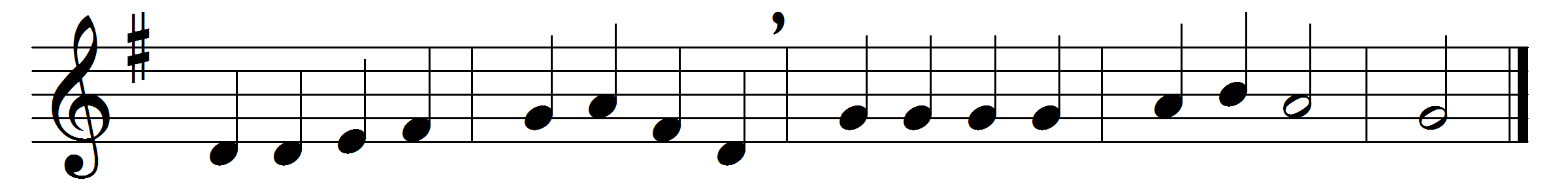
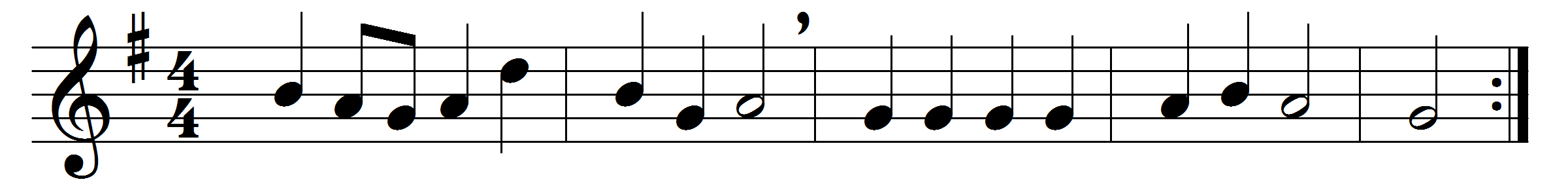
Dearest Jesu, we are here AMNS 269 Melody: Liebster Jesu 7 8. 7 8. 8 8.



Dearest Jesu, we are here,  
at thy call, thy presence owning;  
pleading now in holy fear  
that great sacrifice atoning:  
Word incarnate, much in wonder  
on this mystery deep we ponder.

Jesu, strong to save – the same  
yesterday, to-day, for ever –   
make us fear and love thy name,  
serving thee with best endeavour:  
in this life, O ne’er forsake us,  
but to bliss hereafter take us.

Words: George Ratcliffe Woodward (1848-1934) after Tobias Clausnitzer (1619-1684)

Music: Johann Rudolf Ahle (1625-1673), harmonised by Johann Sebastian Bach (1685-1750)