

# Blest Is the Man Who, Fearing God

Based on Psalm 1

Guitar chords do not match vocals.

Capo 1: D Bm A D G A D

The musical score is written in 3/4 time with a key signature of one flat (Bb). It consists of two systems, each with a vocal line and a guitar accompaniment line. The guitar accompaniment is a simple harmonic accompaniment. The lyrics are as follows:

1. <sup>1</sup>Blest is the man who, fear - ing God, From sin re - strains his feet,  
 2. <sup>2</sup>Yea, blest is he who makes GOD's law His por - tion and de - light,  
 3. <sup>3</sup>*That man is nour - ished like a tree Set by the riv - er - side;*  
 4. <sup>4</sup>The wick - ed like the driv - en chaff Are swept from off the land;  
 5. <sup>5</sup>The LORD will guard the right - eous well, Their way to Him is known;

Who will not stand with wick - ed men, Who shuns the scorn - ers' seat.  
 And med - i - tates up - on that law With glad - ness day and night.  
*Its leaf is green, its fruit is sure, And thus his works a - bide.*  
<sup>5</sup>They shall not gath - er with the just, Nor in the judg - ment stand.  
 The way of sin - ners, far from God, Shall sure - ly be o'er - thrown.

Music: *Hymns and Sacred Poems*, Dublin, 1749  
 Text: *The Psalter*, 1912

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