

O give the Lord thanks  
Psalm 105

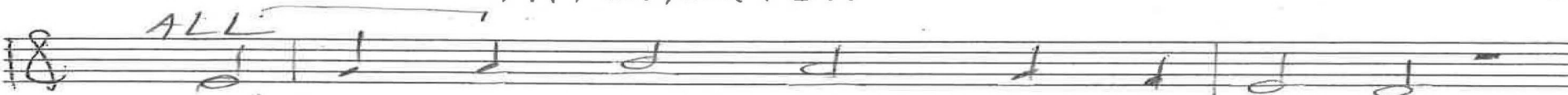
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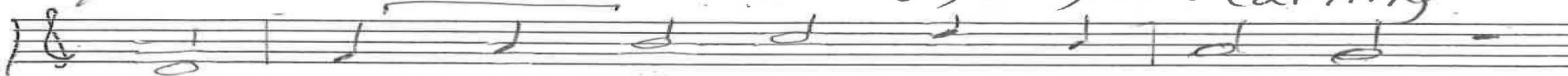
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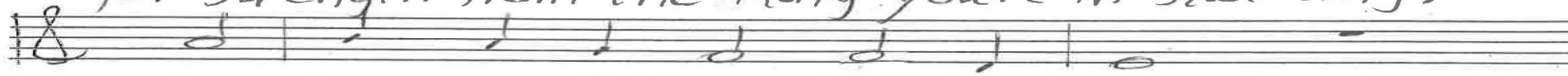
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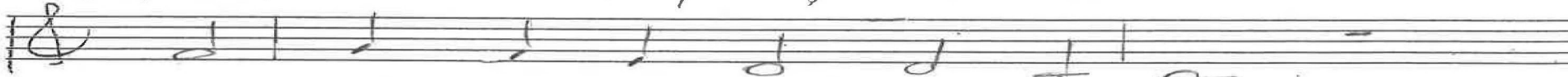
1. Give thanks to the Lord, as you're call-ing



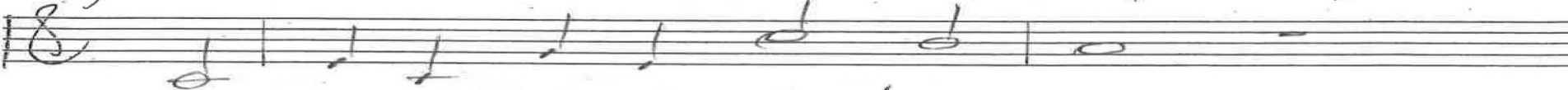
for strength from the King you're in-stal-ling.



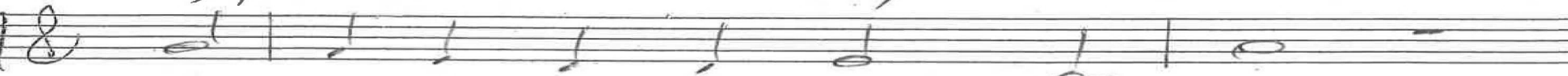
Make known to the peo-ples the deeds



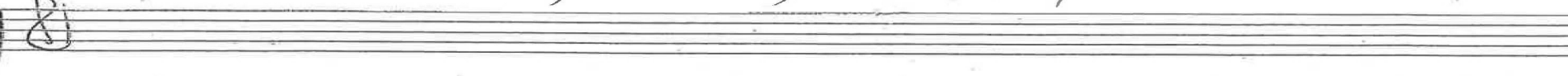
you've seen as the er-a pro-ceeds,



Sing prais-es to the ho-ly name,



whose won-ders you may now pro-claim.



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2. The face of the Lord ever seeking,

at-tending to One who is speaking

those words that ex-pand and dis-close

a love to the chil-dren you chose.

Our God is of ex-alt-ed worth,

whose judg-ments touch the whole wide earth.

