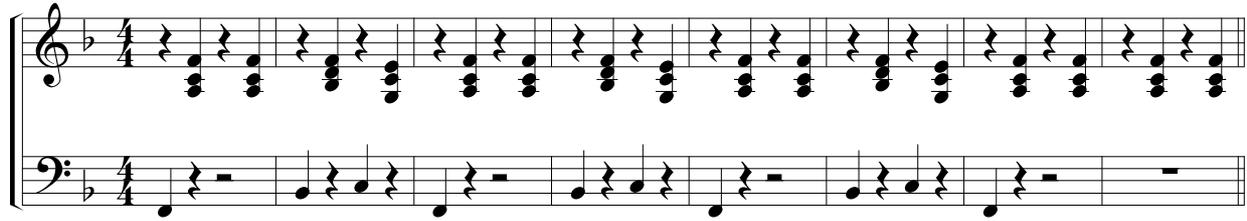


# THE SOWER

Mark vs 1-20, Luke vs 4-15

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F B $\flat$  C F B $\flat$  C F B $\flat$  C F



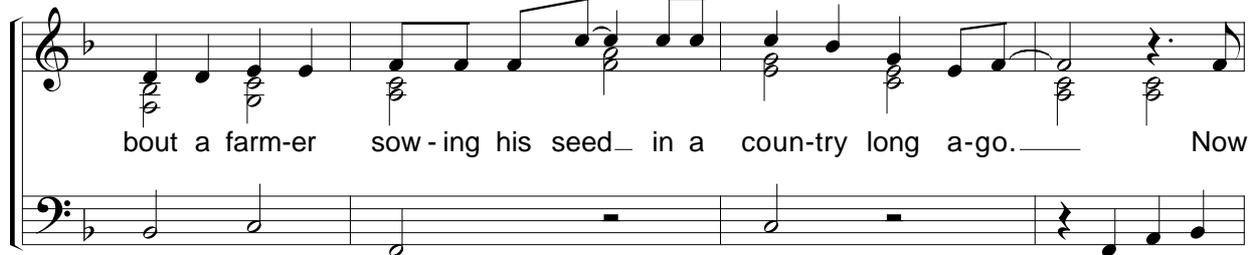
**Verse**  
C F C F

List-en to a sto - ry, you've heard it once - be - fore, a-



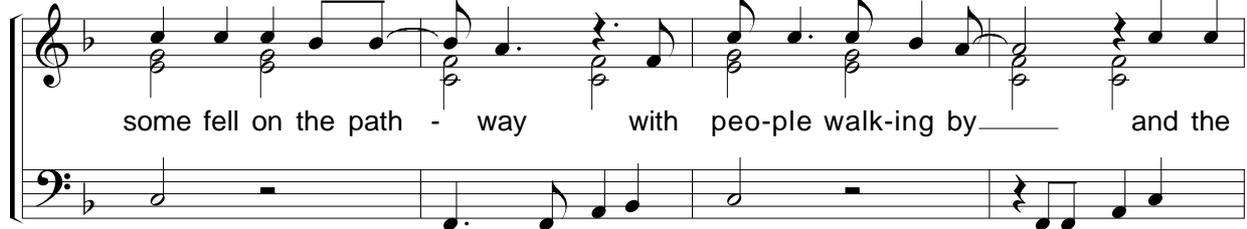
B $\flat$  C F C F

bout a farm-er sow - ing his seed - in a coun - try long a - go. Now



C F C F

some fell on the path - way with peo - ple walk - ing by and the



Dm C B $\flat$  C F **Chorus**

birds came down and ate it up and flew up to the sky. So if



C F C F

you have ears - to hear - me, if you have eyes - to see, if



B $\flat$  F Dm C

you have un - der - stand - ing, — then lis - ten well — to me. The

F C F

sec - rets of — the king - dom are here for you — to know, so

Dm C B $\flat$  C F C

fol - low what — He tells you and watch as you will grow, and you will grow —

F B $\flat$  C F

— tall - er than you know.

2. And some fell on the rocky ground  
And started growing high.  
But plants can't live without a drink,  
And soon they all had died.  
And some fell on the thorny ground  
And started growing strong,  
But all around were weeds and thorns  
That choked them till they'd gone.

3. But some fell on the good soil,  
And when it was full grown,  
It gave the farmer back  
A hundred times what had been sown

4. For people on the pathway  
The truth is snatched away  
The devil wants to stop them from  
Believing and being saved.  
For people on the rocky ground  
The truth is in their grasp,  
But the root is not secure  
And so this faith won't last.

5. For people on the thorny gound  
They start out so brave  
But cares and worries, wealth and pleasures  
Choked the life away.  
But people on the good soil  
Could one of them be you?  
When they hear they persevere  
And show God's love is true.