

# THE BLESSED VIRGIN

## Hail, all hail, great Queen of Heaven!

Our Lady of Lourdes

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Processional

(The melody of Hymn No. 76 "Daily, Daily" may also be used with this text, with repetition of the last two lines of the refrain.

Traditional Melody (1750)

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"Pone luctum"

*With spirit*

1. Hail! all hail, great Queen of Heav-en! Hail! sweet No-tre Dame de Lourdes,  
 2. Blest be thou a - bove all oth-ers, Ma - ry, mis-tress of the spheres,

'Neath whose care our wea - ry ex - ile Is from count-less ills se-cured!  
 Star of hope, se-re-ne-ly beam-ing Thro' this dark-some vale of tears.

**Refrain**

1-4. Then let men and An-gels praise thee For each bless-ing thou'st pro-cured,

While in glad-some strains we're sing-ing, Hail! sweet No-tre Dame de Lourdes!

3. Happy angels joy to own thee,  
 O'er their choirs exalted high,  
 Throned in blissful light and beauty,  
 Empress of the starry sky.

4. As the fount is still unsealing  
 Its pure treasure softly fair,  
 May each drop be fraught with healing,  
 Dearest Mother, at thy prayer.

Refrain: Then let men and angels praise thee, etc. Refrain: Then let men and angels praise thee, etc.

NOTE: For Congregational singing it is suggested that the hymn be transposed a full tone lower.