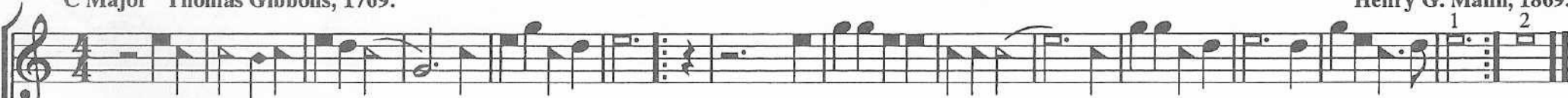


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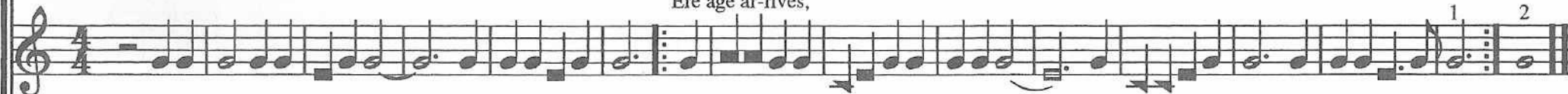
"Remember now thy Creator in the days of thy youth." -- Ecc. 12:1.

C Major Thomas Gibbons, 1769.

Henry G. Mann, 1869.



1. In the bright season of thy youth, In nature's smiling bloom, Ere age arrives, and trembling waits Its summons to the tomb, Its summons to the tomb.
Ere age ar-rives,



2. Re-mem-ber thy Creator, God; For Him thy pow'rs employ; Make Him thy fear, thy love, thy hope, Thy portion and thy joy, Thy portion and thy joy.
Make Him thy fear,



3. The Lord will safely guide thy course O'er life's uncertain seas. And bring thee to the peaceful shore, The heav'n prepared for thee, The heav'n prepared for thee.
And bring thee to

