Mother, Thou'rt Faithful to Me

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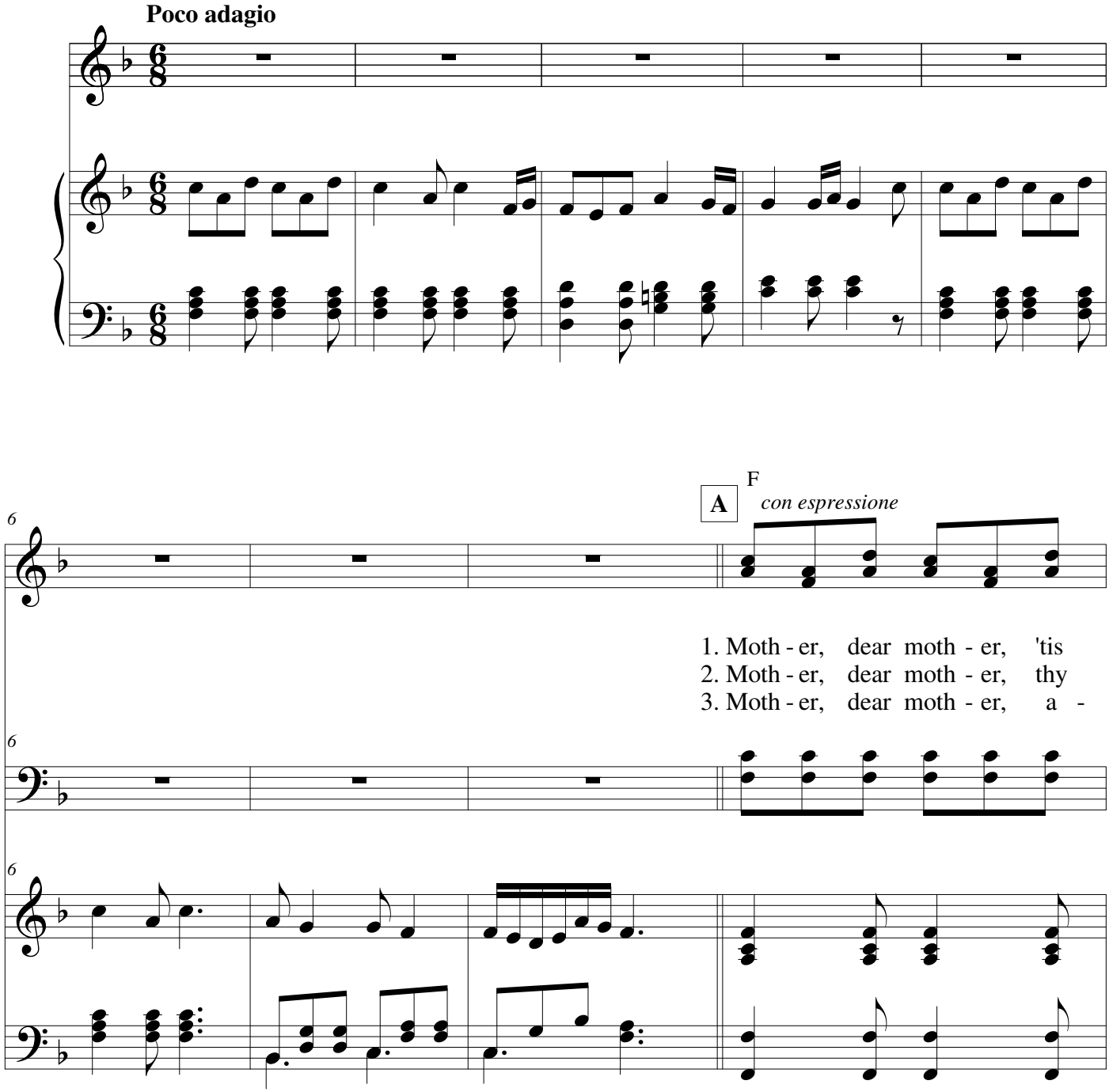

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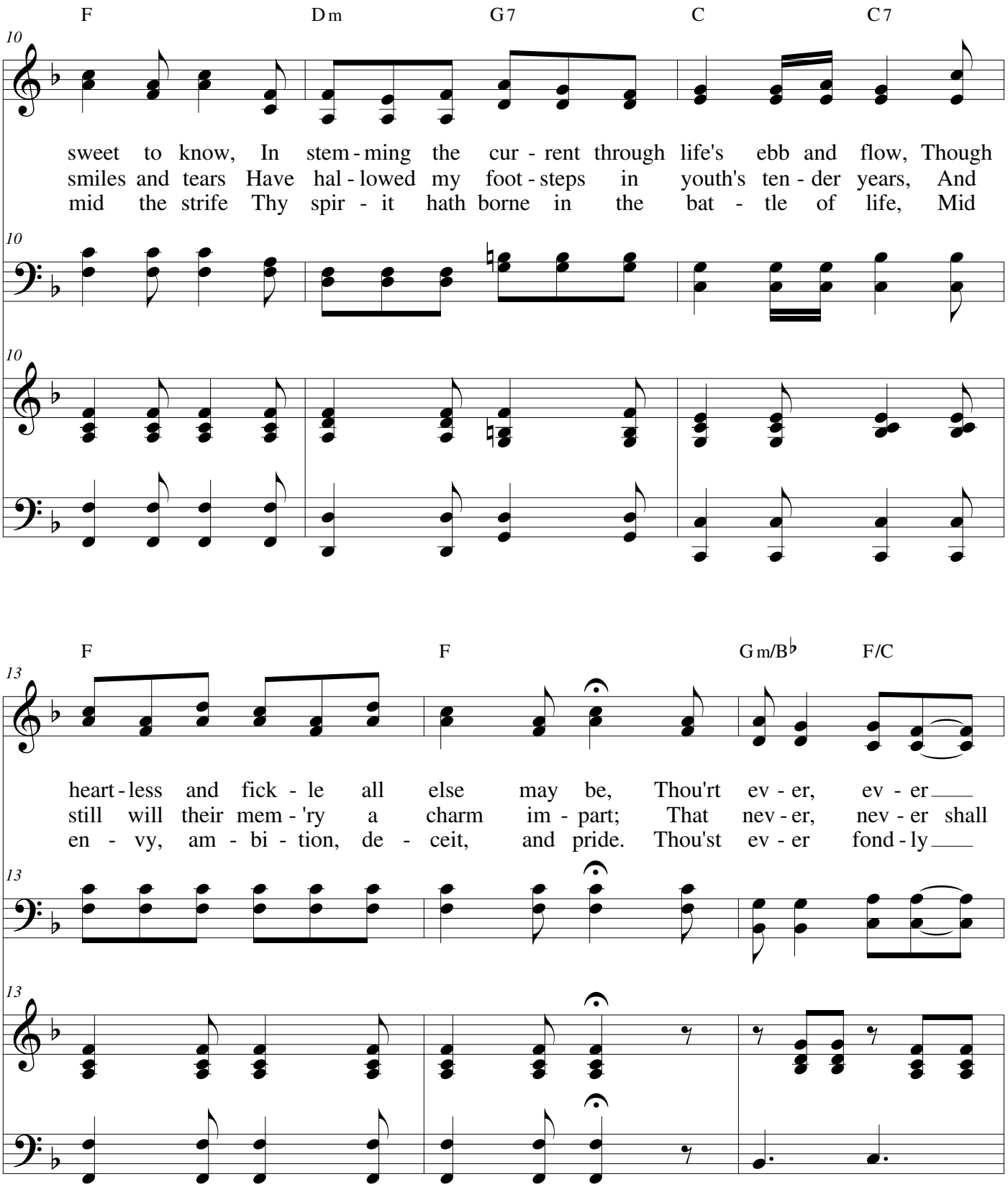
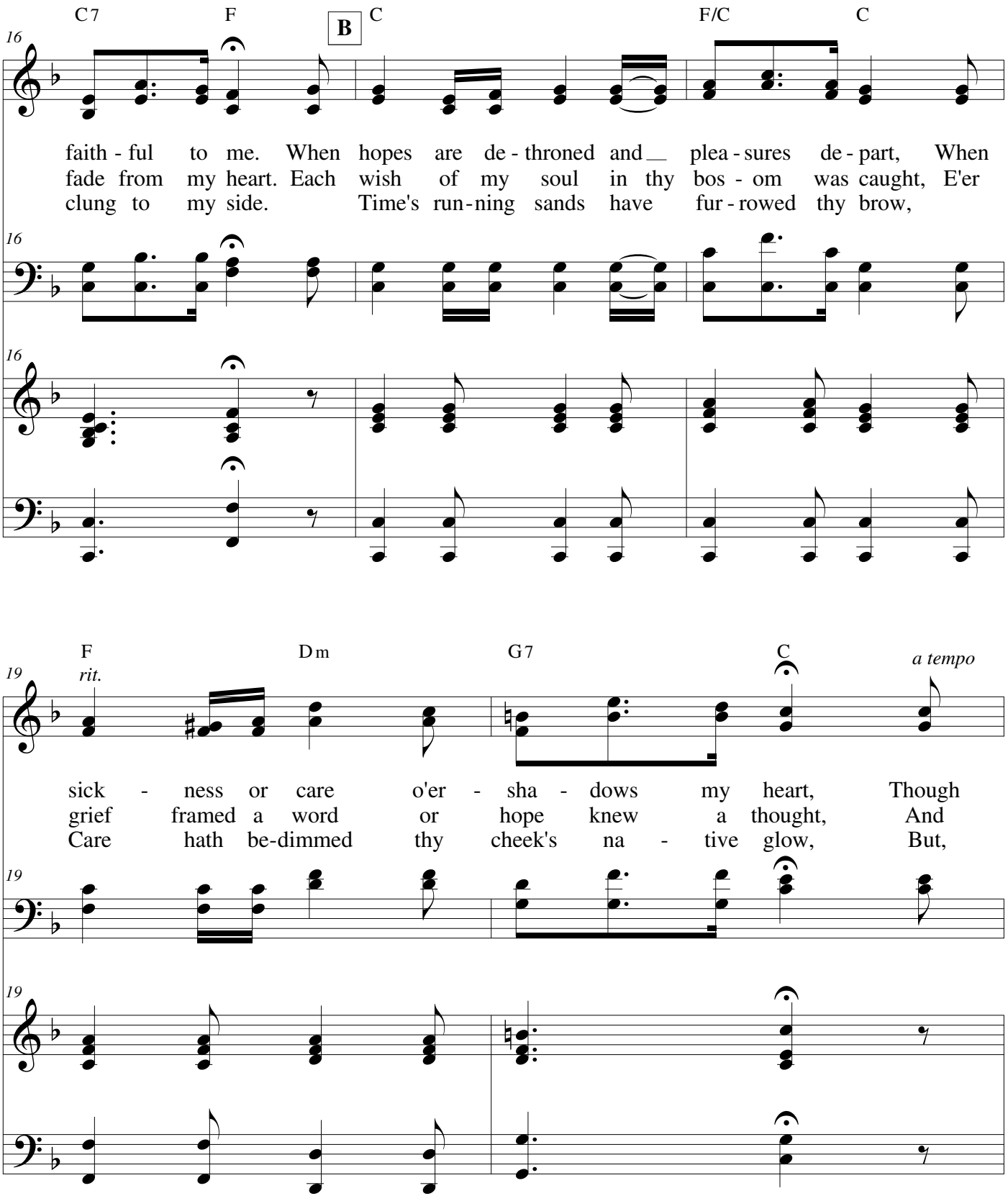
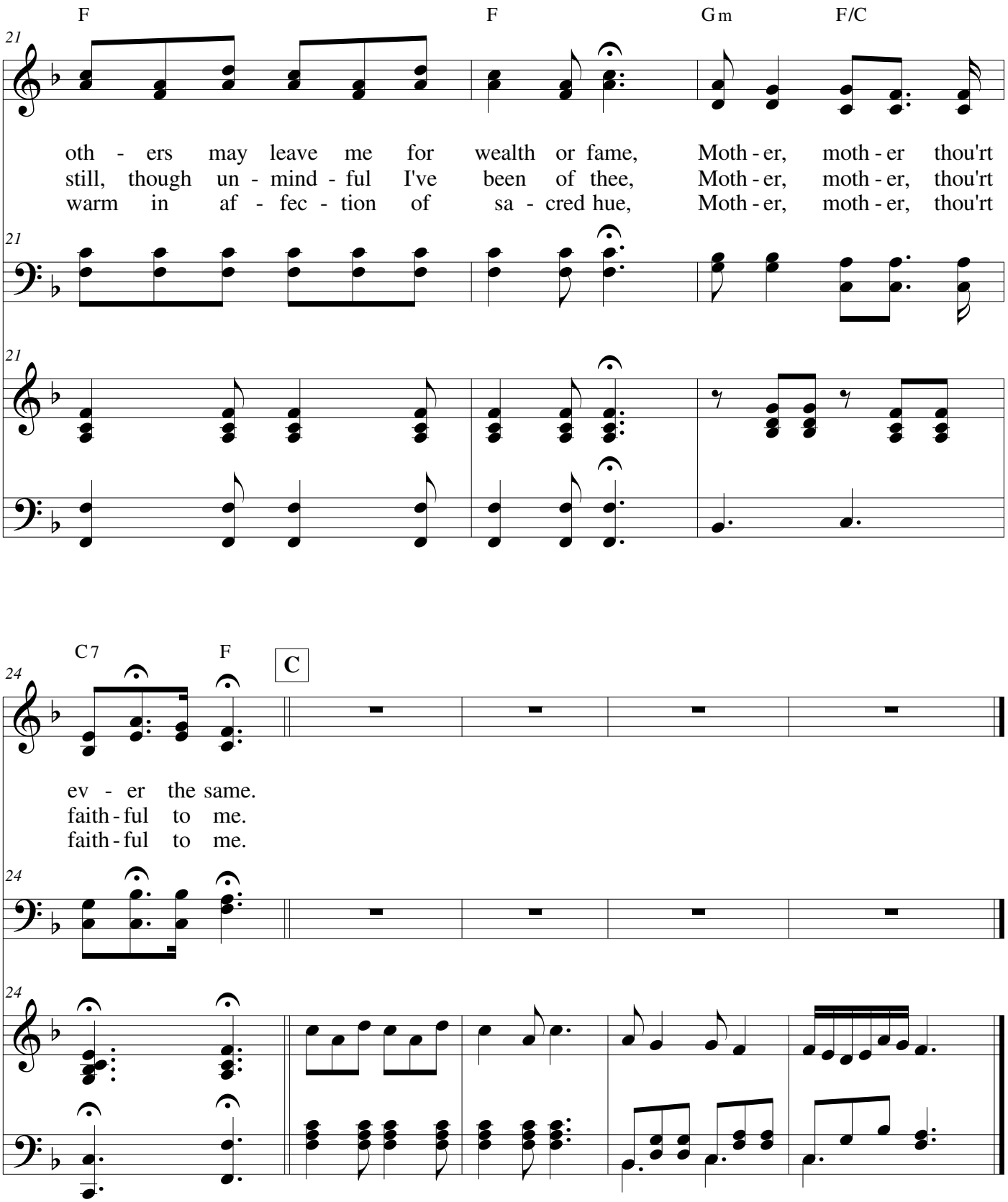

F
Dm
G7
C
C7
10
sweet to know, In stem - ming the cur - rent through life's ebb and flow, Though
