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Christ Shall Have Dominion

partial (8-14, 17-19)

1. ⁸Christ shall have do - min - ion O - ver land and sea, ⁹Earth's re - mot - est
2. ¹²When the need - y seek Him, He will mer - cy show; ¹³Yea, the weak and
3. ¹⁷Ev - er and for - ev - er Shall His name en - dure, Long as suns con -
4. ¹⁸Un - to GOD Al - might - y Joy - ful Zi - on sings; ¹⁹He a - lone is

re - gions Shall His em - pire be; They that wilds in - hab - it Shall their
help - less Shall His pit - y know; ¹⁴He will sure - ly save them From op -
tin - ue It shall stand se - cure; And in Him for - ev - er All men
glo - rious, Do - ing won - drous things. Ev - er more, ye peo - ple, Bless His

wor - ship bring, ¹⁰Kings shall ren - der trib - ute, ¹¹Na - tions serve our King.
pres - sion's might, For their lives are pre - cious In His ho - ly sight.
shall be blest, And all na - tions hail Him King of kings con - fessed.
glo - rious name, His e - ter - nal glo - ry Through the earth pro - claim.

Refrain

⁸Christ shall have do - min - ion O - ver land and sea,

⁹Earth's re - mot - est re - gions Shall His em - pire be.

Arthur S. Sullivan, 1871

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God Loveth the Righteous

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1. ¹God lov - eth the right - eous, His good - ness is sure, He nev - er for -
2. ³The wick - ed are pros - pered and firm in their strength, ⁴No pangs do they
3. ⁶In gar - ments of boast - ing and vi - o - lence decked, ⁷With wealth more a -
4. ¹⁰De - spis - ing God's peo - ple, they cause them to drain The cup of op -
5. ¹²The wick - ed, grown wealth - y, have com - fort and peace, ¹⁴While I, dai - ly

sak - eth the good and the pure; ²Yet once my faith fal - tered, I
suf - fer, though death come at length; ⁵They are not in trou - ble as
▶ bun - dant than heart could ex - pect, ⁸They scoff, and the help - less they
pres - sion, in - jus - tice, and pain; ¹¹They ques - tion God's knowl - edge and
chas - tened, see trou - bles in - crease; ¹⁵And, wrong - ing God's chil - dren, I

en - vied the proud, In doubt and dis - qui - et my spir - it was bowed.
oth - er men are, The plagues of their fel - lows they view from a - far.
▶ proud - ly op - press; ⁹The heav'n's and the earth they as - sume to pos - sess.
bold - ly de - fy The might and the jus - tice of God the Most High.
cried in my pain ¹³That clean hands are worth - less and pure hearts are vain.

Psalm 73A continues →

John P. Campbell, 1899

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6. ^{16f}I went to God's tem - ple: my doubts were dis - pelled, The end of life's
7. ²⁰As when one a - wak - ing for - get - teth his dream, So God will de -
8. ²³In doubt and temp - ta - tion I rest, Lord, in Thee; My hand is in
9. ²⁵In glo - ry Thou on - ly my por - tion shall be, On earth for none
10. ²⁷All they that for - sake Thee must per - ish and die, ²⁸But near to my

jour - ney I clear - ly be - held; ¹⁸I saw in what per - il un -
spise them, though great they may seem; ²¹My en - vy was sense - less, my
▶ Thy hand, Thou car - est for me; ²⁴My soul with Thy coun - sel through
oth - er I long but for Thee; ²⁶My flesh and heart fal - ter, but
Sav - iour most bless - ed am I; I make Thee my ref - uge, my

god - ly men stand ¹⁹With sud - den de - struc - tion and ru - in at hand.
grief was for nought, ²²Be - cause I was faith - less, and fool - ish my thought.
▶ life Thou wilt guide, And af - ter - ward make me in glo - ry a - bide.
God is my stay, The strength of my spir - it, my por - tion for aye.
Lord and my GOD; Thy grace and Thy glo - ry I pub - lish a - broad.

In Doubt and Temptation

73B

partial (vv. 22-28; refrain from Psalm 145:1-2)

1. ²³In doubt and temp - ta - tion I rest, Lord, in Thee; My hand is in
2. ²⁵In glo - ry Thou on - ly my por - tion shall be, On earth for none
3. ²⁷All they that for - sake Thee must per - ish and die, ²⁸But near to my

Thy hand, Thou car - est for me; ²⁴My soul with Thy coun - sel through
oth - er I long but for Thee; ²⁶My flesh and heart fal - ter, but
Sav - iour most bless - ed am I; I make Thee my ref - uge, my

life Thou wilt guide, And af - ter - ward make me in glo - ry a - bide.
God is my stay, The strength of my spir - it, my por - tion for aye.
Lord and my GOD; Thy grace and Thy glo - ry I pub - lish a - broad.

Refrain (may be sung after st.4 only)

¹My God, I will ex - tol Thee And ev - er bless Thy name;

²Each day will I give thanks to Thee And all Thy praise pro - claim.

73C In Sweet Communion, Lord, with Thee

partial (vv. 23-28)

1. ²³In sweet com - mun - ion, Lord, with Thee I con - stant - ly a - bide;
 2. ²⁴Thy coun - sel through my earth - ly way Shall guide me and con - trol,
 3. ²⁵Whom have I, Lord, in heav'n but Thee, To Whom my thoughts as - pire?
 4. ²⁶Though flesh and heart should faint and fail, The Lord will ev - er be
 5. ²⁷To live a - part from God is death, ²⁸'Tis good His face to seek;

My hand Thou hold - est in Thine own To keep me near Thy side.
 And then to glo - ry af - ter - ward Thou wilt re - ceive my soul.
 ▶ And, hav - ing Thee, on earth is nought That I can yet de - sire.
 The strength and por - tion of my heart, My God e - ter - nal - ly.
 My ref - uge is the liv - ing GOD, His praise I long to speak.

O God, How Good Thou Art

73D

partial (vv. 1-2ff, 16-17, 23-26, 28)

1. ¹O God, how good Thou art To all the pure of heart,
 2. ²³Ev - er, O Lord, with Thee, All shall be well with me,
 3. ²⁵In earth or heav'n a - bove Who is there that I love
 4. ²⁸Oh, it is good that I May still to God draw nigh

²⁶Though life seems vain; ¹⁶Bur - dened with anx - ious care, I groped in
 Held by Thy hand; ²⁴And Thou wilt guide my feet By Thine own
 Com - pared with Thee? ²⁶My heart may faint with fears, But God my
 As oft be - fore; The Lord Je - ho - vah blest, My ref - uge

dark de - spair, ¹⁷Till in Thy house of pray'r All was made plain.
 coun - sel sweet, Till I, for glo - ry meet, In glo - ry stand.
 strength ap - pears, And will to end - less years My por - tion be.
 and my rest, Shall be in praise con - fessed For ev - er - more.

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complete

O God, Why Hast Thou Cast Us Off?

1. O God, why hast Thou cast us off? Is it for ev - er - more?
 2. ³Where Thou hast dwelt, lift up Thy feet, To Zi - on's ru - ins haste,
 3. ⁵Men fa - mous once for fell - ing trees, ⁶Now break Thy tem - ple's walls,
 4. ⁸They, to de - stroy us all at once Did in their hearts con - spire;
 5. ¹⁰O Lord, how long shall foes blas - pheme And Thy great name with - stand?

A - gainst Thy cho - sen sheep why dost Thy an - ger smoke so sore?
 Thy ho - ly place, where wick - ed hands Of foes have laid it waste.
 ▶ With ax - es and with ham - mer blows They make the carved works fall.
 Through all the land God's syn - a - gogues They al - so burnt with fire.
¹¹Why hide Thy - self? De - stroy them all, E'en with Thy own right hand.

²The church re - deemed by Thee of old In love re - mem - ber still,
⁴Thine en - e - mies in tri - umph shout Where saints had knelt to pray;
 ▶ ⁷Thy ho - ly house they set on fire, And thus de - file Thy name
⁹We see no signs, and there is not A proph - et in the land,
¹²Be - cause God is my King of old; Sal - va - tion work - eth He

The rod of Thy in - her - it - ance, This ho - ly Zi - on hill.
 Their ban - ners on Thy tem - ple walls In vic - to - ry dis - play.
 ▶ By cast - ing to the dirt - y ground The place where dwelt Thy fame.
 Nor an - y - one who knows how long Be - fore this all will end.
 Through all the earth, ¹³and by His strength Di - vides the might - y sea.

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6. Our God has bro - ken drag - ons' heads, ¹⁴And gave le - vi - a - than
 7. ¹⁷Thou hast es - tab - lished by de - cree All bor - ders of the earth;
 8. ¹⁹Thy pre - cious dove de - liv - er not To beasts that her be - set,
 9. ²¹Lord, let not those who are op - pressed Re - turn a - gain with shame;

As food and meat to those who live With - in the de - sert's span.
 The sum - mer and the win - ter, Lord, Thou gav - est them their birth.
 And Thy poor flock for ev - er - more O Lord, do not for - get.
 Let those who poor and need - y be Sing prais - es to Thy name.

¹⁵The flood and foun - tain God did cleave, And might - y riv - ers dried.
¹⁸Re - mem - ber, LORD, our en - e - mies, How quick - ly they de - fame,
²⁰Un - to Thy cov - nant have re - spect, For eve - ry - where we see
²²A - rise, O God, and plead Thy cause, For fools by speech dis - may,

¹⁶The day is Thine, and Thine the night, The sun - light and the skies.
 And how the fool - ish peo - ple have Blas - phemed Thy ho - ly name.
 Dark hab - i - ta - tions of the earth Are filled with cru - el - ty.
²³For - get not Thine op - po - nent's voice, In tu - mult brought each day.

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Oh, Wherefore Hast Thou Cast Us Off?

complete

1. ¹Oh, where-fore hast Thou cast us off, O God, our God of old?
 2. ²Re - mem - ber Thine in - her - it - ance, Thy Church, re-deemed by grace;
 3. ³In ru - in long Thy tem - ple lies; A - rise, O God of grace,
 4. ⁴A - mid Thy courts are lift - ed high The stand - ards of the foe,
 5. ⁷They have pro-faned the ho - ly place Where Thou hast set Thy name,

Why art Thou an - gry with Thy sheep, The sheep of Thine own fold?
 Re - mem - ber Zi - on's mount pro - faned, Thine an - cient dwell - ing place.
 ▶ And see the ru - in foes have wrought With - in Thy ho - ly place.
⁵And wick - ed hands with axe and fire Have laid Thy tem - ple low.
 The sanc - tu - ar - ies of our God Are giv - en to the flame.

