

# THE OLD ACCOUNT WAS SETTLED LONG AGO

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## Intro

Tenor Lead

do do do do do do do do do do do

Bari Bass

## Verse 1

There was a time on Earth, when in the book of Heav'n, An  
old account was stand - ing for sins yet un - for - giv'n. My

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13 14 15 16

name was at the top, and man - y things be - low. I

17 18 19 20

went un - to the Keep - er, and set - tled long a - go.

**Chorus 1**

21 22 23 24

a - go, I set - tled it all.

Long a - go, long a - go. Yes, the  
down on my knees, I set - tled it all.

25 26 27 28

old ac - count was set - tled long a - go. And the

rec-ord's clear to-day, — for He washed my sins — a - way, When the

Measures 29-32: Treble and bass staves with lyrics. Measure numbers 29, 30, 31, and 32 are indicated above the treble staff.

old ac-count — was set-tled long a - go. — a - go, long a - go. —

Measures 33-36: Treble and bass staves with lyrics. Measure numbers 33, 34, 35, and 36 are indicated above the treble staff. A handwritten note "Key Change" is written on the right side of the page.

Verse 2

Oh, sin-ner, trust the Lord, — be cleansed of all — your sin. For

Measures 37-40: Treble and bass staves with lyrics. Measure numbers 37, 38, 39, and 40 are indicated above the treble staff.

thus He hath pro-vid - ed for you to en - ter in. And

Measures 41-44: Treble and bass staves with lyrics. Measure numbers 41, 42, 43, and 44 are indicated above the treble staff.

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then if you should live a hundred years be - low, Up

there you'll not re - gret it, you set - tled long a - go.

Chorus 2

Long a - go, long a - go, Yes, the  
down on my knees, I set - tled it all.

old ac - count was set - tled long a - go. And the  
a - go. Hal - le - lu - jah!

61 62 63 64

rec-ord's clear to-day, — for He washed my sins — a - way, When the

8

65 66 67 68

old ac - count — was set - tled long a - go — a - go, long a - go.

8

*Bass melody*

Chorus 3

69 70 71 72

Oh, long a - go, — so long a - go, — Yes, the

8

Long a - go, — long a - go, —

73 74 75 76

old ac - count — was set - tled long a - go — And the

8

a - go. Hal - le - lu - jah!

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77 78 79 80

rec-ord's clear to-day, for He washed my sins a-way, When the

81 82 83 84

old ac-count was set-tled long a-go. Now, the

Tag a tempo

85 86 87

old ac-count was oh, it was set-tled long a-go,

to meas. 92

88 89 90 91 92 93

long a-go, long a-go!

to meas. 92