

# How Gentle The Rain

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The musical score is written in treble clef with a key signature of one sharp (F#) and a common time signature (C). The melody consists of quarter and eighth notes. Chord symbols are placed above the staff: D, D7, G, D, D7, G. The lyrics are: "1. How gen - tle the rain, how gen - tle the rain, How gen - tle the rain that falls. How gen - tle the rain, how gen - tle the rain, How gen - tle the rain that falls." The score is divided into three systems. The first system starts at measure 8, the second at measure 13, and the third at measure 16. The piece ends with a double bar line at the end of the third system.

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| <p>2. The thirsty earth waits, the thirsty earth waits<br/>The seed lifts its mouth to the sky.<br/>(repeat)</p> <p>3. How strong is the flower, how strong is the flower<br/>That pushes its way to the sun.<br/>(repeat)</p> | <p>4. The night comes around, the night comes around<br/>And kisses the earth with sleep.<br/>(repeat)</p> <p>5. The bird starts to sing, the bird starts to sing,<br/>A new day has opened its eyes.<br/>(repeat)</p> <p>6. How gentle the rain, how gentle the rain,<br/>How gentle the rain that falls.<br/>(repeat)</p> |
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