

# On the Dusty Earth Drum

♩ = 116 E♭      B♭ sus B♭   Cm   G   Cm   B♭ sus B♭   E♭

1. On the dust - y earth drum beats the fall - ing rain;  
 2. Slen - der, sil - very drum - sticks on an an - cient drum  
 3. Chords of life a - wak - ened, notes of green - ing spring,  
 4. Slen - der, sil - very drum - sticks beat the long tat - too —

5      Gm E♭   Fm   B♭7 E♭   B♭   E♭   Fm7 B♭   E♭

now a whis - pered mur - mur, now a loud - er strain.  
 beat the mel - low mu - sic bid - ding life to come.  
 rise and fall tri - um - phant o - ver ev - ery - thing.  
 God, the Great Mu - si - cian, call - ing life a - new.