



- 4 1 Hallelujah! || Praise the LORD, / O my / soul!
 I will praise the LORD as long as I live; || I will sing praises to my / God while I / have my / being.
- 2 Put not your trust in rulers, nor in any / child of / earth,
 - / for there / is no / help in them.
- W 3 When they breathe their last, they re- / turn to / earth,
 and in that / day their / thoughts / perish.
- M 4 Happy are they who have the God of / Jacob for their / help!
 whose / hope is in the / LORD their / God;
- 4 5 Who made heav'n and earth, the seas, and / all that is / in them;
 who / keeps his / promise for / ever;
- 6 Who gives justice to / those who are op- / pressed,
 and / food to / those who / hunger.
- 4 7 The LORD sets the prisoners free; || the LORD opens the / eyes of the / blind;
 the LORD lifts up / those who are / bowed / down;
- 8 The LORD loves the righteous; || the LORD / cares for the / stranger;
 he sustains the orphan and widow, but / frustrates the / way of the / wicked.
- U †9 The LORD shall / reign for / ever,
 your God, O Zion, throughout all generations. || / Hal-le- / lü- / jah!
- 4 Glory to the Father, and / to the / Son,
 and / to the / Ho-ly / Spirit:
- as it was in the be- / ginning, is / now,
 and / will be for- / ever. || A- / men.