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6. ⁹We see no signs of pow'r di - vine, No proph - et speaks for Thee,
 7. ¹⁰How long, O God, shall blas - phe - my And shame re-proach our land?
 8. ¹²O God, Thou art our King of old, Sal - va - tion Thou hast wrought;
 9. ¹⁴With might - y arm Thou didst de - stroy The pride of boast - ful man,

And none can tell, and none can know, How long these woes shall be.
¹¹Why dost Thou not de - stroy Thy foes With Thine al - might - y hand?
¹³In safe - ty through the might - y sea Our fa - thers Thou hast brought.
¹⁵And for Thy peo - ple made a path Where might - y wa - ters ran.

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10. ¹⁶The day is Thine, and Thine the night, And Thine the shin - ing sun;
 11. ¹⁸Mark how Thine en - e - mies, O LORD, A - gainst Thee proud - ly speak;
 12. ²⁰Ful - fill, O Lord, Thy cov - e - nant, Our strong pro - tec - tor be,
 13. ²¹Let not Thy saints be put to shame, ²³No long - er in Thy sight

¹⁷At Thy command earth's bounds are set And chang - ing sea - sons run.
¹⁹Pre - serve Thy saints from wick - ed men, Be mind - ful of the meek.
 For in the earth are dark a - bodes Of crime and cru - el - ty.
 Per - mit Thy foes to vaunt themselves; ²²Lord, vin - di - cate the right.

To Thee, O God, We Render Thanks

75A

complete

1. ¹To Thee, O God, we ren - der thanks, To Thee give thanks sin - cere,
 2. ²Thy right - eous judg - ment, Thou hast said, Shall in due time ap - pear,
 3. ⁴Thou teach - est meek - ness to the proud, And mak - est sin - ners know
 4. ⁸Je - ho - vah holds a cup of wrath, And holds it not in vain,
 5. ⁹The God of Ja - cob I will praise And all His glo - ry show;

Be - cause Thy won - drous works de - clare That Thou art ev - er near.
³And Thou Who didst es - tab - lish it Will fill the earth with fear.
 ▶ ⁶That none is judge but God a - lone, To hon - our or bring low.
 For all the wick - ed of the earth Its bit - ter dregs shall drain.
¹⁰The right - eous He will high ex - alt And bring the wick - ed low.

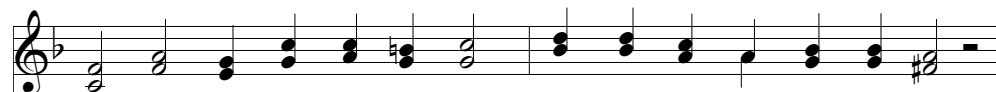
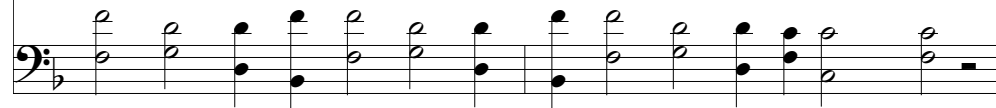
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Thee, O God, Yes, Thee We Praise

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1. Thee, O God, yes, Thee we praise, And we give Thee thanks, O Lord,
 2. When th'ap-point-ed time is there, I My judg-ment will re-veal.
 3. To the proud and bold I say, Let Me no more hear your boast.
 4. Help-ers will not from the east And not from the west ap-pear
 5. For the LORD has filled a bowl With wine foam-ing, spiced, and strong;
 6. Psalms I sing and praise I shout; I will pay my vows to God.



- For the proud get their re-ward And the wick-ed Thou shalt raze,
 ▶ Tot-ter may the earth and reel, When it has My wrath to bear;
 I tell them and all their host To for-sake their wick-ed way:
 To ex-alt and to re-vere Him whom God makes last and least.
 ▶ All the wick-ed and the wrong, All who hound His ser-vant's soul,
 I shall ev-er heed His rod; Ja-cob's God, my joy rings out:



- But we laud Thy mer-cy's fount, And Thy won-ders we re-count.
 ▶ I did fash-ion it of old, And its pil-lars I up-hold.
 5 Do not lift your horn on high, Nor with out-stretched neck draw nigh.
 7 He, the Judge of great re-nown, Will lift up and will bring down.
 ▶ Shun this cup of wrath in vain; E'en the dregs they have to drain.
 10 All the wick-ed feel Thy scorn, But Thou shalt ex-alt our horn!



*Rests may be observed, or omitted with the previous note sung as a whole note, or omitted altogether.

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Harm. Claude Goudimel, 1564O SEIGNEUR, LOUÉ SERA [GENEVAN 75]
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To Thee, O God, We Render Thanks

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1. To Thee, O God, we ren-der thanks, To Thee give thanks sin- cere;
 2. When My ap- point - ed time is come, I'll judge with e - ven hand.
 3. I bade the haugh - ty cease from pride; Ye vile, lift not the horn;



- Be - cause Thy won-drous works de-clare That Thy great name is near.
 3 Though earth and all there - in dis-solve, I make its pil - lars stand.
 5 O lift not up your horn on high, Nor speak with neck of scorn.



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4. For not from east nor west nor south Doth ex - al - ta - tion flow;
 5. A cup is in Je - ho - vah's hand, It foam - ing wine con - tains;
 6. But I for - ev - er will de - clare; I Ja - cob's God will praise.



- 7 But God is judge, up - lift - ing one, An - oth - er hum - bling low.
 Of mix-ture full, He pours it forth, The dregs each sin - ner drains.
 10 The might of sin - ners He'll cut off, The just on high will raise.



Johann Crüger, c. 1647

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God Is Known among His People

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1. ¹God is known a-mong His peo-ple, Ev-'ry mouth His prais-es fill.
 2. ⁴Ex-cel-lent and glo-rious art Thou, With Thy tro-phies from the fray;
 3. ⁸When from heav'n Thy sen-tence sound-ed, All the earth in fear was still,
 4. ¹¹Vow and pay un-to Je-ho-vah, Him your God for-ev-er own;

²From of old He has es-tab-lished His a-bode on Zi-on's hill;
⁵Thou hast slain the val-iant-heart-ed, ⁶Wrapped in sleep of death are they;
⁹While to save the meek and low-ly, God in judg-ment worked His will;
 All men, bring your gifts be-fore Him, Wor-ship Him, and Him a-lone;

³There He broke the sword and ar-row, Bade the noise of war be still.
⁷When Thine an-ger once is ris-en, Who can stand in that dread day?
¹⁰E'en the wrath of man shall praise Thee, Thy de-signs it shall ful-fill.
¹²He is ter-ri-ble to princ-es, They are judged be-fore His throne.

Among His People God Is Known

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partial (vv. 1-2, 8-12)

1. ¹A-mong His peo-ple God is known, Most glo-rious
 2. ⁹When God the right-eous judge ap-peared To save the
 3. ¹⁰The wrath of man shall praise the Lord, Re-strained by
 4. Let all to Him their pres-ents bring, To Him Whom

in His might and grace; ²He makes Je-ru-sa-
 meek from wrong and shame; ⁸The earth stood still and
 His al-might-y will; ¹¹Your vows to God the
 all the world should fear; ¹²Cut off shall be each

lem His throne, Her peace-ful hills His dwell-ing-place.
 great-ly feared; Then forth from heav'n His sen-tence came.
 King re-cord, Your cov-'nant made with Him ful-fill.
 wick-ed king, Each prince in judg-ment shall ap-pear.

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To God for Help Will I Repair

1. To God for help will I re - pair, To God will
 2. In long con - tin - ued grief I stand And seek the
 3. I think of God and call to mind His good - ness,
 4. With sleep - less eyes and speech - less grief I search the
 5. My con - stant med - i - ta - tions bring My heart to
 6. Has God for - got - ten to be kind? Shall I His

I di - rect my pray'r, And sure - ly He will
 Lord with out - stretched hand; I find no com - fort
 yet no peace I find; I still pour out my
 past to find re - lief, The for - mer years when
 anx - ious ques - tion - ing: Has God cast off, and
 prom - ise faith - less find? For me shall wrath hence -

an - swer me, His great sal - va - tion I shall see.
 for my soul, The clouds of dark - ness o'er me roll.
 sad com - plaints, My bur - dened spir - it al - most faints.
 days were bright, And songs of glad - ness cheered my night.
 will He be No long - er mer - ci - ful to me?
 forth re - place His ten - der mer - cies and His grace?

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7. In weak - ness I was pressed with fear, But bet - ter
 8. Thy deeds, O LORD, will I re - late And on Thy
 9. A - mong the na - tions Thou hast shown Thy won - drous
 10. At sight of Thee the wa - ters fled, The quak - ing
 11. Thy way, O God, was in the sea, But, though Thy

hopes my spir - its cheer; Past mer - cies lead me
 won - ders med - i - tate; Thy way, O God, is
 pow'r and made it known; Thou art the God that
 clouds their tor - rents shed, The light - nings flashed, the
 paths mys - te - rious be, Thy peo - ple Thou did

to re - ly Up - on the help of God Most High.
 just and right, And none is like to Thee in might.
 might - i - ly Re - deemed and set Thy peo - ple free.
 thun - der pealed, The trem - bling earth her fear re - vealed.
 safe - ly keep As shep - herds lead their help - less sheep.

I Cry Out, That God May Hear Me

1. I cry out, that God may hear me. And with help be ev - er near me.
 2. I re - mem - ber God with weep - ing. 4. Thou dost keep my eyes from sleep - ing.
 3. Will the Lord spurn us for - ev - er And us from His cov - nant sev - er?
 4. 10. And I say, This grief be - sets me, That the God Most High for - gets me

2. To the Lord I cry a - loud, By a weight of trou - bles bowed.
 With a spir - it faint and weak, So dis - tressed I can - not speak.
 Why is He, our God, dis - pleased? 8. Has His stead - fast love now ceased
 And His right hand now has changed, That I am from Him es - tranged.

I stretch out my hands to reach Him; Day and night my pray'rs be - seech Him.
 5. Days and years of old I pon - der. 6. In the dark of night I won - der,
 And the pro - mis - es He made us? 9. Will the Lord for - get to aid us?
 11. LORD, I will re - call Thy won - ders, On Thy deeds of old I pon - der,

To my God my grief I told; I re - fuse to be con - soled.
 And my spir - it finds no rest: 7. Where is God, Who once us blest?
 Does He in His wrath with - hold All His mer - cies from of old?
 On Thy works I med - i - tate, 12. Mus - ing on Thy deeds so great.

*Rests may be observed, or omitted with the previous note sung as a whole note, or omitted altogether.

5. 13. O my God, Thy way is ho - ly; For Thy great - ness we ex - tol Thee.
 6. 16. When the wa - ters, all as - sem - bled, Saw Thee, God, they writhed and trembled.
 7. 19. Through the sea Thy way did lead Thee; Wind and toss - ing waves did heed Thee.

