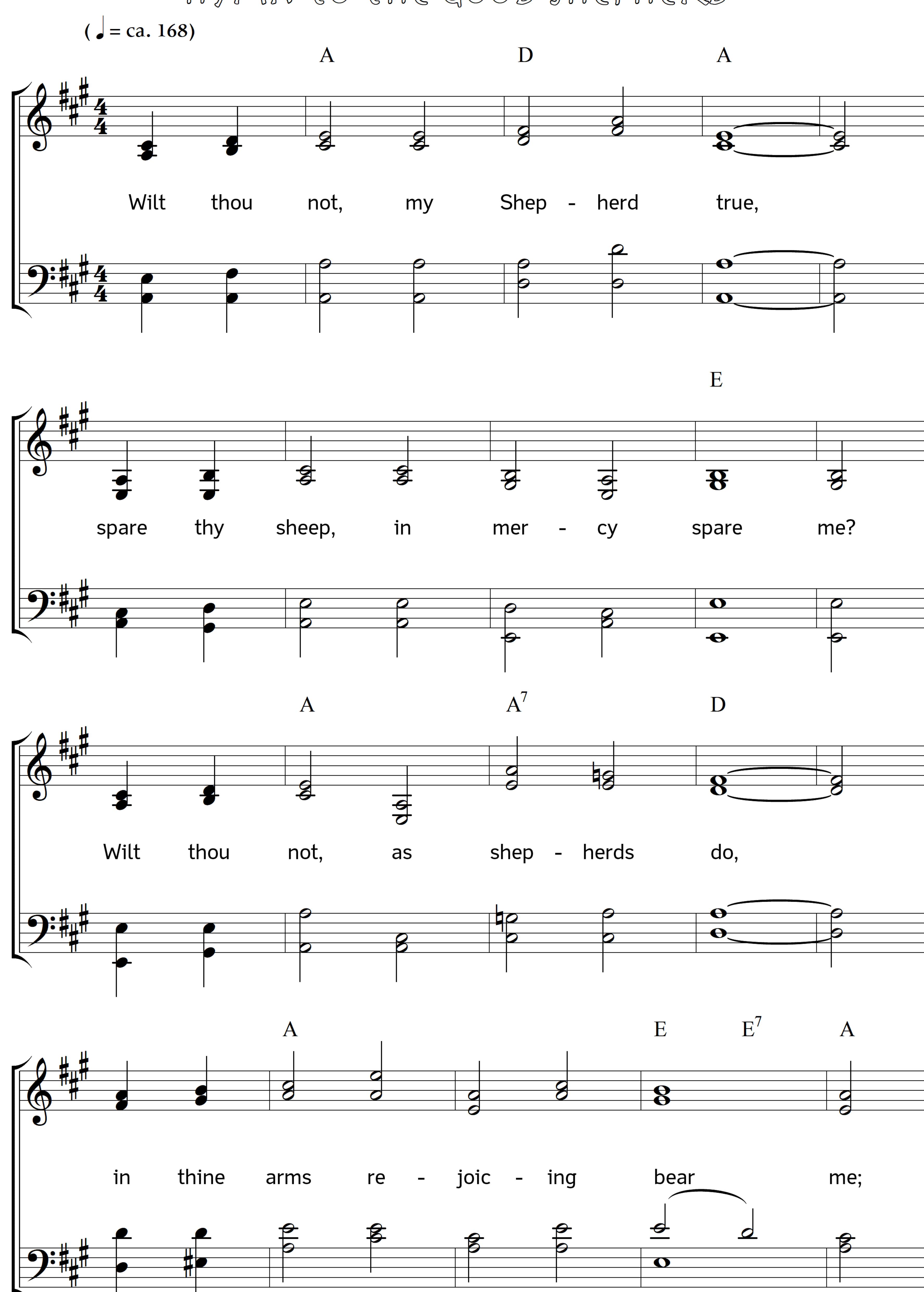
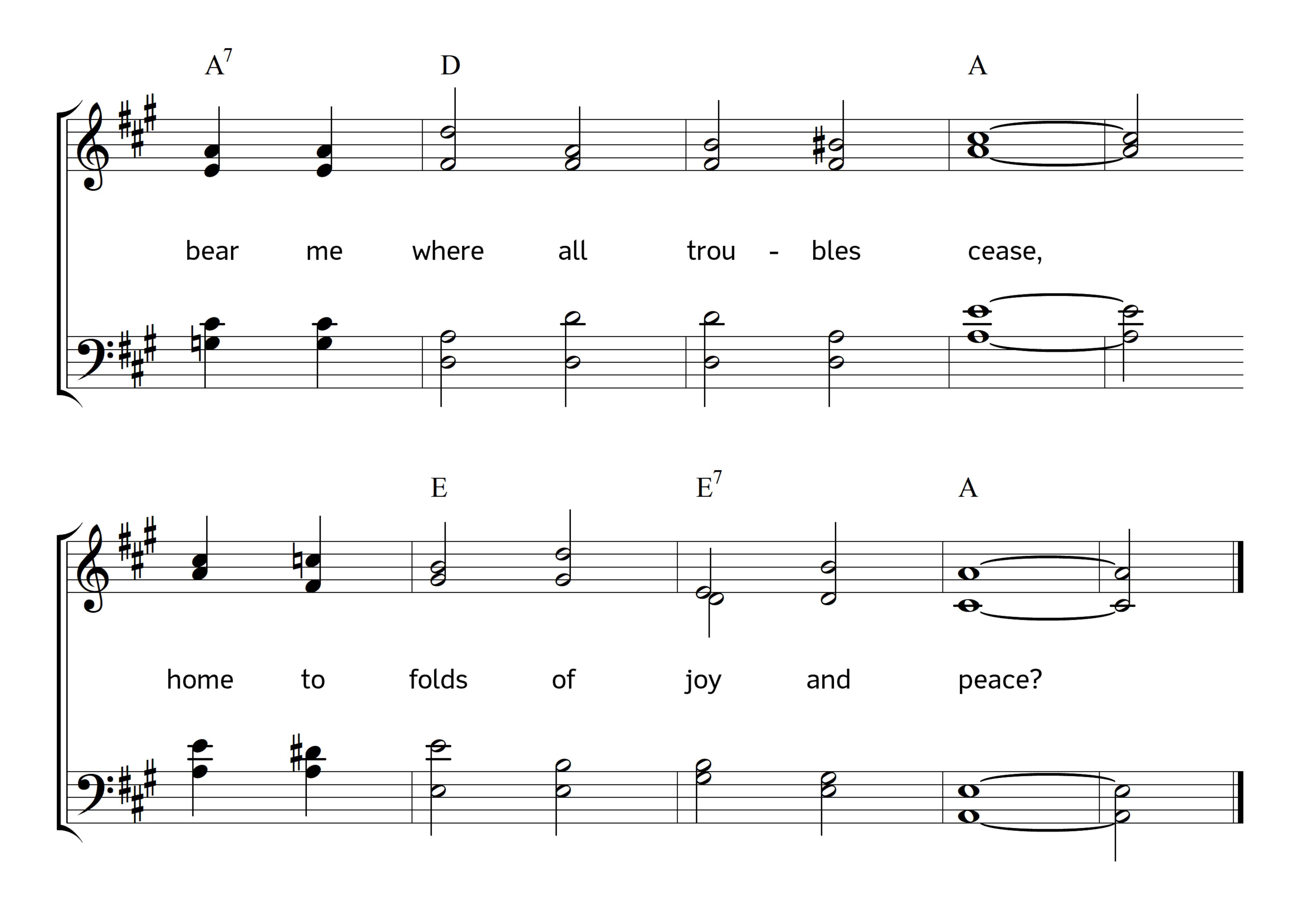
HYMN TO THE GOOD SHEPHERD





- 2. See, on earth's wide desert way how my truant steps mislead me; bring me back, no more to stray, in thine own green pastures feed me. Gather me within thy fold, where thy lambs thy light behold.
- 4. Lord! I here am sore beset,
 fears at every step confound me;
 lo! my foes have spread their net,
 and with craft and might surround me:
 such their snares on every side,
 safe thy sheep can ne'er abide.

3. With thy flock I long to be, with the flock to whom 'tis given safe to feed, and, praising thee, roam the happy plains of heaven: free from fear or sinful stain, they can never stray again.

5. Jesus, Lord! my Shepherd true, oh from wolves thy sheep deliver; help, as shepherds wont to do, from their jaws preserve me ever: bid the trembling wanderer come to his everlasting home.

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