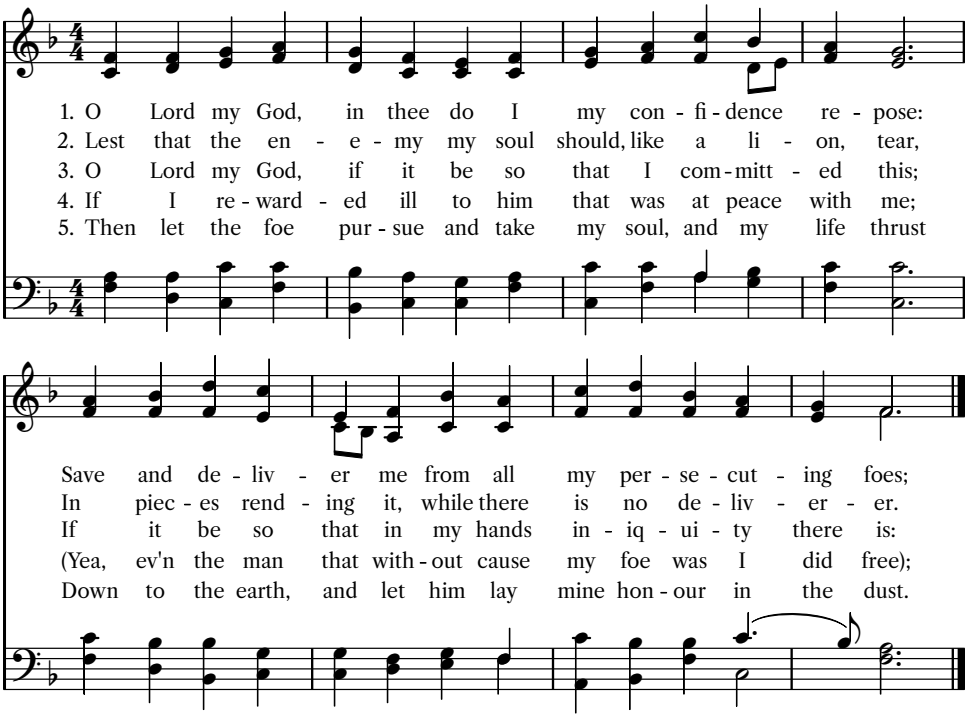O Lord My God, in Thee Do I



6. Rise in thy wrath, Lord, raise thyself,
for my foes raging be;
And, to the judgment which thou hast
commanded, wake for me.

7. So shall th' assembly of thy folk
about encompass thee:
Thou therefore, for their sakes, return
unto thy place on high.

8. The Lord he shall the people judge:
my judge, JEHOVAH, be,
After my righteousness, and mine
integrity in me.

9. O let the wicked's malice end;
but stablish stedfastly
The righteous: for the righteous God
the hearts and reins doth try.

10. In God, who saves th' upright in heart,
is my defence and stay.
God just men judgeth, God is wroth
with ill men ev'ry day.

11. If he do not return again,
then he his sword will whet;
His bow he hath already bent,
and hath it ready set:

12. He also hath for him prepared
the instruments of death;
Against the persecutors he
his shafts ordained hath.

13. Behold, he with iniquity
doth travail, as in birth;
A mischief he conceived hath,
and falsehood shall bring forth.

14. He made a pit, and digged it deep,
another there to take;
But he is fall'n into the ditch
which he himself did make.

15. Upon his own head his mischief
shall be returned home;
His vi'lent dealing also down
on his own pate shall come.

16. According to his righteousness
the Lord I'll magnify;
And will sing praise unto the name
of God that is most high.

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