

First Love (Revised)

*"And so we know and rely on the love God has for us. God is love.
Whoever lives in love lives in God, and God in him. . .
We love because he first loved us." 1 John 4:16, 19 (NIV)*
*"Because your love is better than life,
my lips will glorify you." Psalm 63:3 (NIV)*

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Sweetly ♩ = 88

The musical score is written for piano in 2/4 time, marked 'Sweetly' with a tempo of 88 beats per minute. It consists of four systems of music, each with a treble and bass clef staff. The first system starts with a piano (*p*) dynamic. The key signature is one flat (B-flat). The score is divided into measures by vertical bar lines. Above the treble staff, chords are indicated: N.C. (No Chords), C, G/B, Am7, and F. Measure numbers 5, 10, and 15 are placed at the beginning of their respective systems. The piece concludes with a final 4/4 time signature change in the last measure of the fourth system.