What god is there, strong and great Like our God, so high in state?
 Fear con - vulsed their might - y sweep, Ter - ror shook the hid - den deep.
 Might - y wa - ters fled in awe, Yet no man Thy foot - prints saw.

14. For Thou art the God Whose glo - ry Makes the peo - ples bow be - fore Thee.
 17. Clouds poured rain, with thunders crashing, On all sides Thine ar - rows flash - ing.
 20. Lord, Thy peo - ple Thou hast guid - ed, Shep - herds for Thy flock pro - vid - ed:

15. Thy strong arm re - deemed and freed Ja - cob's sons and Jo - seph's seed.
 18. When Thy hand its light - nings hurled, Thou didst rock and shake the world.
 Mo - ses, Aa - ron, by their hand Led them to the pro - mised land.

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To God Will I Direct My Prayer

partial (vv. 1-12)

1. ¹To God will I di - rect my pray'r, And He will
 2. ³The thought of God brought me no peace, But ra - ther
 3. ⁶Re - call - ing days when faith was bright, When songs of
 4. ⁸I asked in fear and bit - ter - ness, Will God for -
 5. ¹⁰These doubts and fears that trou - bled me Were born of

make my needs His care; ²I trust Him still, though in my grief
 made my fears in - crease; ⁴With sleep - less eyes and speech - less pain
 ▶ glad - ness filled my night, I pon - dered o'er my griev - ous woes
 sake me in dis - tress? Shall I His prom - ise faith - less find?
 my in - fir - mi - ty; ¹¹Though I am weak, GOD is most high,

No an - swer yet has brought re - lief; With hands stretched
 My faint - ing spir - it grieved in vain; ⁵The bless - ed -
 ▶ And search - ing ques - tion - ing a - rose: ⁷Will God cast
⁹Has God for - got - ten to be kind? Has He in
 And on His good - ness I re - ly; Of all His

out through all the night, Un - com - fort - ed I sought for light.
 ness of long a - go Made deep - er still my pre - sent woe.
 ▶ off, and nev - er - er - more His fa - vour to my soul re - store?
 an - ger hope - less - ly Re - moved His love and grace from me?
 won - ders I will tell, And on His deeds my thoughts shall dwell.

O God, Most Holy Are Thy Ways

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partial (vv. 13-20)

1. ¹³O God, most ho - ly are Thy ways, And who like
 2. ¹⁶O God, from Thee the wa - ters fled, The depths were
 3. ¹⁹Thy way was in the sea, O God, Through might - y

Thee de - serves my praise? ¹⁴Thou on - ly do - est won - drous things,
 moved with might - y dread, ¹⁷The swell - ing clouds their tor - rents poured,
 wa - ters, deep and broad, None un - der - stood but God a - lone,

The whole wide world Thy glo - ry sings; ¹⁵Thine out - stretched arm Thy
 And o'er the earth the tem - pest roared; ¹⁸'Mid light - ning's flash and
 To man Thy foot - steps were un - known; ²⁰But safe Thy peo - ple

peo - ple saved, Though sore dis - tressed and long en - slaved.
 thun - der's sound Great trem - bling shook the sol - id ground.
 Thou didst keep, Al - might - y Shep - herd of Thy sheep.

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I Thought upon the Days of Old

partial (vv. 5-14)

1. ⁵I thought up - on the days of old, The years de - part - ed long,
2. My heart in - quired with anx - ious care, ⁷Will God for - ev - er spurn?
3. For - ev - er shall His prom - ise fail? ⁹Has God for - got - ten grace?

⁶I held com - mun - ion with my heart, By night re - called my song.
Shall we no more His fa - vour see? ⁸Will mer - cy ne'er re - turn?
Has He with - drawn His ten - der love, In an - ger hid His face?

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4. ¹⁰These doubts are my in - fir - mi - ty, My thoughts at once re - ply;
5. ¹¹I will com - mem - o - rate, O LORD, Thy won - drous deeds of old,
6. ¹³O God, most ho - ly is Thy way, Most per - fect, good, and right;

I call back years of God's right hand, The years of God Most High.
¹²And med - i - tate up - on Thy works Of pow'r and grace un - told.
¹⁴Thou art the on - ly liv - ing God, The God of won - drous might.

My People, Give Ear

78A

partial (vv. 1-42)

1. ¹My peo - ple, give ear, at - tend to my word, ²In par - a - bles
2. In - struct - ing our sons we glad - ly re - cord The prais - es, the
3. ⁶Let chil - dren thus learn from his - to - ry's light ⁷To hope in our
4. The sto - ry be told, to warn and re - strain, Of hearts that were
5. ¹¹God's won - der - ful works to them He had shown, ¹²His mar - vel - ous

new deep truths shall be heard; ³The won - der - ful sto - ry our fa -
works, the might of the LORD, ⁵For He has com - mand - ed that what
▶ God and walk in His sight, The God of their fa - thers to fear
hard, re - bel - lious, and vain, ⁹Of sol - diers who fal - tered when bat -
deeds their fa - thers had known; ¹³He made for their path - way the wa -

thers made known ⁴To chil - dren suc - ceed - ing by us must be shown.
He has done Be passed in tra - di - tion from fa - ther to son.
▶ and o - bey, ⁸And ne'er like their fa - thers to turn from His way.
tle was near, ¹⁰Who kept not God's cov - 'nant nor walked in His fear.
ters di - vide, ¹⁴His glo - ri - ous pil - lar of cloud was their guide.

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6. ¹⁵He gave them to drink, re - liev - ing their thirst, And forth from the
7. ²¹Je - ho - vah was wroth be - cause they for - got ²²To hope in their
8. ²⁵With bread from on high their need He sup - plied, And more did He
9. ²⁹Though well they were filled, their fol - ly they chose, ³¹Till God in His

rock caused wa - ter to burst; ¹⁷Yet faith - less they tempt - ed their God,
God, and trust - ed Him not; ²³Yet gra - cious, He o - pened the doors
do when thank - less they sighed; ²⁶The strong winds com - mand - ing from south
wrath o'er-whelmed them with woes; He slew ³¹of their strong - est and smote

and they said, ¹⁸⁶Can He Who gave wa - ter sup - ply us with bread?
of the sky ²⁴And rained down the man - na in rich - est sup - ply.
and from east, ²⁷¹He sent them a - bun - dance of quail for their feast.
their young men, ³²But still un - be - liev - ing they sinned e - ven then.

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10. ³³Be - cause of their sin He smote with His rod, ³⁴And then they re -
11. ³⁷Not right with their God in heart and in will, They faith - less - ly
12. His pit - y was great, though of - ten they sinned, ³⁹For they were but
13. ⁴¹They lim - it - ed God, the Most Ho - ly One, And hin - dered the

turned and sought for their God; ³⁵Their rock and re - deem - er was God
broke His cov - e - nant still; ³⁸But He, in com - pas - sion, re - luc -
flesh, a swift pass - ing wind; Yet though His com - pas - sion and grace
work His grace had be - gun; ⁴²The hand that was might - y to save

the Most High, ³⁶Yet false were their prais - es, their prom - ise a lie.
tant to slay, For - gave them and oft turned His an - ger a - way.
they be - held, ⁴⁰They tempt - ed and grieved Him and of - ten re - belled.
they for - got, The day of re - demp - tion re - mem - ber - ing not.

78B

My People, Give Ear

partial (vv. 1-8, 42-52)

1. ¹My peo - ple, give ear, at - tend to my word, ²In par - a - bles
 2. In - struct - ing our sons we glad - ly re - cord The prais - es, the
 3. ⁶Let chil - dren thus learn from his - to - ry's light ⁷To hope in our
 4. ⁴²Un - grate - ful and blind, no long - er they thought ⁴³Of won - ders and

new deep truths shall be heard; ³The won - der - ful sto - ry our
 works, the might of the LORD, ⁵For He has com - mand - ed that
 God and walk in His sight, The God of their fa - thers to
 signs and might - y deeds wrought, ⁴⁴Of how all the riv - ers of

fa - thers made known ⁴To chil - dren suc - ceed - ing by us must be shown.
 what He has done Be passed in tra - di - tion from fa - ther to son.
 fear and o - bey, ⁸And ne'er like their fa - thers to turn from His way.
 E - gypt ran red, And plagues in God's an - ger were heaped on their head.

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5. ^{45f}The lo - custs and flies their har - vests de - creased, No plen - ty re -
 6. ⁴⁸Their herds were de - stroyed by hail from the sky, The flocks were struck
 7. ⁵¹They thought not of how, their free - dom to gain, In E - gypt's a -

mained for man or for beast. The frogs and the lice o'er the
 down with fire from on high, ^{49f}The pes - ti - lence rav - aged through
 bodes the first - born were slain, ⁵²And how all God's peo - ple were

land did a - bound, ⁴⁷The vines and the trees were laid low to the ground.
 out all the land, ⁵²God's peo - ple were saved by His al - might - y hand.
 led forth like sheep, The flock He de - light - ed in safe - ty to keep.

78c

My People, Give Ear

partial (vv. 1-8, 55-72)

1. ¹My peo - ple, give ear, at - tend to my word, ²In par - a - bles
 2. In - struct - ing our sons we glad - ly re - cord The prais - es, the
 3. ⁶Let chil - dren thus learn from his - to - ry's light ⁷To hope in our
 4. ⁵⁵Un - harmed through the sea, where per - ished their foe, He caused them with
 5. ⁵⁵He gave them the land, a her - it - age fair; The na - tions that

new deep truths shall be heard; ³The won - der - ful sto - ry our
 works, the might of the LORD, ⁵For He has com - mand - ed that
 ▶ God and walk in His sight, The God of their fa - thers to
 ease and safe - ty to go; ⁵⁴His ho - ly land gain - ing, in
 dwelt in wick - ed - ness there He drove out be - fore them with

fa - thers made known ⁴To chil - dren suc - ceed - ing by us must be shown.
 what He has done Be passed in tra - di - tion from fa - ther to son.
 ▶ fear and o - bey, ⁸And ne'er like their fa - thers to turn from His way.
 peace they were brought To dwell in the moun - tain the Lord's hand had bought.
 great o - ver - throw, And gave to His peo - ple the tents of the foe.

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6. ⁵⁶A - gain they re - belled and tempt - ed the Lord, ⁵⁷Un - faith - ful they
 7. ⁶²He gave them to death in bat - tle, al - though ⁶¹His glo - ry and
 8. ⁶⁵Then mer - cy a - woke, the Lord in His might ⁶⁶Re - turned, and the
 9. ⁷⁰His ser - vant He called, a shep - herd of sheep, ⁷¹From tend - ing his

turned to i - dols ab - horred, ⁵⁹And God in His an - ger with -
 strength were scorned by the foe; ⁶³Their young men were fall - en, their
 foes were scat - tered in flight; ⁶⁷A - gain to His peo - ple His
 flock, the peo - ple to keep; ⁷²So Da - vid, their shep - herd, with

drew from them then, No long - er de - light - ing to dwell a - mong men.
 maid - ens un - wed, ⁶⁴Their priests slain in bat - tle, none wept for the dead.
 fa - vour He showed, And chose in Mount Zi - on to fix His a - bode.
 wis - dom and might Pro - tect - ed and fed them and led them a - right.

