

Gracious Lord, Remember David

PSALM 132

1. Gra-cious Lord, re-mem-ber Da-vid, how he made Your house his care,
2. Far a-way God's ark was rest-ing, it is with His peo-ple now;
3. Let the king be-hold Your fa-vor for Your ser-vant Da-vid's sake,

how he vowed to seek no pleas-ure till Your house he should pre-pare.
we will go in-to His tem-ple, at His foot-stool we will bow.
un-to whom a sa-cred prom-ise, sure and faith-ful, You had made.

Lord, re-mem-ber his de-vo-tion; rest-less in his courts he trod
With the ark, Your might re-veal-ing, en-ter, Lord, in-to Your rest;
If his chil-dren keep Your stat-utes, and Your tes-ti-mo-ny own,

till he found a hab-i-ta-tion fit for Is-rael's might-y God,
let Your priests be clothed with jus-tice, let Your joy-ful saints be blest,
then, as You, O Lord, have prom-ised, they shall sit up-on his throne,

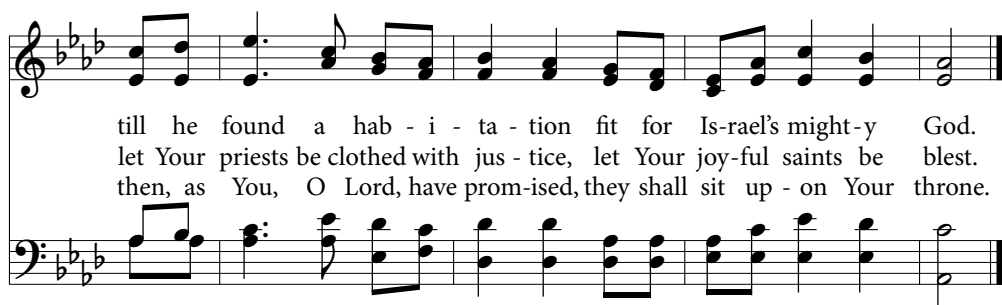
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4. You, O God, have chosen Zion,
 You have ever loved her well;
 "This My resting place forever,
 here," You said, "I choose to dwell.
 Surely I will bless and help her,
 feed her poor, her saints make glad,
 and her priests shall stand before Me
 in salvation's garments clad;
 and her priests shall stand before Me
 in salvation's garments clad."

5. "I will cause the might of David
 ever more and more to grow;
 on the path of My Anointed
 I will make a lamp to glow.
 All His enemies shall perish,
 I will cover them with shame;
 but His crown shall ever flourish—
 Blessed be His holy name!
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