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"FARMINARY SING"

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Gathering/Call to Worship -- "Called By Earth and Sky"

Refrain CALLED 8.4.5.9.6 with refrain

C G Am F C G

Called by earth and sky, prom-ise of hope held high,

Am G F C Am

this is our sa - cred liv - ing trust, treas - ure of life

G To verses F G sus G C

sanc - ti - fied, called by earth and sky.

Last time F G sus G Am Am/G F G sus G C

called by earth and sky. called by earth and sky.

Verses C F C F

1 Pre - cious, these wa - ters, end - less seas, deep
 2 Pre - cious this gift, the air we breathe; wind
 3 Pre - cious these moun - tains, an - cient sands; vast
 4 Pre - cious the fire that lights the way, bright

G Am G

o - cean's dream, wa - ters of heal - ing, riv - ers of
 born and free. Breath of the Spir - it, blow through this
 frag - ile land. Seeds of our waken - ing, root - ed and
 dawn - ing day. Fire of pas - sion, sor - rows un -

Dm C F G sus G To refrain

rain, the wash of love a - gain.
 place, our gath - 'ring and our grace.
 strong, Cre - a - tion's faith - ful song.
 done, our faith and jus - tice one.



Confession -- “Beauty for Brokenness”

G2

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G

D/F#

1 Beau - ty for bro - ken - ness,
2 Shel - ter for frag - ile lives,
3 Ref - uge from cru - el wars,
4 Rest for the rav - aged earth,
5 Light - en our dark - ness,

G 7/F C/E Am7 D B m7 Em7

hope for de - spair— Lord, in the suf - fer - ing,
cures for their ills, work for the ar - ti - sans,
ha - vens from fear, cit - ies for sanc - tu - ar - y,
o - ceans, and streams, plun - dered and poi - soned, our
breathe on this flame un - til your jus - tice burns

Em/A D B Em

this is our prayer. Bread for the chil - dren,
trade for their skills. Land for the dis - pos - sessed,
free - doms to share. Peace to the kill - ing fields,
fu - ture, our dreams. Lord, end our mad - ness,
bright - ly a - gain; un - til the na - tions

C G B m7 C

jus - tice, joy, peace, sun - rise to sun - set, your
rights for the weak, voic - es to plead the cause of
scorched earth to green, Christ for the bit - ter - ness, his
care - less - ness, greed; make us con - tent with the
learn of your ways, seek your sal - va - tion, and

Am7 D 1, 3 G C/G G C/G 2, 4, 5 G

king - dom in - crease.
those who can't speak.
cross for the pain.
things that we need.
bring you their praise.