78D

O Come, My People, to My Law

partial (vv. 1-7)

1. ¹O come, my peo - ple, to my law, At - ten - tive -
 2. ²My mouth shall speak in par - a - bles Of hid - den
 3. ⁴We will not from their chil - dren hide Je - ho - vah's
 4. ⁵A tes - ti - mo - ny and a law The Lord our
 5. ⁶He willed that each suc - ceed - ing race His deeds might
 6. Let chil - dren learn God's right - eous ways ⁷And on Him

ly give ear; With will - ing heart and
 ▶ truths of old, ³Which, hand - ed down from
 wor - thy praise, But tell the great - ness
 God de - creed, And bade our fa - thers
 ▶ learn and know, That chil - dren's chil - dren
 stay their heart, That they may not for -

teach - a - ble, The words of wis - dom hear.
 ▶ age to age, To us our fa - thers told.
 of His strength, His won - drous works and ways.
 teach their sons, That they His ways might heed.
 ▶ to their sons Might all these won - ders show.
 get His works Nor from His ways de - part.

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In Thy Heritage the Heathen

79A

complete

1. ¹In Thy her - it - age the hea - then Now, O God, tri - um - phant stand;
 2. ⁵O how long a - gainst Thy peo - ple Shall Thy an - ger burn, O LORD?
 3. ⁸O re - mem - ber not a - gainst us E - vil by our fa - thers wrought;
 4. ¹⁰Let Thy foes no long - er scorn Thee, Now a - venge Thy ser - vants slain;

They de - file Thy ho - ly tem - ple, They de - stroy Thy cho - sen land;
⁶On Thy en - e - mies, the hea - then, Be Thine in - dig - na - tion poured;
 Haste to help us in Thy mer - cy, Near to ru - in we are brought;
¹¹Loose the pris - 'ner, save the dy - ing, ¹²All Thine en - e - mies re - strain;

²⁶Ruth - less, they have slain Thy ser - vants, They have caused Thy saints to mourn,
 Smite the king - doms that de - fy Thee, Call - ing not up - on Thy name;
⁹Help us, God of our sal - va - tion, For the glo - ry of Thy name;
¹³Then Thy flock, Thy cho - sen peo - ple, Un - to Thee their thanks shall raise,

⁴In the sight of all a - bout us We en - dure re - proach and scorn.
⁷They have long de - voured Thy peo - ple And have swept Thy land with flame.
 For Thy name's sake come and save us, Take a - way our sin and shame.
 And to ev - 'ry gen - er - a - tion We will sing Thy glo - rious praise.

Johannes Thommen, c. 1732

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79B

Remember Not, O God

partial (vv. 8-9, 11, 13)

1. ⁸Re - mem - ber not, O God, The sins of long a - go;
 2. ⁹O Lord, our Sav - iour help, And glo - ri - fy Thy name;
 3. ¹¹In Thy com - pas - sion hear Thy pris - 'ner's plain - tive sigh,
 4. ¹³Then, safe with - in Thy fold, We will ex - alt Thy name;

In ten - der mer - cy vis - it us, Dis - tressed and hum - bled low.
 De - liv - er us from all our sins And take a - way our shame.
 And in the great - ness of Thy pow'r Save those a - bout to die.
 Our thank - ful hearts with songs of joy Thy good - ness will pro - claim.

O Thou Great Shepherd

80A

complete

1. ¹O Thou great Shep - herd of Thy cho - sen race, Who leads us like a
 2. ⁴How long, O LORD, wilt Thou dis - dain our pray'r? ⁵For Thou hast fed us
 3. ⁸A vine Thou brought - est forth from E - gypt's land; The na - tions were thrust
 4. ¹²Why hast Thou bro - ken down its cir - cling wall That they may pluck who
 5. Look down, be - hold and vis - it this Thy vine ¹⁵Which Thou hast plant - ed
 6. ¹⁷O let Thy hand Thy cho - sen one sus - tain, The son of man Thou

flock, Thine Is - rael dear, From out the cher - u - bim re - veal Thy face,
 ▶ with the bread of tears, And bit - ter sor - row Thou hast made us share;
 out to give it room; ⁹It took deep root, it spread on ev - 'ry hand,
 pass a - long the way? ¹³Wild beasts from out the wood de - stroy it all
 ▶ with Thine own right hand, The branch Thou mad - est strong and owned it Thine,
 mad - est strong to be; ¹⁸So we shall faith - ful to Thy cause re - main;

²Be - fore our host now let Thy might ap - pear. ³Come Thou, O God, to
 ▶ ⁶The na - tions round us mock with scorn - ful jeers. ⁷O God of Hosts, Thy
¹⁰The hills were cov - ered with its shade and bloom; Its boughs were like great
 And feed up - on Thy vine by night and day. ¹⁴O God of Hosts, we
 ▶ ¹⁶For it is burned with fire, no more to stand; Thy peo - ple per - ish
 Re - vive Thou us, and we will call on Thee. ¹⁹Je - ho - vah, God of

save us and re - store; We shall be saved when shines Thy face once more.
 ▶ peo - ple now re - store; We shall be saved when shines Thy face once more.
 ce - dars spread - ing wide; ¹¹They reached the sea, its roots the riv - er - side.
 pray Thee now, re - store; We shall be saved when shines Thy face once more.
 ▶ in Thine an - ger sore Be - cause Thy face now shines on them no more.
 Hosts, a - gain re - store; We shall be saved when shines Thy face once more.

80B Great Shepherd Who Leadest Thy People

complete

1. ¹Great Shep-herd Who lead - est Thy peo - ple in love, ²Mid cher - u - bim
 2. ⁴O haste, LORD, to hear us and pit - y our woes, ⁵Af - flic - tion our
 3. ⁸A place for Thy peo - ple Thou, Lord, didst pre - pare, ⁹Thy vine deep - ly
 4. ¹²Thy vine - yard no long - er Thy ten - der care knows, ¹³De - fense - less, the
 5. ¹⁵The branch of Thy plant - ing is burned and cut down, ¹⁶Brought nigh to de -
 6. ¹⁸When Thou shalt re - vive us Thy name we will praise, And nev - er - more,

dwel - ling, shine Thou from a - bove; ²In might come and save us, Thy
 ▶ por - tion, ⁶de - spised by our foes; ⁷O Lord God Al - might - y, in
 root - ed re - ward - ed Thy care; ¹⁰Its branch - es like ce - dars, ma -
 vic - tim and spoil of her foes; ¹⁴O turn, we be - seech Thee, all
 ▶ struc - tion be - cause of Thy frown; ¹⁷The man of Thy right hand with
 turn - ing, de - part from Thy ways; ¹⁹O LORD God al - might - y, in

peo - ple re - store, ³And we shall be saved when Thy face shines once more.
 ▶ mer - cy re - store, And we shall be saved when Thy face shines once more.
 jes - tic and free, ¹¹Spread o - ver the moun - tains from riv - er to sea.
 glo - ry is Thine, Look down in Thy mer - cy and vis - it Thy vine.
 ▶ wis - dom en - due, The son of man strength - en Thy pleas - ure to do.
 mer - cy re - store, And we shall be saved when Thy face shines once more.

Great Shepherd Who Leadest Thy People

80C

complete

1. ¹Great Shep-herd Who lead - est Thy peo - ple in love, ²Mid cher - u - bim
 2. ⁴O haste, LORD, to hear us and pit - y our woes, ⁵Af - flic - tion our
 3. ⁸A place for Thy peo - ple Thou, Lord, didst pre - pare, ⁹Thy vine deep - ly
 4. ¹²Thy vine - yard no long - er Thy ten - der care knows, ¹³De - fense - less, the
 5. ¹⁵The branch of Thy plant - ing is burned and cut down, ¹⁶Brought nigh to de -
 6. ¹⁸When Thou shalt re - vive us Thy name we will praise, And nev - er - more,

dwel - ling, shine Thou from a - bove; ²In might come and save us, Thy
 ▶ por - tion, ⁶de - spised by our foes; ⁷O Lord God Al - might - y, in
 root - ed re - ward - ed Thy care; ¹⁰Its branch - es like ce - dars, ma -
 vic - tim and spoil of her foes; ¹⁴O turn, we be - seech Thee, all
 ▶ struc - tion be - cause of Thy frown; ¹⁷The man of Thy right hand with
 turn - ing, de - part from Thy ways; ¹⁹O LORD God al - might - y, in

peo - ple re - store, ³And we shall be saved when Thy face shines once more.
 ▶ mer - cy re - store, And we shall be saved when Thy face shines once more.
 jes - tic and free, ¹¹Spread o - ver the moun - tains from riv - er to sea.
 glo - ry is Thine, Look down in Thy mer - cy and vis - it Thy vine.
 ▶ wis - dom en - due, The son of man strength - en Thy pleas - ure to do.
 mer - cy re - store, And we shall be saved when Thy face shines once more.

81A

Unto God, Our King

partial (vv. 1-5, 7-10, 13-14, 16)

1. ¹Un - to God, our King, Joy and strength of Is - rael,
 2. ³Sound the fes - tal horn, Your thanks - giv - ing voic - ing.
 3. ⁷When in need you cried, I was near and saved you.
 4. ⁸Hear, My chil - dren, hear, Hearn - en, lis - ten to Me,

Loft - y an - thems sing; Glo - rious are His ways,
 Praise the Lord your God, ⁴As He did com - mand
 From the cloud I spoke, An - swered your re - quest -
⁹Ne - ver serve nor fear Gods of wood or stone;

²To His name give praise With the harp and tim - brel.
 When from E - gypt's land You came forth re - joic - ing.
 Mer - i - bah the test - I did not for - sake you.
 I am God a - lone, Wor - ship and a - dore Me.

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5. ¹⁰O - pen, saith the LORD, Wide your mouth, be - liev - ing
 6. ¹³O that to My voice Is - ra - el would heark - en!
 7. ¹⁶With a - bun - dance I, Ja - cob's God, would nour - ish;

This My cov - 'nant word: I will, if you plead,
¹⁴Then they would re - joice, Walk - ing in My ways,
 Yea, I would sup - ply Hon - ey from the comb,

Fill your ev - 'ry need, All your wants re - liev - ing.
 Bright and joy - ous days Ne'er a foe would dark - en.
 Wheat the fin - est known; Is - ra - el would flour - ish.

*Rests may be observed, or omitted with the previous note sung as a whole note, or omitted altogether.

