

Capo 1st

I Need Thee Every Hour

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The musical score is written for piano and voice. It features a treble and bass clef with a key signature of one sharp (F#) and a 2/4 time signature. The score is divided into four systems, each with a key signature change indicated by a sharp sign on the treble clef line. The first system starts with a G major chord, followed by a C major chord, and then a G major chord. The second system starts with a D major chord, followed by a G major chord, and then a D major chord. The third system starts with a G major chord, followed by a D major chord, a D7 chord, and then a G major chord. The fourth system starts with a C major chord, followed by a G major chord, an Am7 chord, a G major chord, a D7 chord, and then a G major chord. The score ends with a 4x repeat sign. The lyrics are written below the piano part, with four verses of text for each line of music.

1. I need Thee ev - 'ry hour, Most gra - cious Lord;
2. I need Thee ev - 'ry hour, Stay Thou near - by;
3. I need Thee ev - 'ry hour, In joy or pain;
4. I need Thee ev - 'ry hour, Most Ho - ly One;

5 No ten - der voice like Thine Can peace af - ford.
Temp - ta - tions lose their pow'r When Thou art nigh.
Come quick - ly and a - bide, Or life is vain.
O make me Thine in - deed, Thou bless - ed Son!

10 I need Thee, O I need Thee; Ev - 'ry hour I need Thee!

15 O bless me now, my Sav - iour, I come to Thee!

4x