Refrain

D7 G B7 Em C

God of the poor, friend of the weak, give us com-pas-

Am7 D D7/F# G B7

- sion, we pray. Melt our cold hearts, let tears fall like

Em C Am7 C/D

rain. Come, change our love from a spark to a

G2

4 To verses

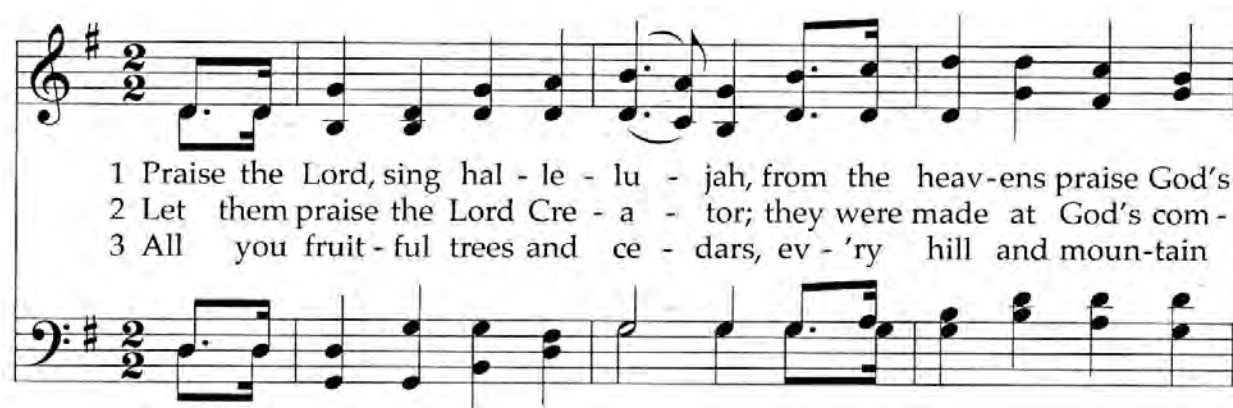
Last time Em D G

flame.

Time of Silence/Listening



Response of Praise -- "Praise the Lord, Sing Hallelujah"



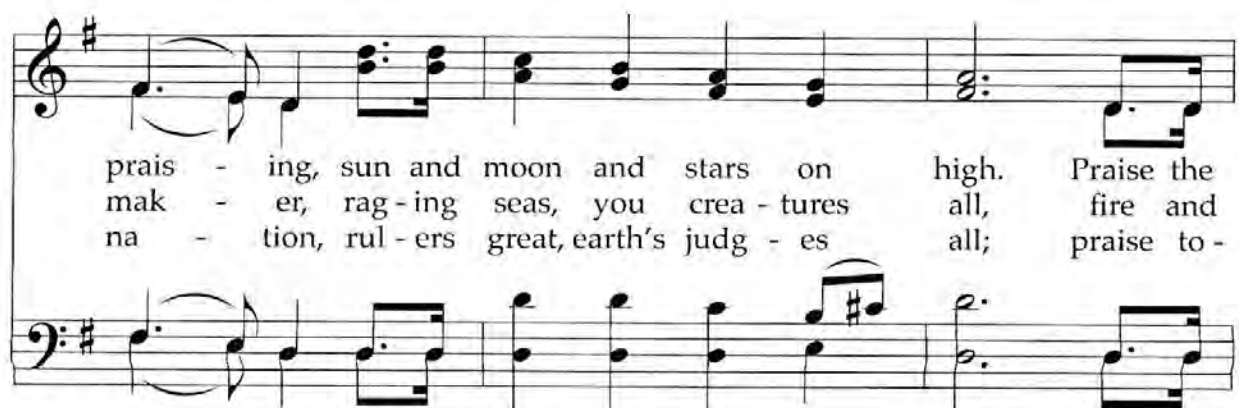
1 Praise the Lord, sing hal - le - lu - jah, from the heav - ens praise God's
 2 Let them praise the Lord Cre - a - tor; they were made at God's com -
 3 All you fruit - ful trees and ce - dars, ev - 'ry hill and moun - tain



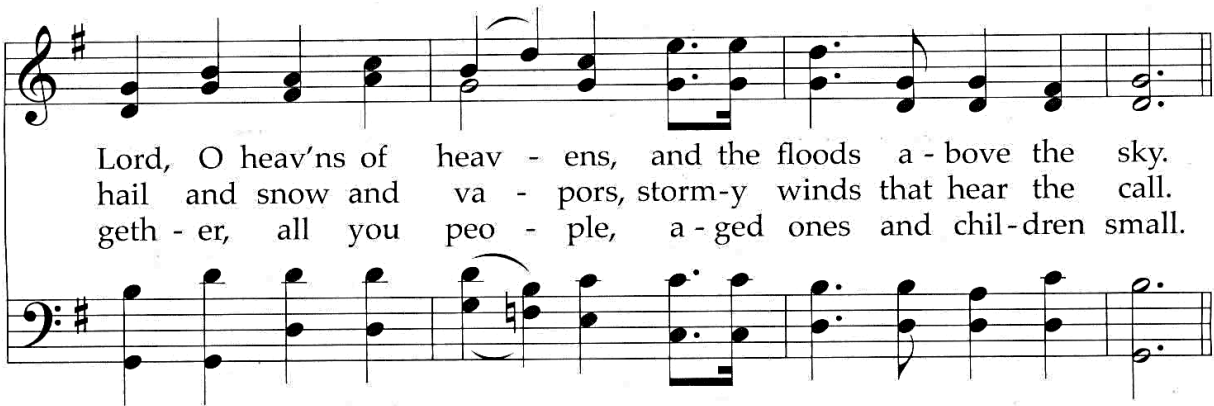
name! Praise the Lord, our great cre - a - tor; all you
 mand, who es - tab - lished them for - ev - er, whose de -
 high, creep - ing things and beasts and cat - tle, birds that



