Che fourth Day at Evening Prayer



- MY GOD, my God, look upon me; † why hast thou for/saken me? * and art so far from my health, and from the words / of my complaint?
- 2. O my God, I cry in the day-time, but thou hearest / not; * and in the night season also / I take no rest.
- 3. And thou continuest / holy, * O thou Worship / of Israel.
- 4. Our fathers hoped in / thee; * they trusted in thee, and thou didst / deliver them.
- 5. They called upon thee, and were / holpen; * they put their trust in thee, and were not / confounded.
- 6. But as for me, I am a worm, and no / man; * a very scorn of men, and the outcast of / the people.
- 7. All they that see me laugh me to / scorn; * they shoot out their lips, and shake their / heads, saying,
- 8. He trusted in the Lord, that he would de/liver him; * let him deliver him, if he / will have him.
- *9.* But thou art he that took me out of my mother's / womb; * thou wast my hope, when I hanged yet upon / my mother's breasts.
- *10.* I have been left unto thee ever since I was / born; * thou art my God even from / my mother's womb.
- 11. O go not from me; † for trouble is hard at / hand, * and there is none / to help me.
- 12. Many oxen are come a/bout me; * fat bulls of Bashan close me in / on every side.
- 13. They gape upon me with their / mouths, * as it were a ramping and a roar/ing lion.
- 14. I am poured out like water, † and all my bones are out of / joint; * my heart also in the midst of my body is even / like melting wax.
- 15. My strength is dried up like a potsherd, † and my tongue cleaveth to my / gums, * and thou bringest me into / the dust of death.
- *16.* For many dogs are come a/bout me, * and the council of the wicked layeth siege / against me.



- 17. They pierced my hands and my feet: I may tell all my / bones: * they stand staring and looking / upon me.
- *18.* They part my garments a/mong them, * and cast lots upon / my vesture.
- *19.* But be not thou far from me, O / Lord; * thou art my succor, haste thee / to help me.
- 20. Deliver my soul from the / sword, * my darling from the pow/er of the dog.
- *21.* Save me from the lion's / mouth; * thou hast heard me also from among the horns of / the unicorns.
- 22. I will declare thy Name unto my / brethren; * in the midst of the congregation will / I praise thee.
- 23. O praise the Lord, ye that / fear him: * magnify him, all ye of the seed of Jacob; and fear him, all ye seed / of Israel.
- 24. For he hath not despised nor abhorred the low estate of the / poor; * he hath not hid his face from him; but when he called unto him / he heard him.
- 25. My praise is of thee in the great congre/gation; * my vows will I perform in the sight of them / that fear him.
- *26.* The poor shall eat, and be satisfied; † they that seek after the Lord shall / praise him: * your heart shall live / for ever.
- 27. All the ends of the world shall remember themselves, and be turned unto the / Lord; * and all the kindreds of the nations shall worship / before him.
- 28. For the kingdom is the / Lord's, * and he is the Governor among / the nations.
- 29. All such as be fat upon / earth * have eaten, / and worshiped.
- *30.* All they that go down into the dust shall kneel be/fore him; * and no man hath quickened / his own soul.
- *31*. My seed shall / serve him: * they shall be counted unto the Lord for a ge/neration.
- *32.* They shall come, and shall declare his / righteousness * unto a people that shall be born, whom / the Lord hath made.

Glory be to the Father and to the / Son, * and to / the Holy Ghost;

As it was in the beginning, † is now and ever / shall be, * world with/out end. Amen.



THE LORD is my / shepherd; * therefore can / I lack nothing.

- 2. He shall feed me in a green / pasture, * and lead me forth beside the wa/ters of comfort.
- 3. He shall convert / my soul, * and bring me forth in the paths of righteousness / for his Name's sake.
- 4. Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no / evil; * for thou art with me; thy rod and / thy staff comfort me.
- 5. Thou shalt prepare a table before me in the presence of them that trou/ble me; * thou hast anointed my head with oil, and / my cup shall be full.
- 6. Surely thy loving-kindness and mercy shall follow me all the days of / my life; * and I will dwell in the house of the / Lord for ever.

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