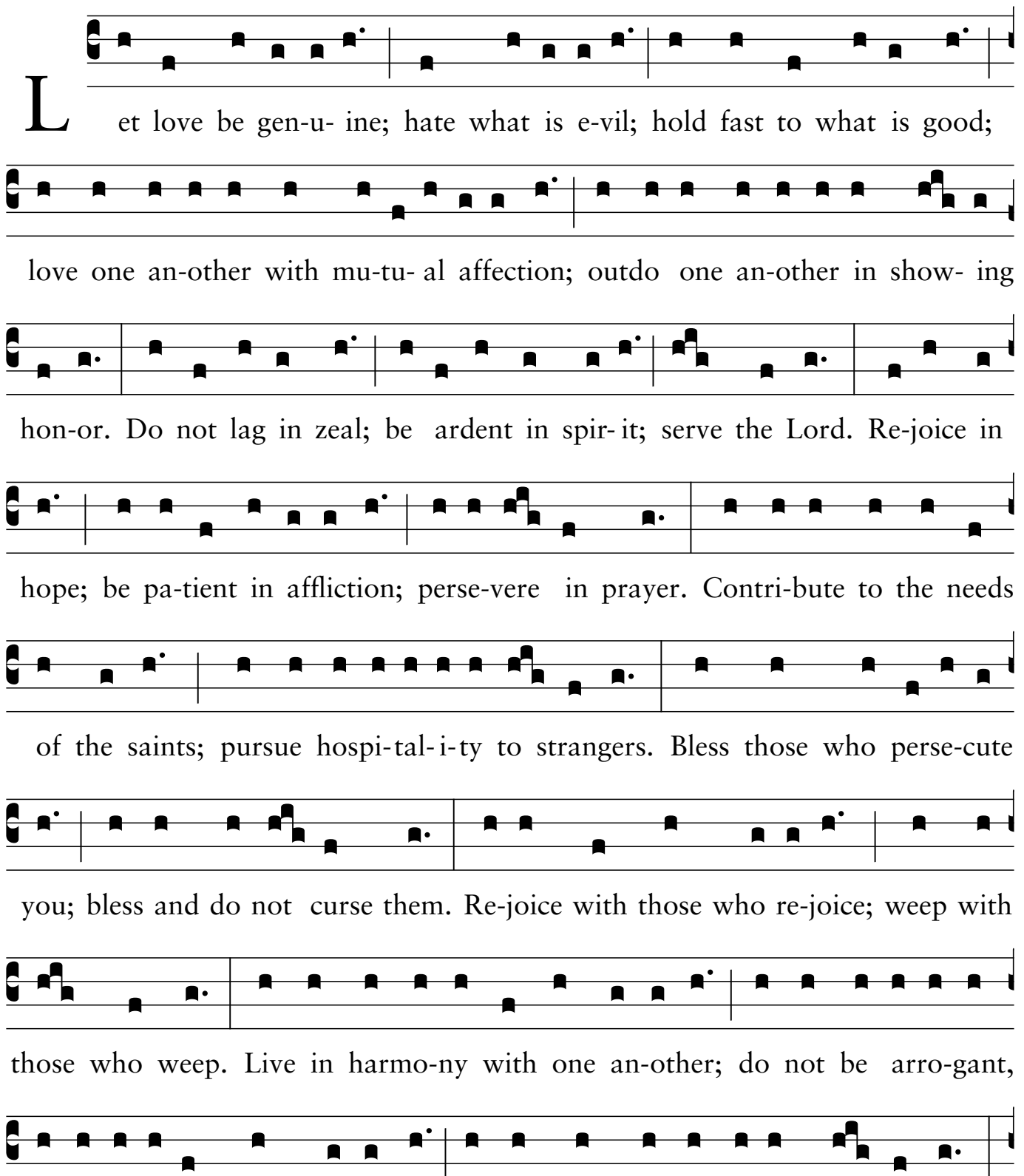
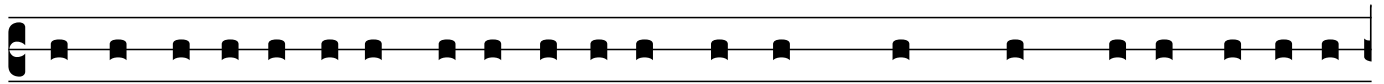