an - gels, praise pro - claim. All you hosts, to - geth - er
 cree shall ev - er stand. From the earth, O praise your
 in the heav - ens fly, crowns of earth from ev - 'ry

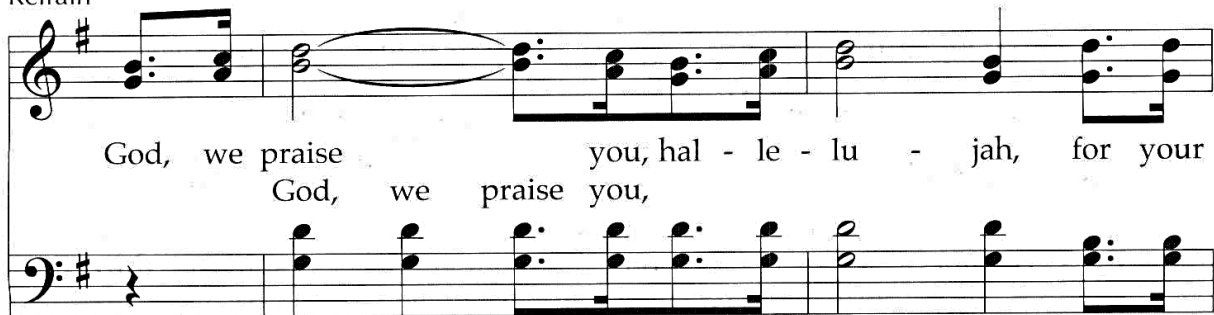


prais - ing, sun and moon and stars on high. Praise the
 mak - er, rag - ing seas, you crea - tures all, fire and
 na - tion, rul - ers great, earth's judg - es all; praise to -

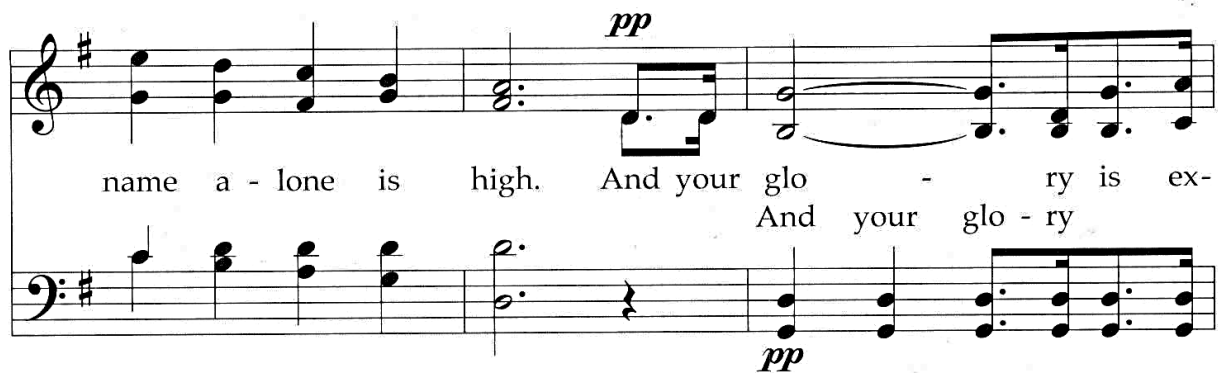


Lord, O heav'ns of heav - ens, and the floods a - bove the sky.
hail and snow and va - pors, storm-y winds that hear the call.
geth - er, all you peo - ple, a - ged ones and chil-dren small.

