

# How long wilt thou forget me O Lord?

Psalm 13 verses 1 - 3

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**Largo** (♩ = c.76)

How long wilt thou for -

6  
-get me? How long wilt

11  
thou for - get me O Lord,

16  
wilt thou for - get me for ev - er? How long,

The musical score is written in G minor (two flats) and 3/4 time. It consists of a vocal line and a piano accompaniment. The tempo is marked 'Largo' with a quarter note equal to approximately 76 beats per minute. The score is divided into four systems, each with a measure number (1, 6, 11, 16) at the beginning of the vocal line. Dynamics include piano (*p*), mezzo-forte (*mf*), and forte (*f*). The piano accompaniment features a steady bass line and a more active treble line with chords and moving lines.