion. Sure - ly He nev - er will

Bb Bb Eb Dm7 F/G G Cm7 EbM7

56

fail. God is our Rock, He is our might - y tow - er;

F Eb/F F Bb Bb Eb Dm7 F/G G

59

His pow - er shall pre - vail. His pow - er shall pre -

Cm F Eb/Bb Bb Cm7 F



7/14

62

vail. For our God is our Rock, He is our

*boldly* *ff*

*boldly* *ff*

Dm7 G  $\frac{F}{G}$   $\frac{C}{G}$   $\frac{F}{G}$  G C

65

sure foun - da - tion. Sure - ly He nev - er will fail.

N.C.  $\frac{F}{G}$  G

68

God is our Rock, He is our might - y tow - er; His pow - er shall pre -

C C F Em7 G A Dm  $\frac{Dm}{F}$  Am G

71 *mf*  
 vail. God is our ref - uge and strength,  
*mf*

*F*/*C* C *F*/*C* C F2  
*dim.* *f* *mf*

74 *f*  
 through an - y trou - ble. We will not fear for  
*f*

*C*/*E* *G*/*A* Am Dm7 F/A  
*f*

76 *ff*  
 God is our Rock.  
*ff*

*C*/*G* G *F*/*G* C G C  
*ff*