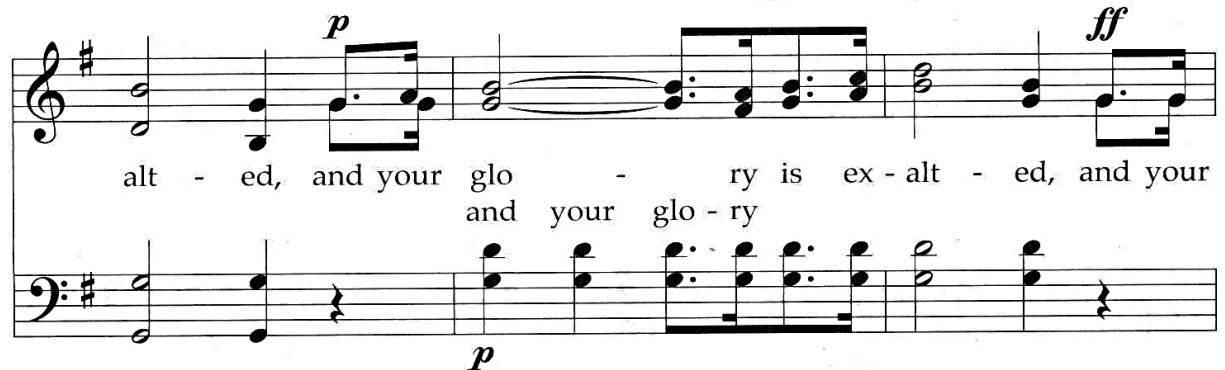
Refrain



God, we praise you, hal - le - lu - jah, for your
God, we praise you,



name a - lone is high. And your glo - ry is ex -
And your glo - ry



alt - ed, and your glo - ry is ex - alt - ed, and your
and your glo - ry



glo - ry is ex - alt - ed, far a - bove the earth and sky!
and your glo - ry

Proclamation -- "Great is Thy Faithfulness"

The musical score is written for a three-part setting (Soprano, Alto, and Tenor/Bass) in G major (one sharp) and 3/4 time. It consists of four systems of music, each with a vocal line and a piano accompaniment line. The lyrics are printed below the vocal line of each system.

1 *Great is thy faith - ful - ness, O God my Fa - ther;
2 Sum - mer and win - ter, and spring - time and har - vest,
3 Par - don for sin and a peace that en - dur - eth,

there is no shad - ow of turn - ing with thee.
sun, moon, and stars in their cours - es a - bove
thine own dear pres - ence to cheer and to guide,

Thou chang - est not; thy com - pas - sions they fail not.
join with all na - ture in man - i - fold wit - ness
strength for to - day and bright hope for to - mor - row:

As thou hast been thou for - ev - er wilt be.
to thy great faith - ful - ness, mer - cy, and love.
bless - ings all mine, with ten thou - sand be - side!

**Or "Great is thy faithfulness, O God, Creator."*

Written as a meditation on Lamentations 3:22–23, this text is one of the few hymns among the 1200 poems by this Methodist writer and pastor that has gained much currency. The tune that appears here was composed especially for these words, and the pairing has proved enduring.

