

242. God the Source of Joy

The musical score is written for a four-part choir (Soprano, Alto, Tenor, Bass) in the key of D major (indicated by two sharps) and common time (C). The melody is primarily in the Soprano and Alto parts, with the Tenor and Bass parts providing harmonic support. The lyrics are arranged in four lines, with the first line containing four verses. The second line contains two verses. The third line contains two verses. The fourth line contains two verses. The score includes a repeat sign after the first line of music and a final double bar line at the end of the fourth line.

1. Al - migh - ty God, Thy lof - ty throne Has jus - tice for its cor - ner - stone,
2. With bles - sing is the na - tion crowned Whose peo - ple know the joy - ful sound;
3. Thy Name with glad - ness they con - fess, Ex - al - ted in Thy right eous - ness;
4. All glo - ry un - to God we yield, Je - ho - vah is our help and shield;

And shin - ing bright be - fore Thy face Are truth and love and bound - less grace.
They in the light, O Lord, shall live, The light Thy face and fa - vor give.
Their fame and might to Thee be - long, For in Thy fa - vor they are strong.
All praise and ho - nor we will bring To I - srael's Ho - ly One, our King.