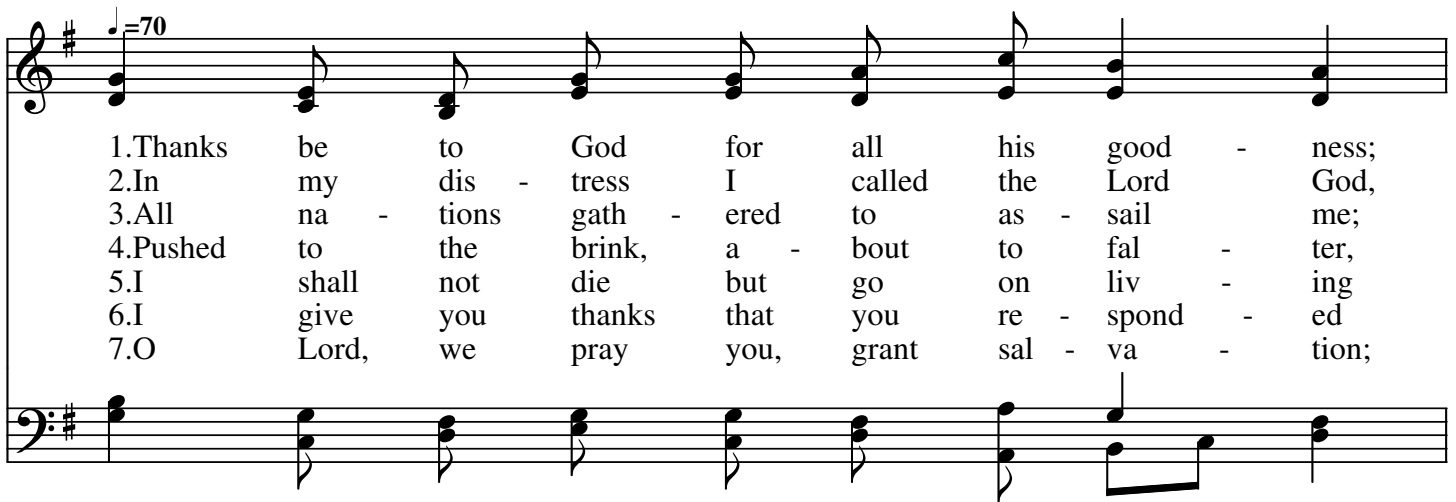
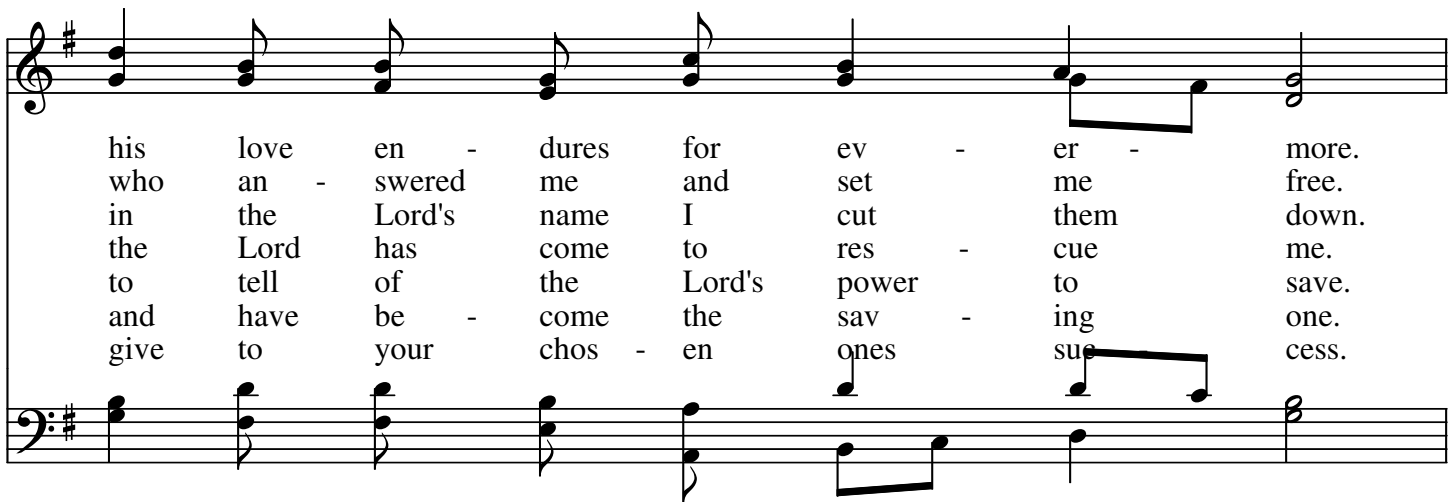


