

Father, Thy Children to Thee Now Raise

Energetically ♩ = 92-100

1. Fa - ther, thy chil - dren to thee now raise Glad, grate - ful songs for thy
2. Oh, may our songs to thy courts as - cend; Pleas - ing to thee may our

love and grace, For thy pro - tect - ing and watch - ful care O - ver thy
voic - es blend. Lead us as thou hast the faith - ful led; Feed us with

Saints dwell - ing far and near; Grate - ful to thee for the gos - pel light,
knowl - edge and dai - ly bread. Let us not stray from the paths of truth;

Which with its truth fills us with de - light, Glad that we've cho - sen the
For - give the fol - ly and faults of youth. Fa - ther, ac - cept thou the

bet - ter part. Songs of de - light fill each grate - ful heart.
songs of praise Which from our hearts un - to thee we raise.

The image shows a musical score for a hymn. It consists of two staves: a treble clef staff on top and a bass clef staff on the bottom. Both staves are in the key of D major (indicated by two sharps) and 4/4 time. The melody is written in the treble staff, and the bass line is in the bass staff. The lyrics are placed between the two staves, with hyphens indicating syllables that span across two lines of music. The lyrics are: "bet - ter part. Songs of de - light fill each grate - ful heart. songs of praise Which from our hearts un - to thee we raise." The music ends with a double bar line and repeat dots.

Text and music: Evan Stephens, 1854–1930

Psalm 13:6
Doctrine and Covenants 136:28