smiles and tears Have hal - lowed my foot - steps in youth's ten - der years, And
mid the strife Thy spir - it hath borne in the bat - tle of life, Mid
F
F
Gm/B♭
F/C
13
heart - less and fick - le all else may be, Thou'rt ev - er, ev - er
still will their mem - 'ry a charm im - part; That nev - er, nev - er shall
en - vy, am - bi - tion, de - ceit, and pride. Thou'st ev - er fond - ly


C7
F
B
C
F/C
C
16
faith - ful to me. When hopes are de - throned and plea - sures de - part, When
fade from my heart. Each wish of my soul in thy bos - om was caught, E'er
clung to my side. Time's run - ning sands have fur - rowed thy brow,
F
Dm
G7
C
19
rit.
a tempo
sick - ness or care o'er - sha - dows my heart, Though
grief framed a word or hope knew a thought, And
Care hath be-dimmed thy cheek's na - tive glow, But,


F
F
Gm
F/C
21
oth - ers may leave me for wealth or fame, Moth - er, moth - er thou'rt
still, though un - mind - ful I've been of thee, Moth - er, moth - er, thou'rt
warm in af - fec - tion of sa - cred hue, Moth - er, moth - er, thou'rt
C7
F
C
24
ev - er the same.
faith - ful to me.
faith - ful to me.