81B Now to God, Our Strength and Saviour

complete

1. ¹Now to God, our strength and Sav - iour, Ren - der praise and loud - ly sing;
 2. ³Let the trum - pet, far re - sound - ing, This our fes - tal day pro - claim,
 3. ⁶I, thy God, re - moved thy bur - dens, ⁷When thou call - edst, set thee free,
 4. ⁸O My peo - ple, hear My warn - ings; O that thou wouldst heark - en now;
 5. ¹⁰I am God the LORD Who saved thee, And from cru - el bond - age freed;

In our fa - thers' God re - joic - ing, ²All your no - blest mu - sic bring.
 ▸ By our fa - thers' God ap - point - ed, ⁵When from bondage Is - rael came.
⁴Proved thee in the thirst - y de - sert, In the thun - der an - swered thee.
⁹No strange wor - ship shalt thou of - fer, Nor to i - dols shalt thou bow.
 O - pen wide thy mouth of long - ing; I will sat - is - fy thy need.

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6. ¹¹But My peo - ple would not heark - en, Yea, they would not yield to Me;
 7. ¹³If My peo - ple would o - bey Me, Glad - ly walk - ing in My ways,
 8. ¹⁵All the hat - ers of Je - ho - vah Shall His clem - en - cy im - plore,
 9. ¹⁶Yea, with wheat the ver - y fin - est I their hun - ger will sup - ply,

¹²So I left them in their blind - ness Their own coun - se - lers to be.
¹⁴Soon would I, their foes sub - du - ing, All their ad - ver - sar - ies raze.
 But the days of those that love Him Shall en - dure for ev - er - more.
 Bid the ver - y rocks yield hon - ey That shall ful - ly sat - is - fy.

There Where the Judges Gather

82A

complete

1. ¹There where the judg - es gath - er A Great - er takes His seat;
 2. Deal just - ly with the need - y, Pro - tect the fa - ther - less,
 3. ⁶He speaks: I named you rul - ers, Sons of the Most High God;

²How long, He asks the judg - es, Will you pro - nounce de - ceit?
⁴De - liv - er the af - flict - ed From those who would dis - tress.
⁷But you shall die as mor - tals, And per - ish by My rod.

How long re - spect the per - sons Of them of ill re - pute?
⁵The judg - es walk in dark - ness, They will not un - der - stand
⁸A - rise, Thou God of judg - ment, Thy sov - 'reign - ty make known;

³How long ne - glect the or - phaned, The poor and des - ti - tute?
 And so foun - da - tions tot - ter, In - jus - tice shakes the land.
 For Thine shall be the na - tions, The peo - ple Thou shalt own.

82B

Where'er His Creatures Gather

complete

1. ¹Wher-e'er His crea-tures gath - er The un - seen God is near;
2. ³Do jus - tice for the help - less, The or - phan's cause main - tain;
3. ⁶The Most High God has called you And set you up on high,

Let rul - ers fear their Rul - er, Their Judge let judg - es fear.
⁴De - fend the poor and need - y, Op - pressed and wronged for gain.
⁷But you to Him must an - swer, For you like men must die.

²How long, you earth - ly judg - es, Will you per - vert the right?
⁵When rul - ers walk in dark - ness, When judg - es truth for - sake,
⁸A - rise, O God E - ter - nal, Thou Judge of all the earth,

How long shall wick - ed per - sons Have fa - vour in your sight?
The cor - ner-stones are crum - bled, The firm foun - da - tions shake.
Through all Thy ran - somed na - tions Send now Thy jus - tice forth.

O God, No Longer Hold Thy Peace

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complete

1. ¹O God, no long - er hold Thy peace, No long - er si - lent be;
2. ³A - gainst Thy own, whom Thou dost love, Their craft Thy foes em - ploy;
3. ^{5ff}Thy an - cient foes, con - spir - ing still, With one con - sent a - gree,

²Thy en - e - mies lift up their head To fight Thy saints and Thee.
⁴They think to cut Thy peo - ple off, Thy Church they would de - stroy.
And they who with Thy peo - ple strive Make war, O God, with Thee.

⁴ ^{9ff}O God, Who in our fa - thers' time Did smite our foes and Thine,
⁵ ¹³Make them like dust and stub - ble blown Be - fore the whirl-wind dire,
⁶ ^{16f}Con - found them in their sin till they To Thee for par - don fly,

So smite Thy en - e - mies to - day Who in their pride com - bine.
¹⁵In ter - ror driv'n be - fore the storm ¹⁸Of Thy con - sum - ing fire.
¹⁸Till in dis - may they trem - bling own That Thou art GOD Most High.

84A

How Dear to Me, O LORD of Hosts

complete

1. ¹How dear to me, O LORD of Hosts, The place where Thou dost dwell;
 2. ³Be - neath Thy care the spar-row finds A place of peace - ful rest;
 3. ⁴Blest they who dwell with - in Thy house, Their per - fect strength Thou art;
 4. ⁸O LORD of Hosts, to Thee I cry, Our fa - ther's God, to Thee;
 5. ¹⁰A sin - gle day with - in Thy courts, Where I Thy beau - ty see,
 6. ¹¹A sun and shield is God, the LORD, To light - en and de - fend;

The tab - er - nac - les of Thy grace In pleas - ant - ness ex - cel.
 ▶ Where she may safe - ly lay her young The swal - low finds a nest;
 Their joy - ful praise shall nev - er cease, Thy ways are in their heart.
 Let my pe - ti - tion reach Thy ear, My pray'r ac - cept - ed be;
 ▶ Is bet - ter than a thou - sand days My God, a - part from Thee.
 The LORD to such as look to Him Will grace and glo - ry send;

²My spir - it longs, yea, e - ven faints, Thy sa - cred courts to see;
 ▶ Then, LORD of Hosts, my King, my God, Thy love will shel - ter me;
⁶Their tears of grief, like ear - ly rain, Sweet springs of joy shall fill;
⁹O God our shield, look Thou on us, Re - veal Thy - self in grace,
 ▶ A low - ly sta - tion in Thy house Were dear - er to my heart
 To those that walk in right - eous - ness No good will He de - ny;

My thirst - ing heart and flesh cry out, O liv - ing God, for Thee.
 ▶ Be - neath Thy al - tar's peace - ful shade My dwell - ing place shall be.
⁷With strength re - newed they jour - ney safe To Zi - on's ho - ly hill.
 And let Thy own a - noint - ed one Be - hold Thee face to face.
 ▶ Than in the tents of wick - ed - ness To claim the chief - est part.
¹²O LORD of Hosts, how blest are they Who on Thy grace re - ly.

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How Lovely, LORD of Hosts, to Me

84B

complete

1. ¹How love - ly, LORD of Hosts, to me The tab - er -
 2. ³The spar - row has her place of rest; The swal - low,
 3. ⁴Blest they who in Thy house a - bide, They still to
 4. ⁷Ad - vanc - ing still from strength to strength, They on - ward
 5. ⁹Up - on us look, O God, our shield, The face of
 6. ¹¹Je - ho - vah, God our shield and sun, Will grace and

nac - les of Thy grace; ²O how I long, yea, faint to see
 ▶ through Thy kind - ly care, Has found where she may build her nest
 Thee shall ren - der praise; ⁵Blest they who in Thy strength con - fide,
 go where saints have trod, Till ev - 'ry one ap - pears at length
 ▶ Thy a - noint - ed see; ¹⁰A thou - sand oth - er days can yield
 glo - ry sure - ly give; No good will He with - hold from one

Thy hal - lowed courts, Thy dwell - ing - place; For Thee my
 ▶ And brood her young in safe - ty there; Thy al - tars
 And in whose hearts are Zi - on's ways; ⁶Though pass - ing
 In Zi - on's courts be - fore his God; ⁸Je - ho - vah,
 ▶ No glad - ness like one day with Thee; Though on - ly
 Who in His sight shall right - ly live; ¹²O LORD of

heart and spir - it sigh, For Thee, O liv - ing God, I cry.
 ▶ as my rest I sing, O LORD of Hosts, my God, my King.
 through the vale of tears, Like springs of joy Thy grace ap - pears.
 God of Hosts, give ear, Our fa - ther's God, in mer - cy hear.
 ▶ at Thy door I wait, No tents of sin give joy so great.
 Hosts, most blest is he Who puts his stead - fast trust in Thee.

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O LORD of Hosts, O God of Grace

complete

1. ¹O LORD of hosts, O God of grace, How love - ly
 2. ³The spar - row finds a house to rest, The swal - low
 3. ⁵Blest is the man whose strength Thou art, Thy ways are
 4. ⁷From strength to strength Thy chil - dren dear Go for - ward,
 5. ⁹O God, our shield, with face be - nign Look on Thy
 6. ¹¹O God Je - ho - vah, good and kind, On Zi - on's

is Thy ho - ly place, How good and pleas - ant is
 ▶ de - ly builds her nest, And broods her young hard by
 hid - den in his heart, He treads the high - way to
 ▶ till they all ap - pear In Zi - on's courts, God's ho -
 ▶ ser - vant, whol - ly Thine, And keep him, Lord, Thou great
 mount in clouds en - shrined, Thou art our sun and shield

Thy dwell - ing! ²My thirst - y soul longs ear - nest - ly,
 ▶ Thine al - tar. O LORD of hosts, my God, my King,
 Thy dwell - ing. ⁶Though pass - ing through a vale of tears,
 ly moun - tain. O how de - light - ful, God of grace,
 ▶ de - fend - er! ¹⁰One day, passed in Thy house of praise,
 for - ev - er. To up - right souls that seek Thy face

Yea, faints Thy ho - ly courts to see 'Mid fes - tal
 ▶ With all my soul to Thee I cling! Hold Thou my
 Thy grace, O God, to him ap - pears With wing - ed
 The paths of those that seek Thy face, And yearn for
 ▶ Is bet - ter than a thou - sand days Spent in the
 Thou giv - est glo - ry, truth, and grace; E'en in death's

throngs and mu - sic swell - ing. My heart and flesh cry
 ▶ hand, lest I should fal - ter. ⁴How blest are they that
 hope and pow'r im - pel - ling. The wil - der - ness, by
 wa - ters from Thy foun - tain! ⁸Je - ho - vah, God of
 ▶ realm of earth - ly splen - dour. Though on - ly at Thy
 vale Thou fail - est nev - er. ¹²O LORD of hosts, how

out to God, To Him I spread my hands a - broad.
 ▶ dwell with Thee! They praise Thy name con - tin - ual - ly.
 show - ers blest, Is now a pil - grim's vale of rest.
 hosts, give ear, O Ja - cob's God, in mer - cy hear.
 ▶ door I wait, No tents of sin give joy so great.
 blest is he Who puts his stead - fast trust in Thee!

