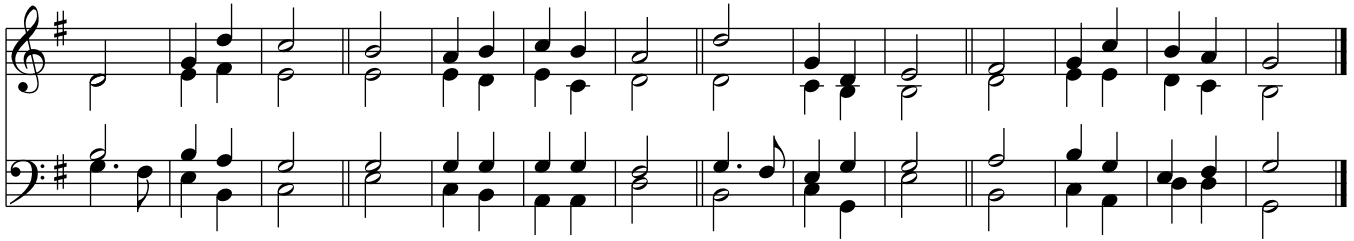


Psalm 19 — *Cæli enarrant*

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- U* 1 The heav'ns declare the / glory of / God,
and the / firma-ment / shows his / handiwork.
- 4 2 One day tells its / tale to a- / nother,
and one night imparts / know-ledge / to a- / nother.
- 4 3 Although they have no / words or / language,
and their / voi-ces / are not / heard,
- 4 Their sound has gone out into / all / lands,
and their / message to the / ends of the / world.
- M* 5 In the deep has he set a pa- / vilion for the / sun;
it comes forth like a bridegroom out of his chamber; || it rejoices like a / champion to / run its
/ course.
- 4 6 It goes forth from the uttermost edge of the heav'ns and runs about to the / end of it a- / gain;
nothing is / hidden from its / burn-ing / heat.



- 4 7 The law of the LORD is perfect and re- / lives the / soul;
 the testimony of the LORD is sure and gives / wis-dom / to the / innocent.
- 8 The statutes of the LORD are just and re- / joice the / heart;
 the commandment of the LORD is clear and gives / light / to the / eyes.
- W 9 The fear of the LORD is clean and en- / dures for / ever;
 the judgments of the LORD are true and / right-eous / al-to- / gether.
- M 10 More to be desired are they than gold, || more than / much fine / gold,
 sweeter far than honey, || than / hon-ey / in the / comb.
- 4 11 By them also is your / servant en- / lightened,
 and in keeping them / there is / great re- / ward.
- 12 Who can tell how / often he of- / fends?
 - / cleanse me from my / se-cret / faults.
- U 13 Above all, keep your servant from presumptuous sins; || let them not get do- / min-ion / over me;
 then shall I be whole and sound, and / innocent of a / great of- / fense.
- 4 14 Let the words of my mouth and the meditation of my heart be ac- / ceptable in your / sight,
 O LORD, my / strength and / my re- / deemer.



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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.