Help Me, O Lord! Behold, I Enter

Doh is Bb · 3/4 Tune: NEUMARK

| m, - l, - t, - | d - - - t, - | l, - - - t, - | se, - m, - - - |
Help me, O Lord! Be- hold, I enter

| s, - s, - f, - | m, - - - l, - | l, - - - se, - | l, - - - - - |
Upon an- other year to day;

| m, - l, - t, - | d - - - t, - | l, - - - t, - | se, - m, - - - |
In Thee my hopes and thoughts now center,

| s, - s, - f, - | m, - - - l, - | l, - - - se, - | l, - - - - - |
Renew my courage for the way:

| t, - d - r - | m - - - m - | r - - - r - | d - - - - - |
New life, new strength, new happi- ness

| d - t, - l, - | se, - - - l, - | l, - - - se, - | l, - - - |
I ask of Thee, O hear and bless!

The other verses

2 May every plan and undertaking
This year be all begun with Thee;
When I am sleeping or am waking,
Still let me know Thou art with me;
Abroad do Thou my footsteps guide,
At home be ever at my side.

3 Be this a time of grace and pardon;
Thy rod I take with willing mind,
But suffer naught my heart to harden;
O let me now Thy mercy find;
In Thee alone, my God, I live,
Thou only canst my sins forgive.

4 And may this year to me be holy;
Thy grace so fill my every thought
That all my life be pure and lowly
And truthful as a Christian's ought;
So make me, while yet dwelling here,
Pious and blest from year to year.

5 And grant, Lord, when the year is over,
That it for me in peace may close;
In all things care for me and cover
My head in time of fear and woes;
So may I, when my years are gone,
Appear with joy before Thy throne.

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