

# Not in Words of Human Wisdom

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♩=116 *G/D D A/D D G A7 D*

The first system of the score consists of a guitar line and piano accompaniment. The guitar line is a single staff with a treble clef, a key signature of one sharp (F#), and a 4/4 time signature. It contains four measures of whole rests. The piano accompaniment is a grand staff with treble and bass clefs, a key signature of one sharp, and a 4/4 time signature. It features a bass line with eighth notes and a treble line with chords and some melodic movement.

*G/D D A/D D Em*

Not in words of hu - man wis - dom Can we know,

The second system includes a vocal line and piano accompaniment. The vocal line is a single staff with a treble clef, a key signature of one sharp, and a 4/4 time signature. It contains four measures of music with lyrics: "Not in words of hu - man wis - dom Can we know,". The piano accompaniment is a grand staff with treble and bass clefs, a key signature of one sharp, and a 4/4 time signature. It features a bass line with eighth notes and a treble line with chords and some melodic movement.

*A G A7 D G D*

Hear a - new, Word be - yond our wor - dings, Save with - in your

The third system includes a vocal line and piano accompaniment. The vocal line is a single staff with a treble clef, a key signature of one sharp, and a 4/4 time signature. It contains four measures of music with lyrics: "Hear a - new, Word be - yond our wor - dings, Save with - in your". The piano accompaniment is a grand staff with treble and bass clefs, a key signature of one sharp, and a 4/4 time signature. It features a bass line with eighth notes and a treble line with chords and some melodic movement.

A *Bm(7)* G A

Spi - rit's mo - tion, Find we fire, Ho - ly fear,

G A7 D G A7 D

Fear and fa - sci - na - tion.

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| <p>1. Not in words of human wisdom<br/>Can we know,<br/>Hear anew,<br/>Word beyond our wordings,<br/>Save within your Spirit's motion,<br/>Find we fire,<br/>Holy fear,<br/>Fear and fascination.</p>                               | <p>3. There, our deepest trust reviving,<br/>Grace reveal,<br/>Cross fulfil,<br/>Through your fire's refining;<br/>And, our palsied spirits healing,<br/>Hope affirm,<br/>Love transform,<br/>Fill our inmost being.</p> |
| <p>2. To our spirits easing entrance,<br/>Sifting doubts,<br/>Sounding deeps,<br/>Search our very entrails;<br/>Through that wordless intercession<br/>Breathe our sighs,<br/>Form our souls,<br/>Free of this world's fashion.</p> | <p>4. Till at last our heart's surrender,<br/>Lost in praise,<br/>Soul surprise,<br/>Seals our spirit grandeur,<br/>To eternal life expanded,<br/>Day by day,<br/>Till we die,<br/>To that City pointed</p>              |