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O LORD of Hosts, How Lovely

partial (vv. 1-7)

1. ¹O LORD of Hosts, how love - ly Thy tab - er - nac - les are;
 2. ³Be - neath Thy care the spar - row Finds place for peace - ful rest;
 3. ⁴Blest they who dwell in Zi - on, Whose joy and strength Thou art;

²For them my heart is yearn - ing In ban - ish - ment a - far.
 To keep her young in safe - ty The swal - low finds a nest;
 For - ev - er they will praise Thee, Thy ways are in their heart.

My soul is long - ing, faint - ing, Thy sa - cred courts to see;
 Then, LORD, my King Al - might - y, Thy love will shel - ter me;
⁶Though tried, their tears like show - ers Shall fill the springs of peace,

My heart and flesh are cry - ing, O liv - ing God, for Thee.
 Be - side Thy ho - ly al - tar My dwell - ing place shall be.
⁷And all the way to Zi - on Their strength shall still in - crease.

LORD God of Hosts, in Mercy

84E

partial (vv. 8-12)

1. ⁸LORD God of Hosts, in mer - cy My sup - pli - ca - tion hear;
 2. ¹⁰In Thy blest courts to wor - ship, My God, a sin - gle day
 3. ¹¹A sun and shield for - ev - er Is God, the LORD Most High;

Al - might - y and all - faith - ful, Our fa - thers' God, give ear;
 Is bet - ter than a thou - sand While far from Thee I stray;
 To those who walk up - right - ly No good will He de - ny;

⁹Our shield and great de - fend - er, No long - er hide Thy face,
 Though in a low - ly sta - tion, The ser - vice of my Lord see;
 His saints, His grace re - ceiv - ing, Shall soon His glo - ry see;

But look up - on Thy ser - vant, A - noint - ed by Thy grace.
 I choose a - bove all pleas - ures That sin - ful ways af - ford.
¹²O LORD of Hosts, most bless - ed Are they that trust in Thee.

85A LORD, Thou Hast Greatly Blest Our Land

complete

1. ¹ LORD, Thou hast great-ly blest our land, Thou hast brought back our cap-tive band,
 2. ³ O Thou, Who in a for-mer day Didst turn Thy dread-ful wrath a-way,
 3. ⁵ O will Thy an-ger nev-er cease? For-ev-er shall Thy wrath in-crease?
 4. ⁷ To us Thy mer-cy now af-ford And show us Thy sal-va-tion, LORD;

² Thy par-d'ning grace has made us free And cov-ered our in-iq-ui-ty.
⁴ In grace Thy peo-ple, Lord, re-turn, And let Thy wrath no long-er burn.
⁶ Re-vive and quick-en us once more, And Thy sal-va-tion's joy re-store.
⁸ Yea, Thou wilt an-swer us in peace, If from our fol-ly we will cease.

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5. ⁹ The LORD's sal-va-tion will ap-pear To men of faith and god-ly fear,
 6. ¹⁰ Now truth a-grees with mer-cy mild, Now law and peace are rec-on-ciled;
 7. ¹² The LORD will send His bless-ing down, And har-vests all our land shall crown;

And glo-ry in our land shall dwell When we shall heed God's pre-cepts well.
¹¹ Be-hold the truth from earth a-rise, With jus-tice shin-ing from the skies.
¹³ Be-fore Him right-eous-ness a-bides, And in His steps our feet He guides.

LORD, Thou Hast Favour Shown Thy Land 85B

complete

1. ¹ LORD, Thou hast fa-vour shown Thy land, Re-stored a-gain Thy cap-tive band;
 2. ⁴ In grace Thy peo-ple, Lord, re-turn, Nor long-er let Thy an-ger burn;
 3. ⁷ O LORD, to us Thy mer-cy show, And Thy sal-va-tion now be-stow;
 4. ⁹ His sav-ing help is sure-ly near To those His ho-ly name that fear;
 5. ¹¹ Truth spring-ing forth the earth shall crown, And righteousness from heav'n look down,

² Thy peo-ple's sins Thou par-doned hast, And all their guilt hast cov-ered o'er,
⁵ Wilt Thou for-ev-er an-gry be? Through ag-es shall Thy wrath sur-vive?
⁸ We wait to hear what God will say; Peace to His peo-ple He will speak,
 Thus glo-ry dwells in all our land. ¹⁰ Now heav'n-ly truth u-nites with grace,
¹² And GOD on us His good-ness shed; Our land shall then with plen-ty flow.

³ Re-moved from them Thy an-ger sore, All Thy fierce wrath be-hind Thee cast.
⁶ Wilt Thou not us a-gain re-vive, So that we may re-joice in Thee?
⁹ And to His saints, but let them seek No more in fol-ly's path to stray.
 And right-eous-ness and peace em-brace, In full ac-cord they ev-er stand.
¹³ Be-fore Him right-eous-ness shall go, And cause us in His steps to tread.

86A Bow Down Thine Ear, O LORD, and Hear

complete

1. ¹ Bow down Thine ear, O LORD, and hear, For I am poor and great my need;
 2. ³ O Lord, be mer - ci - ful to me, For all the day to Thee I cry;
 3. ⁵ For Thou, O Lord, art good and kind, And read - y to for - give Thou art;
 4. ⁶ O LORD, in - cline Thy ear to me, My voice of sup - pli - ca - tion heed;
 5. ⁸ There is no God but Thee a - lone, Nor works like Thine, O Lord Most High;
 6. ¹⁰ In all Thy deeds how great Thou art! Thou one true God, Thy way make clear;

² Pre - serve my soul, for Thee I fear; O God, Thy trust - ing ser - vant heed.
 ▶ ⁴ Re - joice Thy ser - vant, for to Thee I lift my soul, O Lord Most High.
 A - bun - dant mer - cy they shall find Who call on Thee with all their heart.
⁷ In trou - ble I will cry to Thee, For Thou will an - swer when I plead.
 ▶ ⁹ All na - tions shall sur - round Thy throne And their Cre - a - tor glo - ri - fy.
¹¹ Teach me with un - di - vid - ed heart To trust Thy truth, Thy name to fear.

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7. ¹² O Lord, my God, my joy - ful heart Will give Thee praise for ev - er - more,
 8. ¹⁴ O God, the proud a - gainst me rise, The wick - ed who de - light in strife;
 9. ¹⁵ In Thee, O Lord, all grace is found, Thy peo - ple shall Thy mer - cy know;
 10. ¹⁶ In mer - cy turn and look on me, Thy ser - vant true, Thy cho - sen one;
 11. ¹⁷ Some to - ken of Thy love be - stow, Which they who hate me now may see;

¹³ For rich in grace to me Thou art, My soul from death Thou didst re - store.
 They set not Thee be - fore their eyes, They seek to take a - way my life.
 ▶ Thy truth and good - ness still a - bound, To wrath and an - ger Thou art slow.
 Let me Thy great sal - va - tion see, And strengthen me my course to run.
 Let all, O LORD, be brought to know That Thou dost help and com - fort me.

LORD, My Petition Heed

86B

partial (vv. 1-8)

1. ¹ LORD, my pe - ti - tion heed, Now help me in my need,
 2. ⁴ Com - fort Thy ser - vant now, While at Thy throne I bow,
 3. ⁶ LORD, hear me while I pray, ⁷ While now in trou - ble's day

² My Sav - iour be; I am Thy ser - vant, Lord, My trust is
⁵ For Thou art love. Thy par - d'ning grace is free; Sin - ners who
 I seek Thy face. To an - swer, Lord, is Thine; ⁸ Thou on - ly

in Thy word, ³ Mer - cy to me af - ford, I cry to Thee.
 call on Thee Thy ten - der mer - cy see, O God a - bove.
 art di - vine, Most bright Thy glo - ries shine, O God of grace.

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By All Whom Thou Hast Made

partial (vv. 9-17)

1. ⁹By all whom Thou hast made Be praise and wor - ship paid
 2. ¹¹Help me Thy will to do, Thy truth I will pur - sue,
 3. ¹³How great Thy love ap - pears That bade death's gloom - y fears
 4. ¹⁶Show me Thy mer - cy true, Thy ser - vant's strength re - new,

Through earth a - broad; Thy name be glo - ri - fied, ¹⁰There is none
 Teach me to fear; ¹²Give me the sin - gle eye Thy name to
 No more dis - may; ¹⁴O God, to an - ger slow, Save me from
 De - liv - rance send; ¹⁷To me Thy good - ness show, Thy com - fort,

great be - side Match - less Thy works a - bide, For Thou art God.
 glo - ri - fy, O Lord, my God Most High, With heart sin - cere.
 ev - 'ry foe, Thy lov - ing - kind - ness show, Thy truth dis - play.
 LORD, be - stow; Let those that hate me know Thou art my friend.

Zion, Founded on the Mountains

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complete

1. ¹Zi - on, found - ed on the moun - tains, ²GOD, thy
 2. ⁴Hea - then lands and hos - tile peo - ples Soon shall
 3. ⁶When the LORD shall count the na - tions, Sons and

mak - er, loves thee well; He has cho - sen thee, most pre - cious,
 come the Lord to know; ⁵Na - tions born a - gain in Zi - on,
 daugh - ters He shall see, Born to end - less life in Zi - on,

He de - lights in thee to dwell; ³God's own cit - y,
 Shall the Lord's sal - va - tion show, God Al - might - y,
⁷And their joy - ful song shall be, Bless - ed Zi - on,

God's own cit - y, Who can all thy glo - ry tell?
 God Al - might - y Shall on Zi - on strength be - stow.
 Bless - ed Zi - on, All our foun - tains are in thee.

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Zion, Founded on the Mountains

complete

1. ¹Zi - on, found - ed on the moun - tains, ²GOD, thy mak - er,
2. ⁴Hea - then lands and hos - tile peo - ples Soon shall come the
3. ⁶When the LORD shall count the na - tions, Sons and daugh - ters

loves thee well; He has cho - sen thee, most pre - cious, He de -
Lord to know; ⁵Na - tions born a - gain in Zi - on Shall the
He shall see, Born to end - less life in Zi - on, ⁷And their

lights in thee to dwell; ³God's own cit - y, Who can all thy
Lord's sal - va - tion show, God Al - might - y Shall on Zi - on
joy - ful song shall be, Bless - ed Zi - on, All our foun - tains

glo - ry tell? God's own cit - y, Who can all thy glo - ry tell?
strength be - stow. God Al - might - y Shall on Zi - on strength be - stow.
are in thee. Bless - ed Zi - on, All our foun - tains are in thee.

Zion, on the Holy Hills

87C

complete

1. ¹Zi - on, on the ho - ly hills, ²God, thy mak - er, loves thee well;
2. ⁶When the LORD the names shall write Of thy sons, a count - less throng,

All thy courts His pres - ence fills, He de - lights in thee to dwell.
⁵God Most High will thee re - quite, He Him - self will make thee strong.

