

# MAKE ME AN INSTRUMENT

In the tradition of  
Francis of Assisi

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The musical score is written on three staves in treble clef with a common time signature (C). The key signature has three sharps (F#, C#, G#). The melody consists of eighth and quarter notes, with several triplet markings (indicated by a '3' above a bracket). The lyrics are: 'Make me an in - stru - ment of your peace, make me an in - stru - ment of your peace. Make me a sa - cra - ment of your love, make me a sa - cra - ment of your love, O God.'

1. Make me a channel of your peace.  
Where there is hatred, let me bring love.  
Where there is injury, let me bring forgiveness.  
Where there is doubt, true faith in you, O God.
2. Make me a channel of your peace.  
Where there's despair, let me bring hope.  
Where there is darkness, let me bring light.  
Where there is sadness, ever joy, O God.
3. Grant that I may not seek.  
to be consoled; let me console,  
to be understood; let me understand,  
to be loved, let me love with all my soul, O God.
4. Peace before us, peace behind us,  
peace under our feet.  
Peace within us, peace over us,  
let all around us be peace. (2x)
5. Make me a channel of your peace.  
When we pardon, we are pardoned.  
When we give of ourselves, we receive.  
When we die, we are born again, O God.

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