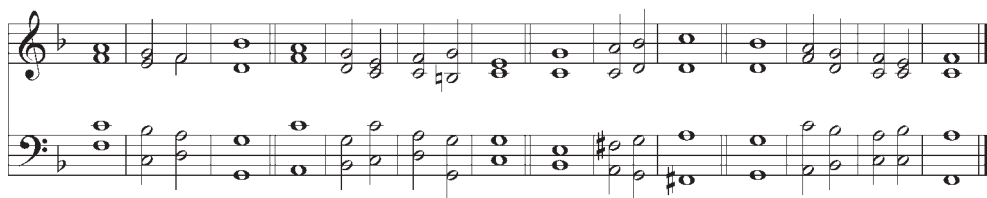


Truly God Is Loving unto Israel

Psalm 73:1-15

Samuel Wesley, 1766-1837

tr. Miles Coverdale, 1535

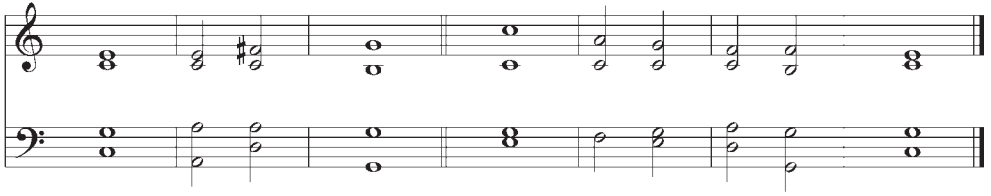


1. Truly God is / loving . unto / Israel,
even unto such as / are . of a / **clean** / heart.
2. Nevertheless, my feet were / almost / gone:
my / treadings had / well nigh / slipped.
3. And why? I was / grieved . at the / wicked:
I do also see the un-/godly in / such pros/perity.
4. For they are in no / peril of / death:
but are / **lus**-ty and / strong.
5. They come in no mis-/fortune like / other folk:
neither / are they / plagued like / other men.
6. And this is the cause that they are so / holden with / pride:
and / over-/whelmed with / cruelty.
7. Their eyes / swell with / fatness:
and they do / even / what they / lust.
8. They corrupt others, and speak of / wicked / blasphemy:
their / talking . is a-/gainst the . Most / High.
9. For they stretch forth their / mouth un- . to the / heavens:
and their / tongue walketh / through the / earth.
10. Therefore fall the / people / unto them:
and waters of a / full cup / are wrung / out to them.
11. And they say, / How doth . God / know?
and is there / knowledge / in the . most / High?
12. Lo, these are the ungodly, these / prosper in . the / world:
these have / riches / in pos-/session.
13. And I said, Then have I cleansed my / heart in / vain:
and / washed mine / hands in / innocency.
14. All day / long have . I been / punished:
and / chastened / every / morning.
15. Yea, and I had almost said / even as / they:
but lo, then I should have condemned the gener-/ation / of Thy / children.

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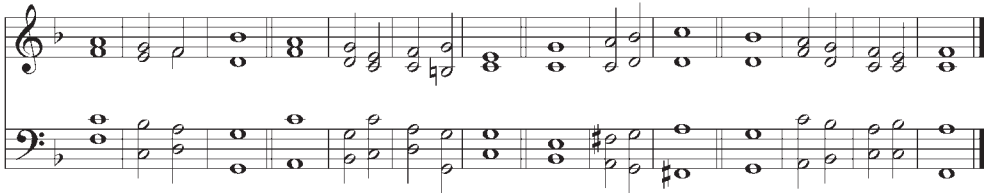
Psalm 73:16-28

Joseph Kelway, 1702-1782



16. When I thought / to under-/stand this:
it / was too / hard for / me;
17. Until I went into the / sanctuary of / God:
then under /stood I . the / end of . these / men.
18. Namely, how Thou dost set them in / slipper.y / places:
and / castest them / down, . and de-/stroyest them.
19. Oh, how suddenly do / they con-/sume:
perish, and / come . to a / fearful / end!
20. Yea, even like as a / dream . when one a-/waketh:
so shalt Thou make their image to / vanish / out . of the / city.
21. Thus my / heart was / grieved:
and it went / even / through my / reins.
22. So foolish was / I, and / ignorant:
even as it / were a / beast be-/fore Thee.

Samuel Wesley



23. Nevertheless, I am / always by / Thee:
for Thou hast holden me / by my / **right** / hand.
24. Thou shalt / guide me . with Thy / counsel:
and after / that re-/ceive me . with / glory.
25. Whom have I in / heaven but / Thee?
and there is none upon earth that I de-/sire . in com-/parison of / Thee.
26. My flesh and my / **heart** / faileth:
but God is the strength of my / heart, . and my / portion for-/ever.
27. For lo, they that for-/sake Thee . shall / perish:
Thou hast destroyed all them that com-/mit forni-/cation a-/gainst Thee.
28. But it is good for me to hold me fast by God, to put my trust in the / **Lord** / God:
and to speak of all Thy works in the / gates . of the / daughter of / Zion.
Glory / be . to the / Father:
and to the Son / and . to the / Holy / Ghost:
As it was in the beginning, is now, and / ever / shall be,
World without / end . A/- -/men.