

3. Mary the Dawn

With feeling and very legato ♩ = 68

Music & lyrics: Michael Herry fms

Refrain F/A B^bsus2 C F^{sus}4 F F/A

To fol - low Christ as Ma - ry did: This now the

B^b Dm C/E F B^b C

Do not breathe → Do not breathe →

pearl we seek to - geth - er. You call us forth to be your

Am Dm B^b6/C B^b/F F

peo - ple: Your Liv - ing Word made flesh to day.

3. Mary the Dawn cont.

Text of Verses: Anon

Dm Gm⁷ C F[#]ma⁷ B^b Gm Am⁷ Dm

1. Mary the **dawn**, Christ the perfect **day**,
Mary the **gate**, Christ the **heav'n**-ly way.

May the **root**, Christ the mystic **vine**,
Mary the **grape**, Christ the **sac**-red wine.(To Refrain)

2. May the **wheat-sheaf**, Christ the living **bread**,
Mary the **rose-tree**, Christ the **rose**, blood-red.

Mary the **font**, Christ the cleansing **flood**,
Mary the **chalice**, Christ the **sav**-ing blood.(To Refrain)

3. Mary the **temple**, Christ the temple's **Lord**;
Mary the **shrine**, Christ the **God** adored.

Mary the **beacon**, Christ the haven's **rest**;
Mary the **mirror**, Christ the **vis**-ion blest! (To Refrain)

4. Mary the **sunrise**, Christ the glorious **day**.
Mary, first dis-**ciple**, Christ our **on**-ly way.

Mary the **mother**, Christ the mother's **son**
Both ever **blest**, while endless **a**-ges run.(To final Refrain)