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3. This cov-en-ant stands through the ag-es,

a sta-tute that draws you in stag-es,

when A-bra-ham deigned to o-bey.

when I-saac sur-vived to re-lay,

when Ja-cob dealt, as Is-ra-el

a land of Ca-naan in to dwell.

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4. Whe nam-bers were few, du-ly count-ed,

to lit-tle their wan-derings a-mount-ed.

What God had al-lowed they be-came,

while some were a-noint-ed by name,

for warn-ing kings in ev-ery zone

to leave them well e-nough a-lone.

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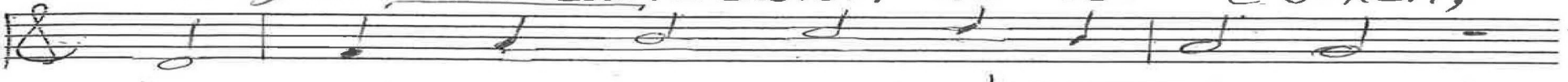
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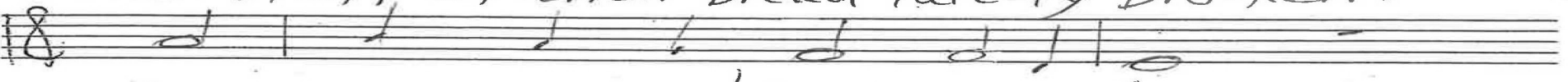
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5. A fam-ine came down as a to-ken,



the staff of their bread late-ly bro-ken.



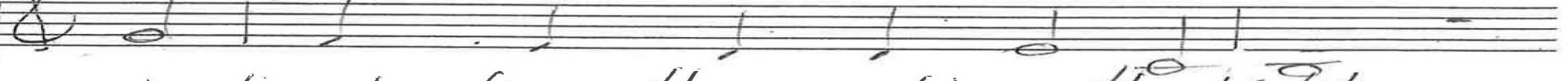
A dream-er was laurched as a slave,



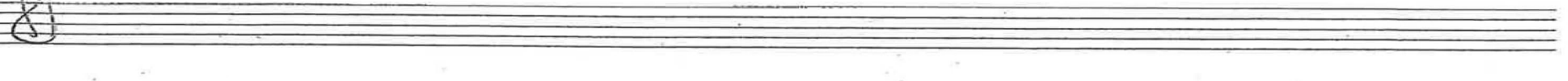
to go on a-head, so to pave



a way for them to re-u-nite.



in land where they could see the light.



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6. When Jo-seph was tossed in-to pris-on

a man to read fate had a-ris-en,

A serv-ant to store all the grain

the Phar-aph re-leased to re-train,

And Is-ra-el re-fused to balk,

to E-gypt send-ing all their stock!

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8. They suf-fered from frogs ser-e-nad-ing

the roy-al a-part-ments, in-vad-ing,

their fish-es in-ert un-der mud,

their riv-ers of life in-to blood,

a dark-ness on the land so dense

their an-guish all the more in-tense.

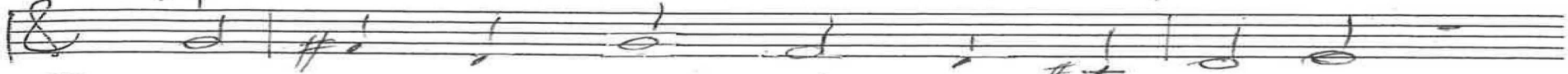
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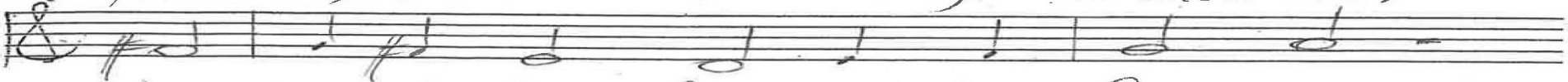
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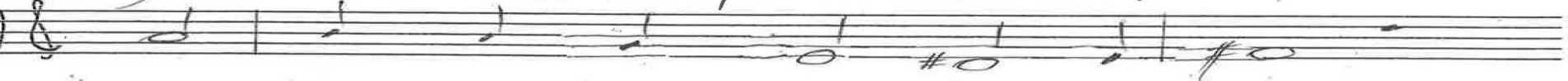
9. Their cy-press were struck by the show-ers,