Refrain



Great is thy faith - ful - ness! Great is thy faith - ful - ness!
오 신 실 하 신 주 오 신 실 하 신 주



Morn - ing by morn - ing, new mer - cies I see.
날 마 다 자 비 를 베푸 시 며



All I have need - ed thy hand hath pro - vid - ed.
일 용 할 모 든 것 내 려 주 시 니



Great is thy faith - ful - ness, Lord un - to me!
오 신 실 하 신 주 나 의 구 주

"I sing the Mighty Power of God"

B $\flat$ Gm F E $\flat$ F B $\flat$

1 I sing the might-y pow'r of God, that made the moun-tains rise,
 2 I sing the good-ness of the Lord, that filled the earth with food.
 3 There's not a plant or flow'r be-low, but makes thy glo-ries known,

B $\flat$ Gm F E $\flat$ F B $\flat$

that spread the flow-ing seas a-broad and built the loft-y skies.
 God formed the crea-tures with a word, and then pro-nounced them good.
 and clouds a-rise, and tem-pests blow, by or-der from thy throne.

B $\flat$ F B $\flat$ F

I sing the wis-dom that or-dained the sun to rule the day.
 Lord, how thy won-ders are dis-played, wher-e'er I turn my eye,
 While all that bor-rows life from thee is ev-er in thy care,

B $\flat$ Gm F E $\flat$ F B $\flat$

The moon shines full at God's com-mand and all the stars o-bey.
 if I sur-vey the ground I tread, or gaze up-on the sky!
 there's not a place where we can flee but God is pres-ent there.

For capo chords, see #313.

Text: Isaac Watts (England), *Divine and Moral Songs for Children*, 1715, alt.

Music: *Gesangbuch der Herzogl. Württemberg* (present-day Germany), 1784; harm. William H. Monk (England), *Appendix to Hymns Ancient and Modern*, 1868



Doxology -- "Praise God, the Source"

G D Em Bm Em D G

A: Praise God, the Source of life and birth. Praise God, the
 B: Praise God from whom all bless - ings flow; praise him all
 C: Praise God from whom all bless - ings flow; praise her all

D Em C G D Em D G D G C D G

Word who came to earth. Praise God the Spir - it, ho - ly Flame.
 crea - tures here be - low; praise him a - bove, ye heav'n - ly host;
 crea - tures here be - low; praise her a - bove, ye heavn - 'ly host;

Em D Am G D G C G

All glo - ry, hon - or to God's name.
 praise Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost. A - men.
 praise Moth - er, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost.

French

Gloire à Dieu, notre Créateur;
 Gloire à Christ, notre
 Rédempteur;
 Gloire à l'Esprit Consolateur!
 Louange et gloire à Dieu,
 Sauveur.

Spanish

A la Divina Trinidad,
 todo unidos alabad,
 con alegría, y gratitud,
 su amor y gracia celebrad.

German

Ehr sei dem Vater und dem Sohn
 dem Heil'gen Geist in einem
 Thron,
 der heiligen Dreieinigkeit,
 sei Lob und Preis in Ewigkeit.

Sending -- "Let all Things Now Living"

1. Let all things now liv - ing A song of thanks-giv - ing
2. The Law God en - forc - es, The stars in their cours-es,

To God the Cre - a - tor tri - um - phant - ly raise,
The sun in its or - bit o - be - dient - ly shine;

Who fash - ioned and made us, Pro - tect - ed and stayed us,
The hills and the moun-tains, The riv - ers and foun-tains,

By guid - ing us on to the end of our days.
The depths of the o - cean pro - claim God di - vine.

God's ban - ners are o'er us, Pure light goes be - fore us,
We too should be voic - ing Our love and re - joic-ing;

A pil - lar of fire shin - ing forth in the night,
With glad ad - o - ra - tion a song let us raise

Till shad - ows have van-ished And dark - ness is ban-ished,
Till all things now liv - ing U - nite in thanks-giv - ing:

As for - ward we trav - el from light in - to light.
"To God in the high - est, ho - san - na and praise!"

"Seeds"

These seeds you have sown in our hearts and in our bones, cov - er

them with your love. Use our hands, use our feet, to show your

love and your peace, and cov-er us, cov-er us, cov - er us with love.

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