

May Nothing Evil Cross This Door

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♩ = 44

The musical score is written for a four-part choir (Soprano, Alto, Tenor, Bass) in 3/4 time. It consists of six systems of music, each with a vocal line and a bass line. The lyrics are printed below the vocal line. The score begins with a tempo marking of quarter note = 44. The key signature has one flat (B-flat). The piece concludes with a double bar line and repeat dots.

1. May noth - ing e - vil cross this door,
2. By faith made strong, the raft - ers will
3. Peace shall walk soft - ly through these rooms,
4. With laugh - ter drown the rau - cous shout,

and may ill for - tune nev - er
with - stand the bat - tering of the
touch - ing our lips with ho - ly
and, though these shel - tering walls are

pry a - bout these win - dows; may the
storm. This hearth, though all the world grow
wine, till ev - 'ry cas - ual cor - ner
thin, may they be strong to keep hate

roar and rain go by.
chill, will keep you warm.
blooms in - to a shrine.
out and hold love in.

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