



## IRISH BLESSING (A PARTING BLESSING)

Words traditional

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Arranged by DON GRAY

Tenor Lead

8

1 2 3

May the road rise to meet you, May the wind be al-ways at your

Bari Bass

4 5 6 7 8

back, May the sun shine warm u-pon your face. \_\_\_\_\_ May the

9 10 11 12

rain fall soft u - pon your fields, \_\_\_\_\_ And un -

13 14 15 16

8  
til we meet a - gain, may He hold you in His hand. May God

17 18 19 20

8  
hold you in the palm of His, Hold you in the palm of His hand.

hand. \_\_\_\_\_

hand. \_\_\_\_\_

Detailed description: This is a musical score for a barbershop arrangement of 'Irish Blessing'. It consists of two systems of music. The first system covers measures 13 to 16, and the second system covers measures 17 to 20. Each system has a vocal line (treble clef) and a piano accompaniment line (bass clef). The vocal line includes lyrics: 'til we meet a - gain, may He hold you in His hand. May God' in the first system, and 'hold you in the palm of His, Hold you in the palm of His hand.' in the second system. The piano accompaniment features chords and melodic lines. There are 'hand.' markings with lines extending to the right in the second system, indicating the end of the piece.



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