

42 That they his holy statutes might  
And faithfully obey his laws ;

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**P**RAISE ye the Lord, for he is good,  
Who can express his noble acts,  
They blessed are that judgement keep,  
With favour of thy people, Lord,  
3 And with thy saving health, O Lord,  
That I the great felicity  
4 And with thy people's joy I may  
And may with thine inheritance  
5 Both we and our forefathers all  
We have committed wickedness,  
6 The wonders great which thou, O Lord,  
Our fathers though they saw them all,  
7 Nor yet thy mercies manifold  
But at the sea, yea, the Red-sea,  
8 Nevertheless, he saved them  
That he might make his power known,  
9 The Red-sea he did then rebuke,  
As in the wilderness, so through  
10 He sav'd them from the cruel hand  
And from their enemies he did

The Second Part.

11 The waters did them overthrow,  
Then they believ'd his word, and praise  
12 But very soon ungratefully  
And for his counsel and his will  
13 But sinned in the wilderness  
And in the desert tempted God,  
14 Who all their wanton minds desire  
But wasting leanness therewithal  
15 Then when they lodged in their tents,  
Aaron the holy of the Lord  
16 Therefore the earth did open wide,  
And all Abiram's company  
17 In their assembly kindled was  
And wasting flame did then burn up  
18 Upon the hill of Horeb they  
And there the molten image they  
19 Thus to the likeness of a calf,  
They turned all their glory, and  
20 And God their only Saviour they  
Who many great and mighty things

The Third Part.

21 And in the land of Ham for them  
And by the Red-sea dreadful things  
22 Therefore because they shew'd themselves  
To bring destruction on them all  
23 Had not his chosen Moses stood  
To turn away his wrath, lest he  
24 They did despise the pleasant land  
Yea, and the words that he had spoke  
25 But in their tents with grudging heart  
Nor to the voice of God the Lord  
26 Therefore against them lifted he  
Them to destroy in wilderness,  
27 And to destroy their seed among  
And through the kingdoms of the world  
28 To Baal-peor they did join  
The sacrifices of the dead

observe for evermore,  
Praise ye the Lord therefore.

his mercy last: alway :  
or all his praise display ?  
and justly do alway ;  
remember me, I pray ;  
vouchsafe to visit me :  
of thine elect may see ;  
a joyful mind possess,  
a cheerful heart express.  
have sinned every one ;  
and very lowly done.  
haft done in Egypt land,  
yet did not understand :  
did keep in memory :  
rebell'd ungratefully.  
for honour of his Name ;  
and spread abroad his fame.  
and forthwith it was dry'd ;  
the deep he did them guide.  
of their most spiteful foe,  
deliver them alive.

not one was left alive :  
in song they did him give,  
his works they quite forgot,  
they did neglect to wait :  
with fond and greedy lust,  
their only stay and trust :  
did suffer them to have ;  
into their souls he gave.  
at Moses they did grutch ;  
they also envy'd much,  
And Dathan did devour ;  
did cover in that hour.  
a hot consuming fire,  
the wicked in his ire.  
an idol calf did frame ;  
did worship of the same.  
which feedeth on the grass,  
their honour did deface :  
unthankfully forgot,  
in Egypt's land had wrought :

most wondrous works had done,  
performed long ago.  
forgetful and unkind,  
he purpos'd in his mind.  
before him in the way,  
should them destroy and slay.  
that he to them did give,  
they did no whit believe ;  
they wickedly repin'd,  
did give an heark'ning mind.  
his strong revenging hand,  
before they saw the land :  
the nations with his rod,  
to scatter them abroad.  
themselves most wickedly,  
eating most greedily.

29 Thus they with their inventions did  
And in his fore enkindled wrath  
30 But Phineas stood up with zeal  
And judgement he did execute,

his anger much provoke ;  
the plague upon them broke.  
the sinners vile to slay ;  
and then the plague did stay.

The Fourth Part.

31 It was imputed unto him  
And from thenceforth go counted is  
32 At waters called Meribah  
Yea, so far forth that Moses then  
31 Because they vex'd his spirit fo,  
His lips spake unadvisedly,  
34 Nor as the Lord commanded them,  
But were among the heathen mix'd,  
35 They did their idols serve, which was  
To devils sons and daughters did  
36 Yea, with unkind and murdering knife,  
Evn'th their own sons and daughters blood  
37 Whom they to Canaan's idols then  
And fo with blood of innocents  
38 Thus they were stained with the works  
And with their own inventions did  
39 Therefore against his people was  
And ev'n his own inheritance  
40 Into the hands of heathen men  
And made their foes their lords, whom they

for righteousness that day,  
from race to race alway.  
they did him angry make ;  
was punish'd for their sake :  
that in impatient heat  
his fervour was so great.  
did they the people slay ;  
and learn'd their wicked way.  
their ruin and decay ;  
they offer up and slay ;  
the guiltless blood they spilt,  
without all cause of guilt :  
offer'd with wicked hand:  
defiled was the land.  
of their own filthy way ;  
a whoring go astray.  
his anger kindled fore,  
he did abhor therefore.  
he gave them for a prey ;  
they were forced to obey.

The Fifth Part.

41 Yea, and their hateful enemies  
And they were humbly made to stoop  
42 Full oftentimes from thrall had he  
But they rebell'd against him, and  
43 Therefore they by their wickedness  
Yet when he saw them in distress  
44 He call'd to mind his covenant,  
And by his mercies multitude  
45 And favour he them made to find  
That led them captive from their land,  
46 Save us, O Lord, thou art our God,  
And from among the heathen folk,  
47 That we may triumph and rejoice  
That we may glory in thy praise,  
48 The Lord the God of Israel  
Let all the people say, Amen.

oppress'd them in their land,  
as subject to their hand.  
deliver'd them before ;  
provok'd him evermore.  
were brought full low to lie ;  
he hearken'd to their cry ;  
which he to them had sworn,  
repented him therefore :  
before the sight of those,  
though they had been their foes,  
we do thee humbly pray,  
Lord, gather us away ;  
in thy most holy Name,  
and founding of thy fame.  
be blessed evermore :  
Praise ye the Lord therefore.

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**G**IVE thanks unto the Lord our God,  
And that his mercy hath no end  
2 Such as the Lord redeemed hath  
And shew how they from foes were freed,  
3 He gather'd them forth of the lands  
From east to west, from north to south  
4 They wander'd in the wilderness,  
Finding no city where to dwell,  
5 Whose thirst and hunger was so great  
That faintness them assaulted, and  
6 Then did they cry in their distress  
Who did remove their troublous state,  
7 And by the way which was most right  
That they might to their city go  
8 Let men therefore before the Lord  
And shew the wonders that he doth  
9 For he their empty souls sustain'd,  
Their hungry souls with goodness fed,

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for very kind is he :  
all mortal men may see.  
with thanks shall praise his Name ;  
and how he wrought the same.  
that lay so far about ;  
his hand did find them out,  
and strayed from the way,  
that might serve for their stay :  
within those deserts void,  
their souls greatly annoy'd,  
unto the Lord for aid,  
according as they pray'd :  
he led them like a guide ;  
and safely there abide.  
confess his goodness then,  
before the sons of men,  
whom thirst had made to faint ;  
and heard their sad complaint.