³Won - drous shall thy glo - ry be, Cit - y blest of God, the LORD;
⁷Then in song and joy - ful mirth Shall thy ran -omed sons a - gree,

⁴Na - tions shall be born in thee, Un - to life from death re - stored.
Sing - ing forth through - out the earth, All my foun - tains are in thee.

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complete

Our Gracious God Has Laid His Firm Foundations

1. ¹Our gra - cious God has laid His firm foun - da - tions
 2. ³What glo - rious things, O cit - y of God's fa - vour,
 3. The Cush - ite, the Phil - is - tine and the Tyr - ian
 4. GOD will Him - self con - firm it with His bless - ing,
 5. ⁷Then shall God's name with ho - ly ad - o - ra - tion

On Zi - on's mount, the courts of His de - light;
 Are spo - ken in me - lo - dious tones of you!
 ▶ Shall soon, O Zi - on, throng your ho - ly gate;
⁶And on the roll of na - tions He will count
 And joy - ful tones be praised by Is - rael's throng;

²Her gates of splen - dour, bathed in heav'n - ly light,
⁴Ra - hab will I in - clude, and Ba - bel too,
 ▶ ⁵In songs of joy I'll hear her sons re - late:
 All these as born on Zi - on's ho - ly mount,
 Both harp and voice will blend in swell - ing song:

GOD loves far more than Ja - cob's hab - i - ta - tions.
 With those who know Me as their Lord and Sav - iour.
 ▶ These all were born with - in the walls of Zi - on.
 In man - y tongues one God, one faith con - fess - ing.
 In Zi - on are the founts of my sal - va - tion.

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LORD, the God of My Salvation

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1. ¹LORD, the God of my sal - va - tion, Day and night I cry to Thee;
 2. ⁶Thou hast brought me down to darkness, ⁷'Neath Thy wrath I am oppressed;
 3. ⁹Un - to Thee with hands up - lift - ed Dai - ly I di - rect my cry;
 4. ¹³Still, O LORD, re - newed each morn - ing Un - to Thee my pray'r shall be;
 5. ¹⁸Friend and lov - er are de - part - ed, Dark and lone - ly is my way;

²Let my pray'r now find ac - cept - ance, In Thy mer - cy an - swer me.
 All the bil - lows of af - flic - tion O - ver - whelm my soul dis - tressed.
 ▶ Hear, O LORD, my sup - pli - ca - tion, Hear and save me ere I die.
¹⁴Cast me not a - way for - ev - er, Let me now Thy fa - vour see.
^{9,13}LORD, be Thou my friend and help - er, Still to Thee, O Lord, I pray.

³Full of trou - bles and af - flic - tion, ⁴Nigh to death my soul is brought
⁸Thou hast made my friends de - spise me, And com - pan - ion - less I go,
 ▶ ^{10ff}Wilt Thou wait to show Thy won - ders And Thy mer - cy to the dead?
¹⁵All my life is spent in sor - row, Grief and ter - ror al - ways nigh,
¹LORD, the God of my sal - va - tion, Day and night I cry to Thee;

⁵Help - less, like one cast for - ev - er From Thy care and from Thy thought.
 Bound, and help - less in my bond - age, Pin - ing in my bit - ter woe.
 ▶ Let me live to tell Thy prais - es, By Thy lov - ing - kind - ness led.
^{16f}Waves of wrath have surged a - bout me; Show Thy mer - cy ere I die.
²Let my pray'r now find ac - cept - ance, In Thy mer - cy an - swer me.

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O LORD, My Life, My Saviour God

complete

1. ¹ O LORD, my life, my Sav-iour God, Hear, while I spread my woes a - broad;
 2. ² Let Thy most gra - cious hear-ing ear In - cline to my dis-tress-ful pray'r;
 3. ³ My strength is lost, my life re-signed, A - mong the dead my place as - signed;
 4. ⁴ Low in the grave my hopes are laid, And darkness spreads its deep-est shade;
 5. ⁵ Far from these wretch-ed eyes re-moved, Are all the friends whom once I loved;

While day and night my mourn-ful cries Be - fore Thy throne in - ces-sant rise.
³ With sor-row my full heart o'er-flows, And o'er me soon the grave will close.
⁵ I am as one cut off from Thee, Scarce are the slain more lost than me.
⁷ Thy dread-ful wrath af - flicts my soul, Like whelming waves Thy ter - rors roll.
 They shun me while in grief I moan, Con-fined, un - pit - ied, and a - lone.

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6. ⁹ In vain to ease my hope-less woe, My streaming tears un - ceas-ing flow;
 7. ¹⁰ Wilt Thou from dust Thy won-ders raise? And shall the dead a - wake to praise?
 8. ¹² Where ne'er one cheer - ing ray of light Breaks through the deep and dark of night,
 9. ¹³ Yet still to Thee my cries as - cend; My ear - nest cries, O LORD, at - tend;

To Thee, O LORD, I breathe my cries, And stretch my hands and lift my eyes.
¹¹ Thy kind-ness shall the grave re - cord? Or life de-destroyed a - dore Thy word?
 Shall Thy great right-eous-ness be known? And all Thy won-ders there be shown?
 My night - ly groans, my morn-ing pray'r, Shall seek Thee still with rest - less care.

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10. ¹⁴ Why, LORD, wilt Thou re - ject my soul? Thy smile can all my cares con - trol;
 11. ¹⁵ Af - flict - ed long have I complained, And long a dy - ing life sus-tained;
 12. ¹⁶ Thy fierce dis - pleas - ure who can bear? 'Tis death ar - rayed in black de - spair;
 13. ¹⁸ My dear - est friends who shared my heart, Far from those mourn-ful scenes de - part;

Why wilt Thou hide Thy bliss-ful face, While I in vain im-plore Thy grace?
 Dis - tress and pain Thy frowns im-part; Thy ter - rors fill my wound-ed heart.
¹⁷ Like swell-ing floods Thy ter - rors rise, O'er-whelm my heart, and com - fort dies.
 While o'er my sol - i - tar - y head Dark shades and dis-mal si - lence spread.

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I Will Forever Sing of Thy Great Love

complete

1. I will for - ev - er sing of Thy great love, O LORD,
 2. ³Thou said'st, I've made a cov - 'nant with My cho - sen one;
 3. ⁵O LORD, the heav'ns ex - tol the won - ders of Thy ways;
 4. ⁹Thou dost rule swell - ing tides, the surg - ing of the sea,
 5. ¹²Thou hast made north and south and ev - 'ry moun - tain height;
 6. ¹⁵Blest are the peo - ple who ac - claim Thee as their King,

To ag - es yet to come make known Thy faith - ful word,
 ▶ To Da - vid as My ser - vant I My love have shown,
 The ho - ly ones in their as - sem - bly sing Thy praise.
 And on the roar - ing waves im - pose tran - quil - i - ty.
 ▶ Mount Ta - bor and Mount Her - mon glo - ry in Thy might.
 Who know the fes - tal shout and of Thy mer - cy sing.

For with my mouth I will to ev - 'ry gen - er - a - tion
 ▶ For I to him have sworn, your off - spring I will fa - vour;
⁶Who in their might - y host com - pares with Thee in splen - dour?
¹⁰Proud Ra - hab Thou didst crush, its car - cass Thou hast shat - tered;
 ▶ ¹³Thine arm, Thy strong right hand e - vokes their ju - bi - la - tion.
 They walk in ra - dian - t light, be - fore Thy face re - joic - ing;

Pro - claim Thy faith - ful - ness in joy - ful ad - o - ra - tion.
 ▶ ⁴I will es - tab - lish your de - scend - ants' reign for - ev - er.
⁷They all be - fore Thy throne to Thee their hom - age ren - der.
 Thou with Thy might - y arm Thine en - e - mies hast scat - tered.
 ▶ ¹⁴True right - eous - ness and jus - tice are Thy throne's foun - da - tion.
¹⁶The prais - es of Thy name they all day long keep voic - ing.

²Thy cov - 'nant love stands firm; it will not wane or wa - ver,
 ▶ Your king - dom will en - dure, for I laid its foun - da - tions
⁸O LORD, who is like Thee? Who else has pow'r un - bound - ed?
¹¹Both earth and skies are Thine, for Thine is all cre - a - tion;
 ▶ The love and faith - ful - ness that will en - dure for - ev - er
 Thy won - drous deeds they laud, Thy right - eous - ness re - call - ing;

For Thou in heav'n it - self es - tab - lished it for - ev - er.
 ▶ And I will build your throne through - out all gen - er - a - tions.
 Thou art the might - y God by faith - ful - ness sur - round - ed.
 The world with all it holds is placed on its foun - da - tion.
 ▶ Be - fore Thee make their way as her - alds of Thy fa - vour.
 They go their way with joy, Thy stead - fast love ex - tol - ling.

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7. ¹⁷Thou art our strength and glo - ry, Who ex -alts our horn,
 8. ¹⁹Of old, God to the faith - ful in a vi - sion said:
 9. ²³Be - fore him I will go and crush his en - e - mies.
 10. ²⁷I al - so will ap - point him as My first - born son,
 11. ³⁰But should his sons for - sake and dis - o - bey My law
 12. ³⁵I once for all have sworn by My own ho - li - ness.

And by Thy fa - vour, Lord, our en - e - mies we scorn.
 ▶ I have ex - alt - ed him by whom you will be led;
²⁴His horn I will ex - alt; My love will nev - er cease.
 High - est of earth - ly kings, in fame sur - passed by none.
 ▶ ³¹Ig - nor - ing My com - mands, not hold - ing them in awe,
 I will not break My word, but Da - vid I will bless;

To Thee be - longs our shield, our King so great and glo - rious;
 ▶ One of your own I have se - lect - ed and ap - point - ed;
 My name will be his strength; it will for - sake him nev - er,
²⁸My stead - fast love for him I will main - tain for - ev - er;
 ▶ ³²Then I will pun - ish them, flog them for their trans - gres - sion,
³⁶His throne will ev - er - more from heir to heir be hand - ed,

¹⁸Thou hast come to his aid, and hast made him vic - to - rious.
 ▶ ²⁰My ser - vant Da - vid, with My ho - ly oil a - noint - ed,
²⁵And I will set his hand on seas and might - y riv - ers.
 The cov - nant made with him I will not break or sev - er.
 ▶ ³³But will not take from him My love and My com - pas - sion.
³⁷For like the sun it will en - dure as I com - mand - ed.

