

O PERFECT LOVE MARRIAGE / WEDDING SONG :

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 4/4 time (pu = 0) using **OTEN** EASY Music Notation Method
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VERSES Osborne Text-Based Notation (OTEN) -- see website tab for full explanation

	1	+	2	+	3	+	4	+	1	+	2	+	3	+	4	+
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	D								A							
1a	O	—	PER-	FECT	LOVE,	—	all	—								
<i>melody</i>	vD	—	F#	^A	A	—	A	—								

	D			Em					G							
1b	hu-	man	thought	trans-	pend-	-ing,	—								
<i>melody</i>	A	A	^D	C#	C#	—	B	—								

	Em								D							
1c	Low-	—	ly	we	kneel	—	in	—								
<i>melody</i>	vE	—	F#	G	^A	—	F#	—								

	Bm								A							
1d	prayer	be-	fore	Thy	throne,	—	—	—								
<i>melody</i>	vD	D	F#	E	vC#	—	—	—								

	1	+	2	+	3	+	4	+	1	+	2	+	3	+	4	+
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	D								A							
1e	that	—	theirs	may	be	—	the	—								
<i>melody</i>	vD	—	F#	^A	A	—	A	—								

	D								F#				G			
1f	love	which	knows	no	end-	—	ing,	—								
<i>melody</i>	A	A	^D	C#	C#	—	B	—								

	G								Bm				Em			
1g	whom	—	Thou	for-	ev-	er-	more	dost								
<i>melody</i>	B	—	A	G	F#	^A	G	E								

	Em								D							
1h	join	—	in	—	one.	—	—	—								
<i>melody</i>	vB	—	C#	—	D	—	—	—								

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LYRICS

VERSE 1

O perfect Love, all human thought transcending,
lowly we kneel in prayer before Thy throne,
that theirs may be the love which knows no ending,
whom Thou in sacred vow dost join in one.

VERSE 2

O perfect Life, be Thou their full assurance
of tender charity and steadfast faith,
of patient hope and quiet, brave endurance,
with childlike trust that fears no pain or death.

VERSE 3

Grant them the joy which brightens earthly sorrow;
grant them the peace which calms all earthly strife;
grant them the vision of the glorious morrow
that will reveal eternal love and life.