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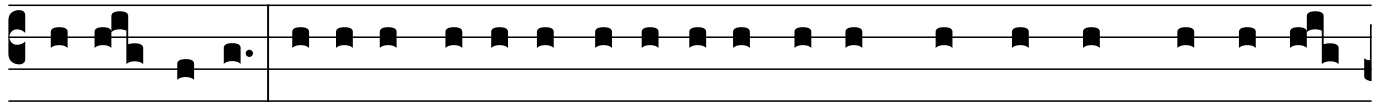
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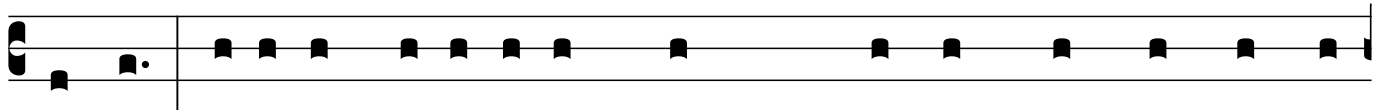
L et love be gen-u- ine; hate what is e-vil; hold fast to what is good;
love one an-other with mu-tu- al affection; outdo one an-other in show- ing
hon-or. Do not lag in zeal; be ardent in spir-it; serve the Lord. Re-joice in
hope; be pa-tient in affliction; perse-vere in prayer. Contri-bute to the needs
of the saints; pursue hospi-tal-i-ty to strangers. Bless those who perse-cute
you; bless and do not curse them. Re-joice with those who re-joice; weep with
those who weep. Live in harmo-ny with one an-other; do not be arro-gant,
but asso-ci- ate with the lowly; do not claim to be wis-er than you are.



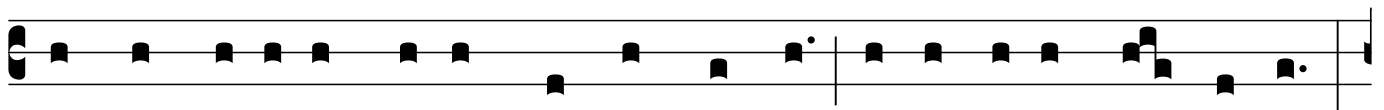
Do not repay an-y- one e-vil for e-vil, but take thought for what is noble in



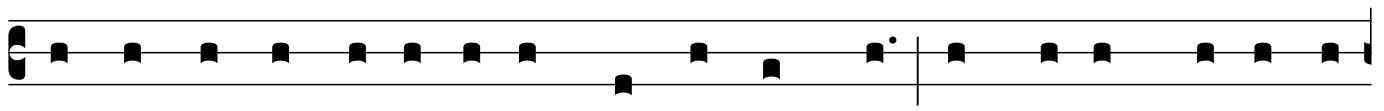
the sight of all. If it is possible, so far as it de-pends on you, live peaceably



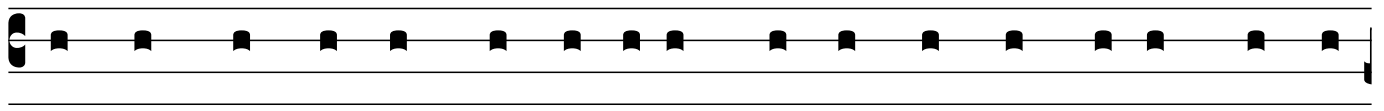
with all. Be-lov-ed, nev-er a-venge yourselves, but leave room for the wrath



of God, for it is writ-ten,“Vengeance is mine; I will repay, says the Lord.”



Instead,“if your en-emies are hungry, feed them; if they are thirsty, give



them something to drink, for by do- ing this you will heap burning coals on



their heads.” Do not be o-vercome by e-vil, but o-vercome e-vil with good.