

# Psalm 46

*Deus noster refugium*

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**SATB**

*f* 1) God is our refuge and strength,

a very pre - sent help in trouble.

*mf* 2) Therefore we will not fear, though the earth be moved,

and though the mountains be toppled into the depths of the sea;

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*f* 3) Though its waters rage and foam,

and though the mountains trem - ble at its tumult.

**Unison**

*mf* 4) The Lord of hosts is with us;

the God of Ja - cob is our stronghold.

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**SA**

*mp* 5) There is a river  
whose streams make glad the city of God,

the holy habi - tation of the MOST High.

**TB**

*mf* 6) God is in the midst of her; )  
she shall not be o - ver - thrown;

God shall help her at the break of day.

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*f* 7) The nations make much ado, and the kingdoms are shaken;

God has spoken, ) and the earth shall melt a - way.

**Unison**

*mf* 8) The Lord of hosts is with us;

the God of Ja - cob is our stronghold.

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**SA**

*mp* 9) Come now and look upon the works of the Lord,

what awesome things he has done on earth.

**TB**

*f* 10) It is he who makes war to cease in all the world;

he breaks the bow, )  
and shatters the spear, and burns the shields with fire.

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*f* 11) 'Be still, then, and know that I am God;

I will be exalted among the nations; ) I will be ex - alt - ed in the earth.'

**Unison**

*mf* 12) The Lord of hosts is with us;

the God of Ja - cob is our stronghold.

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**SATB** Chant in major key

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.