

Psalm 40:12-17

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arr. Ralph Vaughan-Williams, 1908

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Guitar chords for unison singing only

1 F C F C B \flat C F

6. ¹² So man - y ills be - set me round They count - less seem to be;
7. ¹⁴ Let them be hum - bled and a - shamed Who would my soul de - stroy;
8. ¹⁶ Let all those seek - ing Thee re - joice; Let them in Thee be glad;

5 C F C B \flat C F

In - iq - ui - ties have closed me in Un - til I can - not see;
Turned back, dis - hon - ored let them be Who see my hurt with joy.
Those lov - ing Thy sal - va - tion say, "The LORD be mag - ni - fied."

9 Am F C F Gm C

They're more than hairs up - on my head; My heart is fail - ing me.
¹⁵ Let them be o - ver - come with shame; Let them frus - trat - ed be,
¹⁷ Al - though I poor and need - y am, The Lord takes thought of me.

13 F C F C B \flat C F

¹³ Be pleased, O LORD, to res - cue me; Make haste; O LORD, help me!
Who in their scorn and mal - ice say, "A - ha! A - ha!" to me.
My Help and my De - liv - er - er, My God, do not de - lay!