with ha-il their figs and their flow-ers,



By lo-custs that swept on and on,



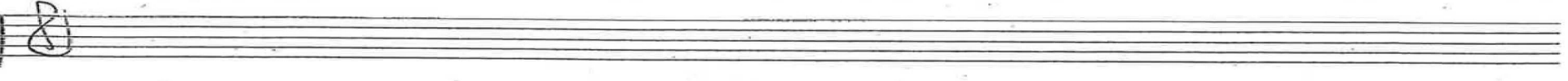
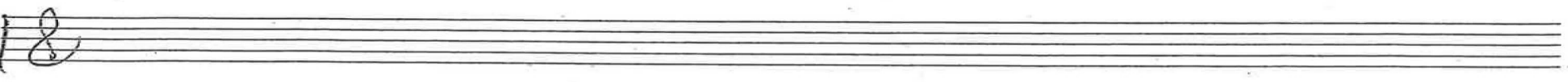
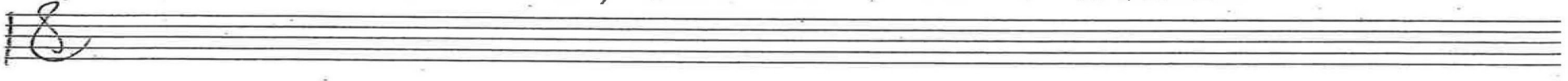
the grass-es were mowed, woe-be-gone,



their coun-try o-ver-run by flies



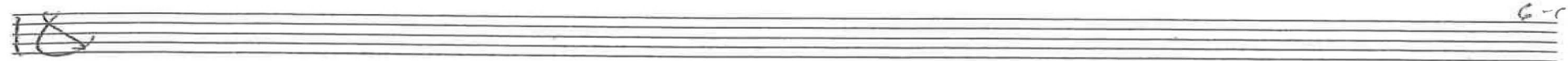
in clus-ters of un-com-mon size.



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10. Their child-ren born first were af-flict-ed

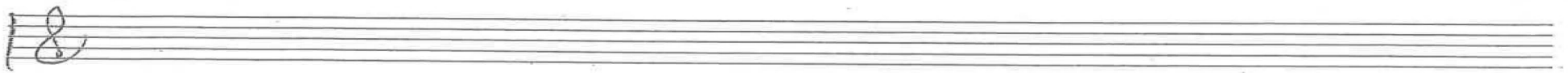
and Ja-cob at last was e-vict-ed,

a hoard of their gold in a cart

that Is-ra-el got for a start.

So E-gypt, whom they'd filled with woe,

was glad e-nough to see them go.



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11. The pil-lar of cloud for their go-ing,

its fi-re by night al-ways glow-ing,

with bread from a-bove for the band,

with gifts of the quail, thick as sand,

yes, wa-ter from the fis-sure flowed

in streams up-on their wild a-bode.

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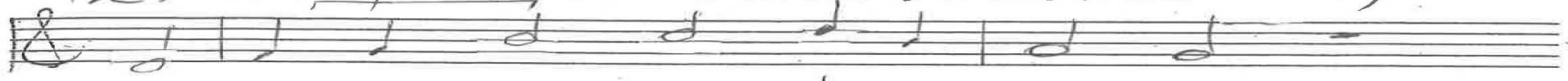
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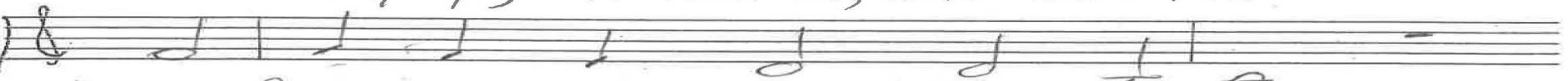
12. The, prom-ise re-mem-bered was ho-ly



