

When Sons Rise Up

Guitar chords for unison singing only

The musical score is written for guitar and unison singing. It consists of five systems of music, each with a vocal line and a guitar line. The key signature is F# major (three sharps: F#, C#, G#) and the time signature is 6/8. The guitar chords are indicated above the vocal line. The lyrics are written below the vocal line.

System 1: Chords: D, F#m, Bm, F#m D, A/C#, A. Lyrics: 1. When sons rise up to call their moth - er blest, They sim - ply say what

System 2: Chords: Bm, A, B7, E, D, F#m, Bm, A/E. Lyrics: 2. When wom - en leave the lot ap - por - tioned them To grab and grasp for
3. But those who teach, re - buke, in - struct, and spank, Pre - pare their sons to

System 3: Chords: C#m, A, E, F#m, Bm, E, D, A. Lyrics: those who know can see: That moth - ers fear - ing God sur - pass the
what is not their own, They leave be - hind a trail of dam - aged
fight whom they could not. And so a grate - ful church has God to

System 4: Chords: D, F#m, Bm, F#m D, A/C#, A. Lyrics: rest, And prais - es must be ren - dered thank - ful - ly.
men Whose wounds won't bleed un - til they've ful - ly grown.
thank For vic - to - ries of grace by prox - y fought.

System 5: Chords: Bm, A, B7, E. Lyrics: 4. And so I thank our rul - ing God a - bove For giv - ing me the
Spoken:
gra - cious pres - ent of my mother.

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