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THERE'S A WIDENESS IN GOD'S MERCY

Frederick Faber (1814-1863)

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The musical score consists of four staves of music in common time (indicated by '4/4') and G major (indicated by a single sharp sign). The first staff begins with a treble clef. The second staff begins with a bass clef. The third and fourth staves begin with a treble clef.

Lyrics:

- Staff 1:** 1. There's a wide-ness in God's mer - cy Like the wideness of the sea;
2. For the love of God is broad- er Than the measures of our mind
3. Trou-bled souls, why will you scat-ter Like a crowd of fight-ed sheep
- Staff 2:** There's a kind-ness in God's jus - tice Which is more than lib - er - ty.
And the heart of the E - ter - nal Is most won-der- ful- ly kind.
Fool-ish hearts, why will you wan - der From a love so true and deep?
- Staff 3:** There is plen-ti - ful re-demp-tion In the blood that has been shed
If our love were but more sim- ple We should take God at his word
There is wel-come for the sin- ner And more grac - es for the good
- Staff 4:** There is joy for all the mem - bers In the sor - rows of the Head.
And our lives would be thanks-giv-ing For the good-ness of the Lord.
There is mer - cy with the Sav - ior, There is heal-ing in his blood.

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