

The Olive Tree

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The musical score is arranged in 2/4 time. It begins with a tempo marking of $\bullet = 100$. The piano accompaniment features a consistent triplet pattern in the right hand and a steady bass line in the left hand. The vocal line starts at measure 5 with the lyrics: "There's a call that comes to you and me. Strong and clear, to share His truth and light." The piano accompaniment includes a *rit.* (ritardando) marking at measure 11. The score continues with two more systems of music, each with a vocal line and piano accompaniment. The lyrics for the second system are: "It's our time to serve and bring new life _____ To a wait - ing,". The lyrics for the third system are: "wait - ing world in — need. Each new". The piano accompaniment for the final system includes several triplet markings in the right hand.

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day we'll nour - ish with His words. — Those who

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seek di - - - rec - tion from a - bove. With our

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hands we'll share the Mas - ter's touch. — With our hearts we'll

36

spread His end - less — love. Un - til He comes and His work is done, We'll

41 *rit.*

la- bor and we'll reap. — What joy we'll find this last time, As we serve the King of Kings.

41 *rit.*

47 *a tempo*

Heav-en's eyes smile down as we de - clare — Words of peace so

47 *a tempo*

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pre-cious and so rare. As we reap with ten - der - ness and care, —

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60 *rit. poco a poco*

Truth and hope bless na - tions ev - ery - where. —

60 *rit. poco a poco*