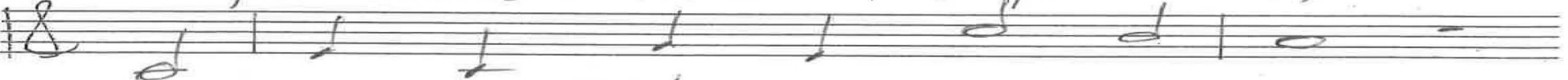
to A-bra-ham's seed, ev-er low-ly ,



made hap-py in homes, who were led



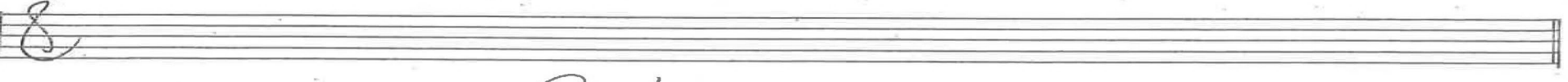
on for-ward with shouts, up a-head,



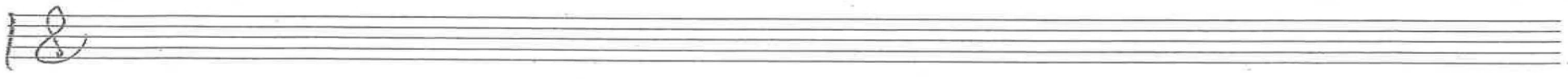
ob-serv-ing such a pleas-ant view



that all would en-ter here-in-to.



Coda



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Intonation  
Gt

Hymn

ALL

1. Give

10-19  
6-20  
12-20  
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thanks

In C

On what has now been sown

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M

2. The

face of the Lord

In b-f#

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10-19  
6-20  
12-20  
19-21  
3-22  
12-22  
9-23  
3-24

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This

covenant

In E<sup>b</sup>

when Abraham

Psalms 105

In e, v. 2 inverted

4. When numbers

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were few

10-19  
6-20  
12-20  
7-21  
5-22  
12-22  
9-23  
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ALL

5. A famine

came down

In C (v.i)

Psalms 105

A dreamer was launched as a slave

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6. When Joseph  
was tossed into prison  
a man to read fate

In C, Genevan 105

10-19  
6-20  
12-20  
9-21  
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Gt Sw Gt Sw

Psalms 105

ALL

Gt Sw Gt #

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When people

In C, Genevan 105

10-19  
6-20  
12-20  
9-21  
5-22  
12-22  
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ALL

They suffered from frogs In C (v. 1)

Psalms 105

a darkness on the land so dense M In b-f# (v. 2)

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9. Their Cypress

Handwritten musical notation for the first system, featuring a treble and bass staff with various notes and rests.

10-19  
6-20  
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9-21  
5-22  
12-22  
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Handwritten musical notation for the second system, continuing the piece with treble and bass staves.

Handwritten musical notation for the third system, including a 'W' marking above the treble staff.

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Their children born first In E<sup>b</sup> (v. 3)

Handwritten musical notation for the fourth system, with a key signature change to E-flat.

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Handwritten musical notation for the fifth system, concluding the piece.



The pillar of cloud In e, v. 4

10-19  
6-20  
12-20  
9-21  
5-22  
12-22  
9-23  
3-24

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with bread from above

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12. The promise

remembered

In C (v. 1)

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10-19  
6-20  
12-20  
9-21  
5-22  
12-22  
3-24

observing such a pleasant view

On what has now been sown

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Coda

Your blessing, Lord, bestow;

the pow'r is yours alone

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to make it sprout and grow. O Lord, in grace the harvest raise,

and yours alone shall be the praise:

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