

This is My Father's World

Words: Maltbie D. Babcock (1858-1901)

Music: Trad. English, adpt. Franklin L Sheppard (1852-1930)

D A D G D A

1. This is my Fa-ther's world, and to my list - ening ears All
2. This is my Fa-ther's world, the birds their car - ols raise, The
3. This is my Fa-ther's world. O let me ne'er for - get That

The first system of the sheet music features a treble and bass clef with a key signature of one sharp (F#) and a 4/4 time signature. The melody is written in the treble clef, and the accompaniment is in the bass clef. The lyrics are arranged in three lines, corresponding to the three verses. The system concludes with a double bar line.

D A D

na - ture sings, and round me rings the mu - sic of the spheres. This
morn - ing light, the lil - y white, de clare their ma-ker's praise. This
though the wrong seems oft so strong, God is the rul-er yet. This

The second system continues the melody and accompaniment. The lyrics are arranged in three lines. The system concludes with a double bar line.

G D G A

is my Fa - ther's world: I rest me in the thought Of
is my Fa - ther's world: He shines in all that's fair; In the
is my Fa - ther's world: why should my heart be sad? The

The third system continues the melody and accompaniment. The lyrics are arranged in three lines. The system concludes with a double bar line.

D A D

rocks and trees, of skies and seas; His hand the won - ders wrought.
rust - ling grass I hear Him pass; He speaks to me ev - ery - where.
Lord is King; let the heavens ring! God reigns; let the earth be glad!

The fourth and final system of the sheet music concludes the piece. The melody and accompaniment end with a double bar line. The lyrics are arranged in three lines.