

RISE UP, O MEN OF GOD! : OTEN Easy Music

by William P. Merrill; Aaron Williams's melody

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 4/4 time (pu = 1) using **OTEN** EASY Music Notation Method
 TEMPO: **110** BPM Public Domain

“Therefore we also, since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us lay aside every weight, and the sin which so easily ensnares us, and let us run with endurance the race that is set before us, looking unto Jesus, the author and finisher of our faith, who for the joy that was set before Him endured the cross, despising the shame, and has sat down at the right hand of the throne of God. For consider Him who endured such hostility from sinners against Himself, lest you become weary and discouraged in your souls.” - Hebrews 12:1-3 New KJV

VERSES		<i>Osborne TExt-Based Notation (OTEN) -- see website tab for full explanation</i>														
	1	+	2	+	3	+	4	+	1	+	2	+	3	+	4	+
	Bb								Bb							
Pre-Verse 1			—		—		—		—		—		—			Rise
<i>melody</i>																F
=====																
1a	Bb								Eb							(Bb)
<i>melody</i>	UP,		o		men		of		God!		—		—			Have
	[^] Bb		F		vD		F		G		—		—			F
1b	Eb				F		C		F							Give
<i>melody</i>	DONE.....		with		less-		er		things.		—		—			[^] C
	GA		Bb		A		G		F		—		—			
1c	Bb				Cm				C (major)							F
<i>melody</i>	heart _		and.....		mind _		and _		soul _		and _		strength_		to _	
	[^] D _		C....		[^] D		Eb _		D _		C _		Bb _		A _	
																vF _
1d	Eb				F				Bb							(Rise)
<i>melody</i>	serve.....		the _		King _		of _		Kings.		—		—			vF
	G A		[^] Bb		Bb		A		Bb		—		—			
=====																
	1	+	2	+	3	+	4	+	1	+	2	+	3	+	4	+

NOTE: Some hymnals have changed the writer's words from “men” to “church” to avoid using a gender specific word. But the song's purpose was to encourage INDIVIDUALS to be “Followers of the Son of Man” (end of Verse 4).

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LYRICS

VERSE 1

Rise up O men of God.
Have done with lesser things.
Give heart & soul & mind & strength
To serve the King of kings!

VERSE 2

Rise up O men of God:
His kingdom tarries long.
Bring in the day of brotherhood
And end the night of wrong.

VERSE 3

Rise up O men of God:
The church for you doth wait.
Her strength unequal to her task –
Rise up and make her great.

VERSE 4

Lift high the cross of Christ.
Tread where His feet have trod.
As brothers of the Son of Man,
Rise up O men of God.

God's Truth in James 2:19> "Believing in" God is NEVER enough to save us:
Demons "believe in God".... and TREMBLE.