

- 4 1 Hear my teaching, / O my / people; incline your / ears to the / words of my / mouth.
 - 2 I will open my / mouth in a / parable; I will declare the / myst'ries of / an-cient / times.
- W 3 That which we have heard and known, and what our / forefathers have / told us, we will not / hide / from their / children.
- 4 We will recount to generations to come the praiseworthy deeds and the / pow'r of the / LORD, and the wonderful / works / he has / done.
- 5 He gave his decrees to Jacob and established a / law for / Israel, which he / commanded them to / teach their / children;
 - 6 That the generations to come might know, and the / children yet un- / born; that they in their turn might / tell it / to their / children;
- 7 So that they might put their / trust in / God, and not forget the deeds of God, but / keep / his com- / mandments;
 - 8 And not be like their forefathers, a stubborn and re- / bellious gener- / ation, a generation whose heart was not steadfast, and whose / spirit was not / faithful to / God.

Psalm 78, Part I — *Attendite, popule*

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- M 9 The people of Ephraim, / armed with the / bow, turned / back in the / day of / battle;
 - 10 They did not keep the / covenant of / God, and re- / fused to / walk in his / law;
- W 11 They forgot / what he had / done, and the / won-ders / he had / shown them.
 - 12 He worked marvels in the / sight of their / forefathers, in the land of / Egypt, in the / field of / Zoan.
- 4 13 He split open the sea and / let them pass / through; he made the / waters stand / up like / walls.
 - 14 He led them with a / cloud by / day, and all the night / through with a / glow of / fire.
- 4 15 He split the hard / rocks in the / wilderness and gave them / drink as from the / great / deep.
 - 16 He brought streams / out of the / cliff, and the / waters gushed / out like / rivers.
- U †17 But they went on / sinning a- / gainst him, rebelling in the desert a- / gainst the / Möst / High.



- 4 18 They tested / God in their / hearts, de- / mand-ing / food for their / craving.
 - 19 They railed against / God and / said, "Can God set a / ta-ble / in the / wilderness?
- U 20 True, he struck the rock, \parallel the waters gushed out, and the / gullies over- / flowed; but is he able to give bread or to provide / meat / for his / people?"
- 4 21 When the LORD heard this, he was / full of / wrath; a fire was kindled against Jacob, and his anger / mounted a- / gainst / Israel;
- W 22 For they had no / faith in / God,nor did they put their / trust in his / sav-ing / pow'r.
- M 23 So he commanded the / clouds a- / bove and / opened the / doors of / heav'n.
- 4 24 He rained down manna up- / on them to / eat and / gave them / grain from / heav'n.
 - 25 So mortals ate the / bread of / angels; he prov- / ided for them / food e- / nough.
- 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 / $\overline{\text{will be}}$ for- / ever. \parallel A- / men.