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Through the day thy love has spared us

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The image shows a musical score for the hymn 'Through the day thy love has spared us'. It consists of two systems of music, each with a treble and bass staff. The first system is marked with '87. 87. 77' and a tempo of '♩=54'. The second system is marked with 'slower'. The music is in 3/2 time and B-flat major. The lyrics are printed below the second system.

1 Through the day Thy love hath spared us,
Now we lay us down to rest:
Through the silent watches guard us,
Let no foe our peace molest.
Jesus, Thou our Guardian be;
Sweet it is to trust in Thee.

2 Pilgrims here on earth and strangers,
Dwelling in the midst of foes,
Us and ours preserve from dangers;
In Thine arms may we repose
And, when life's short day is past,
Rest with Thee in heaven at last.