To Thee our praise we sing, to Thee we hom - age ren - der,
 ▶ ²¹My arm will make him strong, My right hand will pro - tect him.
²⁶He will ac - knowl - edge Me and cry in ad - o - ra - tion,
²⁹In keep - ing with My pledge, the throne to Da - vid giv - en
 ▶ ³⁴My cov - nant will stand firm, My vow will not be bro - ken,
 And like the moon, the faith - ful wit - ness in the heav - ens,

O Is - rael's Ho - ly One, our pow - er - ful De - fend - er.
 ▶ ²²No foes will hum - ble him, no wick - ed man af - flict him.
 My Fa - ther and my God, the rock of my sal - va - tion!
 Will stand for - ev - er firm, en - dur - ing like the heav - ens.
 ▶ Nor will I change a word of what My lips have spo - ken.
 His reign will be se - cure. My prom - ise I have giv - en.

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13. ³⁸But Thine a - noint - ed one Thou in Thy wrath hast spurned;
 14. ⁴¹See how all pass - ers - by have robbed and plun - dered him;
 15. ⁴⁴O Lord, Thou hast re - moved the scep - ter from his hand,
 16. ⁴⁷Re - mem - ber, Lord, my life, its brief and fleet - ing span.
 17. ⁵⁰Re - mem - ber how I bear with - in my heart, O Lord,

Him Thou hast now cast off, a - gainst him Thou hast turned.
 He is his neigh - bours' scorn, en - dur - ing bit - ter shame.
 ▶ Cast to the ground his throne, him from Thy pres - ence banned.
 O for what van - i - ty hast Thou cre - at - ed man!
 The in - sults and the taunts that I have long en - dured.

³⁹The cov - 'nant made with him Thou hast re - pu - di - at - ed;
⁴²The right hand of his foes Thou hast in war ex - alt - ed;
 ▶ ⁴⁵Thou hast cut short his youth, his vig - our Thou hast tak - en,
⁴⁸For who can live and see the light of day for - ev - er?
⁵¹Thy ser - vant has been mocked and jeered by all the na - tions;

His crown lies in the dust, de - filed and vi - o - lat - ed.
 They cheered in tri - umph when a - gainst him they re - volt - ed.
 ▶ Hast cov - ered him in shame and left him all for - sak - en.
 Who can out - wit the grave and see its ter - rors nev - er?
 Foes taunt - ed Thine a - noint - ed with their prov - o - ca - tions.

⁴⁰Lord, Thou hast breached his walls, brought wide - spread dev - as - ta - tion,
⁴³His sword Thou hast turned back, his en - e - mies have felled him,
 ▶ ⁴⁶How long, O LORD? How long wilt Thou from him be hid - ing?
⁴⁹Lord, where is now Thy love? Has it now waned and wa - vered?
⁵²Yet praise and wor - ship GOD! His mer - cy will not wa - ver.

Re - duced his cit - a - dels to scenes of des - o - la - tion.
 And in his man - y bat - tles Thou hast not up - held him.
 ▶ How long be - fore Thy blaz - ing wrath will be sub - sid - ing?
 Where is Thy faith - ful - ness that once was sworn to Da - vid?
 Yes, A - men and A - men. Praised be the Lord for - ev - er!

89B My Song Forever Shall Record

partial (vv. 1-12)

1. ¹My song for - ev - er shall re - cord The ten - der mer - cies of the LORD;
 2. ²I sing of mer - cies that en - dure, For - ev - er build - ed firm and sure,
 3. ³Be - hold God's truth and grace dis - played, For He has faith - ful cov - 'nant made,
 4. ⁴The heav'n's shall join in glad ac - cord To praise Thy wondrous works, O LORD;
 5. ⁵Who in the heav'n - ly dwell - ings fair Can with the LORD Him - self com - pare?

Thy faith - ful - ness will I pro - claim, And ev - 'ry age shall know Thy name.
 Of faith - ful - ness that nev - er dies, Es - tab - lished changeless in the skies.
 ▶ ⁴And He has sworn that Da - vid's son Shall ev - er sit up - on his throne.
 Thy faith - ful - ness shall praise com - mand Where ho - ly ones as - sem - bled stand.
 Or who a - mong the might - y shares The like - ness that Je - ho - vah bears?

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6. ⁷With fear and rev - 'rence at His feet God's ho - ly ones in coun - cil meet;
 7. ⁸O Thou Je - ho - vah, God of Hosts, What might - y one Thy like - ness boasts?
 8. ⁹The swell - ing sea o - beys Thy will, Its an - gry waves Thy voice can still;
 9. ¹¹The heav'n's and earth, by right di - vine, The world and all there - in are Thine;

Yea, more than all a - bout His throne Must He be feared, and He a - lone.
 In all Thy works and vast de - signs Thy faith - ful - ness for - ev - er shines.
¹⁰Thy might - y en - e - mies are slain, Thy foes re - sist Thy pow'r in vain.
¹²The whole cre - a - tion's won - drous frame Pro - claims its mak - er's glo - rious name.

Almighty God, Thy Lofty Throne

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partial (vv. 13-18)

1. ¹³Al - might - y God, Thy loft - y throne Has jus - tice for its
 2. ¹⁵With bless - ing is the na - tion crowned Whose peo - ple know the
 3. ¹⁶Thy name with glad - ness they con - fess, Ex - alt - ed in Thy
 4. ¹⁷All glo - ry un - to God we yield, Je - ho - vah is our

cor - ner - stone, And shin - ing bright be -
 joy - ful sound; They in the light, O
 right - eous - ness; ¹⁷Their fame and might to
 help and shield; All praise and ho - nour

fore Thy face Are truth and love and bound - less grace.
 LORD, shall live, The light Thy face and fa - vour give.
 Thee be - long, For in Thy fa - vour they are strong.
 we will bring To Is - rael's Ho - ly One, our King.

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In Vision to His Saints God Spake

partial (vv. 19–37, 52)

1. ¹⁹In vi - sion to His saints God spake: From out the peo - ple
 2. ²⁰My cho - sen ser - vant I ap - point, With ho - ly oil his
 3. ²²No en - e - my shall him af - fright, ²³His ad - ver - sar - ies
 4. Yea, he shall tri - umph in My name, And great shall be his
 5. ²⁶Thou art my Fa - ther, he shall cry, My God, my rock of

one I take, A might - y lead - er, true and brave, Or - dained, ex -
 head a - noint; ²¹My hand with him shall still re - main, My arm his
 ▶ I will smite, ²⁴My faith - ful - ness to him will prove, And nev - er
 pow'r and fame, ²⁵From sea to sea his might - y hand Shall hold do -
 ref - uge high; ²⁷My first - born son shall he be owned, A - bove the

alt - ed, strong to save, Or - dained, ex - alt - ed, strong to save.
 strength shall well sus - tain, My arm his strength shall well sus - tain.
 ▶ more My grace re - move, And nev - er - more My grace re - move.
 min - ion o'er the land, Shall hold do - min - ion o'er the land.
 kings of earth enthroned, A - bove the kings of earth enthroned.

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6. ²⁸For him My mer - cy shall en - dure, My cov - 'nant made with
 7. ³⁰Should sons of his My laws for - sake, ³¹My just com - mands and
 8. Though they be chas - tened sore and tried, My faith - ful - ness shall
 9. ³⁵My oath is stead - fast, ev - er sure, ³⁶My ser - vant's race shall
 10. ⁵²Blest be the LORD for ev - er - more, Whose prom - ise stands from

him is sure, ²⁹His throne and race I will main - tain For - ev - er,
 stat - utes break, ³²Then, though My rod their sins re - prove, ³³My mer - cy
 ▶ yet a - bide; ³⁴My cov - 'nant word I will not break, Nor change the
 still en - dure; His throne for - ev - er firm shall stay When sun and
 days of yore. His word is faith - ful now as then; Blest be His

while the heav'ns re - main, For - ev - er, while the heav'ns re - main.
 I will not re - move, My mer - cy I will not re - move.
 ▶ prom - ise that I spake, Nor change the prom - ise that I spake.
 moon have passed a - way, When sun and moon have passed a - way.
 name. A - men, A - men. Blest be His name. A - men, A - men.

89E On Thine Anointed, Wrath Is Poured

partial (vv. 38-52)

1. ³⁸On Thine a - noint-ed, wrath is poured ³⁹As if Thy cov-'nant were ab-horred;
 2. ⁴⁴His beau - ty is con - sumed a - way, ⁴³For - got - ten is his king - ly sway.
 3. ⁴⁷Think on my life; O Lord, take thought; Hast Thou cre - at - ed man for nought?
 4. ⁵⁰Re - mem - ber, Lord, the bit - ter shame Heaped on Thine own a - noint-ed's name.

Thou hast pro-faned his king - ly crown, ⁴⁰His match-less strength is bro - ken down.
⁴⁵Cut off in youth, his sa - cred name is cov - ered now with deep - est shame;
⁴⁸What man that lives has pow'r to save His soul from death, and from the grave?
⁵²Blest be the LORD for ev - er - more, Whose prom - ise stands from days of yore.

⁴¹He is reproached and spoiled of all, ⁴²His en - e - mies up - on him fall.
⁴⁶How long, O LORD, shall wrath a - bide? Thy face for - ev - er wilt Thou hide?
⁴⁹Where are Thy mer - cies which of old Were in Thy prom - is - es fore - told?
 His word is faith - ful now as then; Blest be His name. A - men, A - men.

LORD, Through All the Generations

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complete

1. ¹LORD, through all the gen - er - a - tions Of the chil - dren of our race,
 2. ³Each suc - ceed - ing gen - er - a - tion At Thy might - y word ap - pears;
 3. ⁷In Thy wrath our spir - its lan - guish, ⁸Sin - ful 'neath Thy search - ing eye;
 4. ¹¹Who can weigh Thy just dis - pleas - ure, Who can fear Thee as he ought?
 5. ¹⁵Long the clouds of e - vil low - er; Bless us now with glad - some days;

In our fears and trib - u - la - tions, Thou hast been our dwell - ing - place.
⁴Thou dost count in time's du - ra - tion One day as a thou - sand years.
 ▶ ⁹All our days are passed in an - guish, In Thy wrath we pine and die.
¹²Teach us now our days to mea - sure And to wis - dom turn our thought.
¹⁶Let Thy ser - vants see Thy pow - er, Let their chil - dren learn Thy praise.

²Ere the vast and wide cre - a - tion By Thy word was caused to be,
⁵Death, with swift and sud - den warn - ing, Calls us from life's dream a - way,
 ▶ ¹⁰Three - score years and ten we tar - ry, Four - score years the strong may stay,
¹³LORD, re - turn, re - gard our sad - ness; With Thy ser - vants now a - bide;
¹⁷On us let the grace and beau - ty Of the LORD our God re - main,

Or the moun - tains held their sta - tion, Thou art God e - ter - nal - ly.
⁶Like the grass, green in the morn - ing, With - ered ere the close of day.
 ▶ Long the load of grief to car - ry, Till at last we fly a - way.
¹⁴Fill our days with joy and glad - ness, With Thy mer - cy sat - is - fied.
 Strengthen us for no - ble du - ty That our work be not in vain.