

O Thou Great God

(Alte Lieder 30)

Heinrich Collin (1772-1811)

Maximilian Stadler (1757-1833)

Solemnly

1 *mf*

1. O Thou great God! Al - might - y God!
2. O Ho - ly Word! God's Ho - ly Word!
3. O Shep - herd true! Thou Shep - herd true!

mf

5 *p*

He who de - votes him - self to Thee Shall
Blest he whose heart doth close - ly heed, When
Great is Thy tend - er, lov - ing care, Which

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8 *mf*

not look back re - gret - ful - ly;
God in won - drous ways doth lead;
Thou un - to Thy sheep doth share;

mf

11 *mf* *f*

Though hell it - self en - camp a - gainst him,
For he'll not leave the path - way stray - ing,
O guide Thy faith - ful flock se - cure - ly

mf *f*

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For he'll not leave the path - way stray - ing,
O guide Thy faith - ful flock se - cure - ly

Yet he fears not for Thou art with him;
The Spir - it's voice each day o - bey - ing;
That we may fol - low Thee sin - cere - ly;

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Through con - stant child - like trust in Thee,
Thy Word lends strength and cour - age new,
And lead us to e - ter - ni - ty

His an - chor stead - fast shalt Thou be;
And God grants grace to keep him true.
Where we for - ev - er blest shall be!

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