Psalm 118

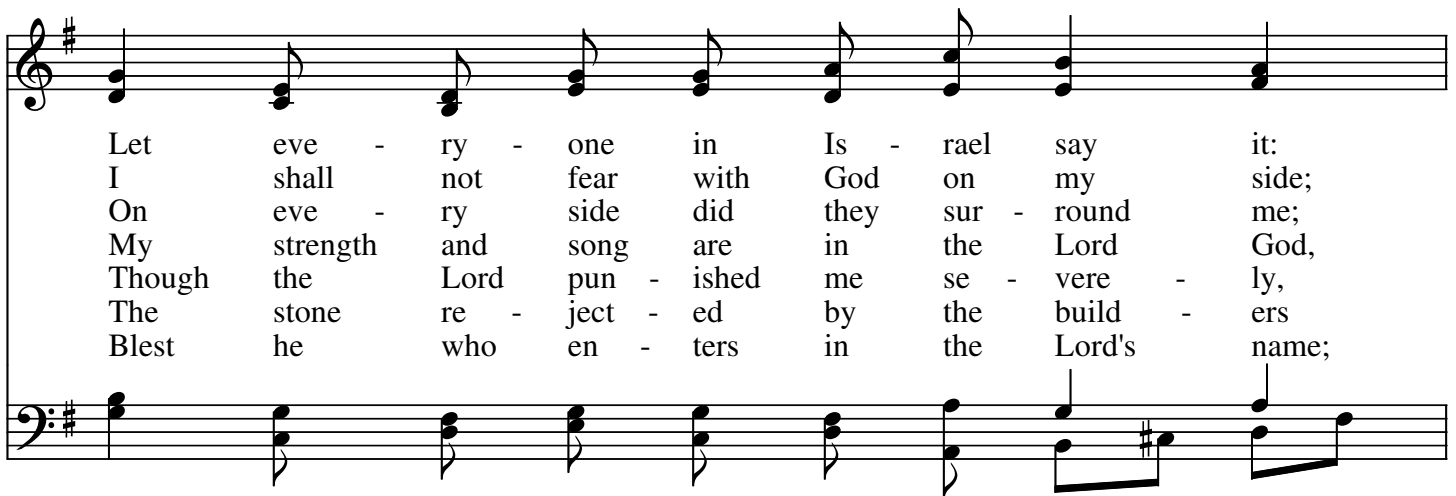
Tune: 1543; Geneva, 1551



1.Thanks be to God for all his good - ness;
2.In my dis - tress I called the Lord God,
3.All na - tions gath - ered to as - sail me;
4.Pushed to the brink, a - bout to fal - ter,
5.I shall not die but go on liv - ing
6.I give you thanks that you re - spond - ed
7.O Lord, we pray you, grant sal - va - tion;



his love en - dures for ev - er - more.
who an - swered me and set me free.
in the Lord's name I cut them down.
the Lord has come to res - cue me.
to tell of the Lord's power to save.
and have be - come the sav - ing one.
give to your chos - en ones suc - cess.



Let eve - ry - one in Is - rael say it:
I shall not fear with God on my side;
On eve - ry side did they sur - round me;
My strength and song are in the Lord God,
Though the Lord pun - ished me se - vere - ly,
The stone re - ject - ed by the build - ers
Blest he who en - ters in the Lord's name;

his love en - dures for ev - er - more.
 what can mere mor - tals do to me?
 in the Lord's name I cut them down.
 who saved me from my en - e - my.
 he did not leave me to the grave.
 has now be - come the corn - er - stone.
 from the Lord's house may you be blessed.

Let all the house of Aar - on tell it:
 With the Lord's help I gain the vic - tory,
 Like vic - ious bees they swarmed a - round me;
 Hear all the shouts of joy - ous tri - umph
 Op - en the gates of jus - tice to me
 This is what God the Lord ac - comp - lished,
 The Lord our God will shine up - on us.

his love en - dures for ev - er - more.
 se - cure from those who would de - vour.
 they flared like thorns in ar - id ground
 up - on the lips of right - eous - ness:
 that I may thank the liv - ing Lord;
 so won - drous now be - fore our sight.
 Pro - cess in - to his ho - ly place.

Let all who fear the Lord announce it:
 Better to make the Lord your refuge
 and were extinguished just as quickly;
 The Lord's right hand is full of power,
 for all the righteous now will enter
 This is the day the Lord has fashioned;
 You are my God and I will thank you;

his love endures forever more.
 than to put faith in princely power.
 in the Lord's name I cut them down.
 performing deeds of gloriousness.
 in through the portal of the Lord.
 let us find in it our delight.
 you are my God; I give you praise. Thanks be to God for all his goodness;

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 his love endures forever more!