2 I will not come within my houſe, nor climb up to my bed,
Nor let my temples take their reſt, nor eyes within my head;
3 Till I have found out for the Lord a place to ſit thereon,
An houſe for Jacob's God to be an habitation.
4 We heard of it at Ephrata, there did we hear this ſound,
And in the fields and foreſts there theſe voices firſt were found:
5 We will aſſay and go into his tabernacle there,
Before his footſtool to fall down, and worſhip him in fear.
6 Ariſe, O Lord, ariſe, I pray, into thy reſting place,
Thou and the ark of thy great ſtrength, the preſence of thy grace.
7 Let all thy prieſts be clothed, Lord, with truth and righteouſneſs,
Let all thy ſaints with ſongs of praiſe their joyfulneſs expreſs.
8 And for thy ſervant David's ſake refuſe not, Lord, I pray,
The face of thy Anointed, and turn not from him away.

The Second Part.

9 The Lord to David ſware in truth, and will not ſhrink from it;
The fruit which from thy loins proceed upon thy ſeat ſhall ſit:
10 And if thy ſons my laws will keep, that I ſhall learn each one,
Then ſhall their ſons for ever ſit upon thy princely throne.
11 The Lord himſelf hath Sion choſe, and loves therein to dwell,
Saying, This is my reſting place, I love and like it well:
12 And I will bleſs with great increaſe her victuals ev'ry where,
And alſo ſatisfy with bread the needy that be there:
13 With my ſalvation I will clothe her prieſts for evermore,
And all her ſaints likewiſe ſhall ſing and ſhout for joy therefore.
14 There will I ſurely make the horn of David for to bud;
For there I have ordain'd for him a lantern bright and good.
15 As for his foes, I will them clothe with ſhame for evermore;
But I will cauſe his crown to ſhine more freſh than heretofore.

PSAL. 133. W. W.

O What a happy thing it is and joyful for to ſee,
Brethren to dwell together in friendſhip and unity!
2 'Tis like the precious ointment that was pour'd on Aaron's head,
Which from his beard down to the ſkirts of his rich garments ſpread.
3 And as the lower ground doth drink the dew of Hermon hill,
And Sion with his ſilver drops the fields with fruit doth fill;
4 Even ſo the Lord doth pour on them his bleſſings manifold,
Whoſe hearts and minds ſincerely do this knot faſt keep and hold.

PSAL. 134. W. W.

BEHOLD, and have regard, ye ſervants of the Lord,
Who in his houſe by night do watch, praiſe him with one accord.
2 Lift up your hands on high unto his holy place,
And give the Lord his praiſes due, his benefits embrace.
3 For why? the Lord our God who heaven and earth did frame,
Doth Sion bleſs, and will preſerve for evermore the ſame.

PSAL. 135. N.

O Praiſe the Lord, praiſe ye his Name, praiſe him with one accord,
O praiſe him ſtill, all ye that be the ſervants of the Lord,
2 O praiſe him, ye that ſtand and be in the houſe of the Lord,
Ye of his court and of his houſe, praiſe him with one accord.
3 Praiſe ye the Lord, for he is good, ſing praiſes to his Name;
It is a good and pleaſant thing always to do the ſame.
4 For why? the Lord hath Jacob choſe his very own ye ſee;
So hath he choſen Iſrael his treaſure for to be.
5 For this I know and am right ſure, the Lord is very great;
He is indeed above all gods, moſt eaſy to intreat.
6 For whatſoever pleaſed him, all that full well he wrought
In heav'n, in earth, and in the ſea, which he hath made of nought.
7 He lifts the clouds above the earth, he lightnings makes and rain;
He bringeth forth the winds alſo, and nothing made in vain.

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8 He ſmote the firſt-born of each thing in Egypt that took reſt,
He ſpared there no thing living, the man nor yet the beaſt.
9 He did likewiſe ſhew wonders great on their inhabitants,
Upon king Pharaoh, and alſo on his ſevere ſervants.
10 He ſmote then many nations, and did great and wond'rous things;
He likewiſe ſlew the mightieſt and chieſeſt of their kings;
11 Sehon king of the Amorites and Og king of Baſan,
He ſlew alſo the kingdoms all that were of Canaan;
12 And gave their land to Iſrael an heritage to be,
To Iſrael his people, and to their poſterity.

The Second Part.

13 Thy Name ſhall ſtill endure, and thy memorial likewiſe,
Throughout all generations that are now, or ſhall ariſe.
14 The Lord moſt ſurely will avenge his people all with ſpeed;
And to his ſervants he will ſhew favour in time of need.
15 The idols of the heathen which are in the coaſts and lands,
Of ſilver and of gold they be, the work ev'n of men's hands:
16 They have their mouths, but cannot ſpeak, and eyes that have no ſight;
And they have ears, but nothing hear, their mouths are breathleſs quite.
17 Wherefore all they are like to them that ſo do ſet them forth,
And likewiſe thoſe that in them truſt, or think they be ought worth.
18 O all ye houſe of Iſrael, ſee that ye praiſe the Lord;
And ye that be of Aaron's houſe, praiſe him with one accord;
19 And ye that be of Levi's houſe, praiſe ye likewiſe the Lord,
All ye that ſtand in awe of him, praiſe him with one accord:
20 And out of Sion ſound his praiſe, the great praiſe of the Lord,
Who dwelleth in Jeruſalem, praiſe him with one accord.

PSAL. 136. N.

PRAISE ye the Lord, for he is good; for his mercy endureth for ever;
2 Give praiſe unto the God of gods; for his mercy, &c.
3 Give praiſe unto the Lord of lords; for his mercy, &c.
4 Who only doth great wond'rous works; for his mercy, &c.
5 Who by his wiſdom made the heavens; for his mercy, &c.
6 Who on the waters ſtretch'd the earth; for his mercy, &c.
7 Who made great lights to ſhine abroad; for his mercy, &c.
8 The ſun to rule the lightſome day; for his mercy, &c.
9 The moon and ſtars to rule the night; for his mercy, &c.
10 Who Egypt ſmote with the firſt-born; for his mercy, &c.
11 And Iſrael brought out from thence; for his mercy, &c.
12 With mighty hand and out-ſtretched arm; for his mercy, &c.
13 Who cut the Red-ſea in two parts; for his mercy, &c.
14 And Iſrael made to paſs through; for his mercy, &c.
15 And drowned Pharaoh and his hoſt; for his mercy, &c.
16 Through wilderneſs his people led; for his mercy, &c.
17 Who did ſmite great and noble kings; for his mercy, &c.
18 Yea, and alſo ſlew mighty kings; for his mercy, &c.
19 Sehon king of the Amorites; for his mercy, &c.
20 And Og the king of Baſan-land; for his mercy, &c.
21 And gave their land for heritage; for his mercy, &c.
22 Even to his ſervant Iſrael; for his mercy, &c.
23 Rememb'ring us in low eſtate; for his mercy, &c.
24 And from oppreſſors reſcu'd us; for his mercy, &c.
25 Who giveth food unto all fleſh; for his mercy, &c.
26 Praiſe ye the Lord of heav'n above; for his mercy, &c.
27 Give thanks unto the Lord of lords; for his mercy endureth for ever.

Another of the ſame, by T. C.

O Praiſe the Lord benign, whoſe mercy ne'er decays;
Give thanks, and praiſes ſing to God of gods always;
For certainly his mercies dure
Both firm and ſure eternally.

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