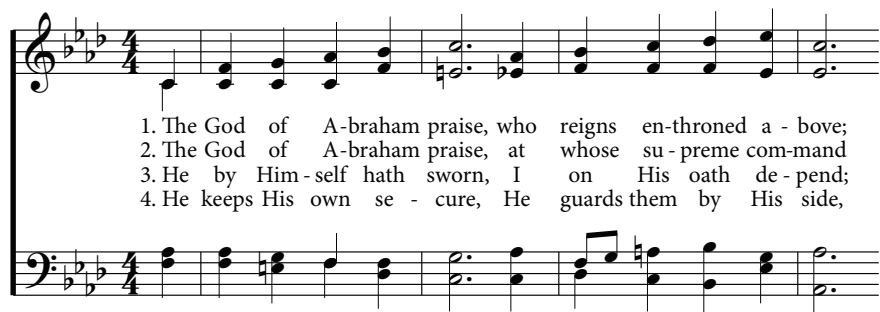
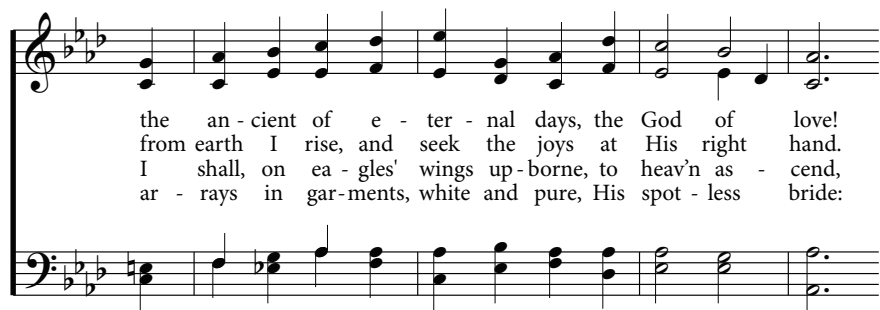


The God of Abraham Praise

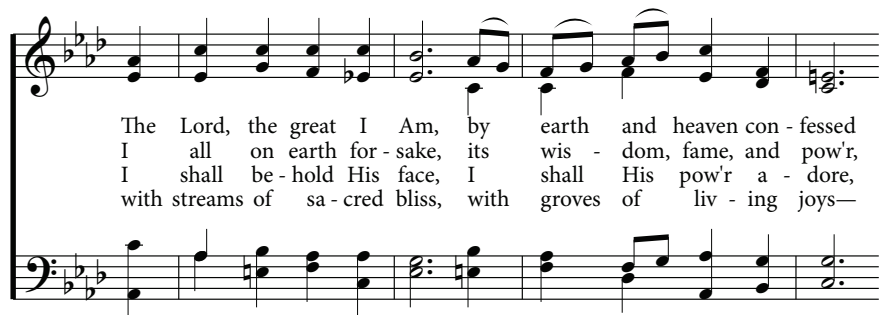
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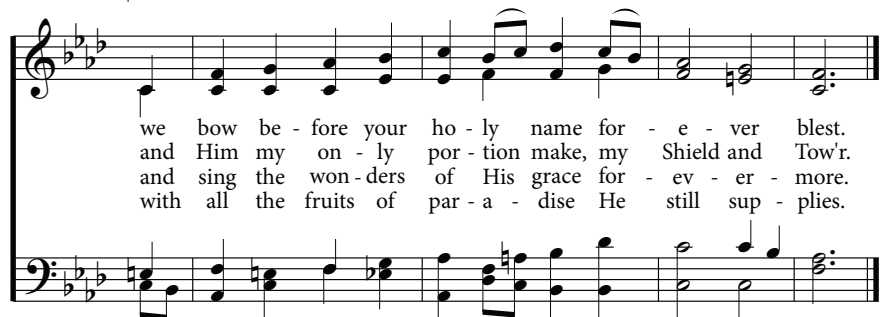
1. The God of A-braham praise, who reigns en-throned a - bove;
2. The God of A-braham praise, at whose su-preme com-mand
3. He by Him-self hath sworn, I on His oath de-pend;
4. He keeps His own se-cure, He guards them by His side,



the an-cient of e-ter-nal days, the God of love!
from earth I rise, and seek the joys at His right hand.
I shall, on ea-gles' wings up-borne, to heav'n as-cend,
ar-rays in gar-ments, white and pure, His spot-less bride:



The Lord, the great I Am, by earth and heaven con-fessed
I all on earth for-sake, its wis-dom, fame, and pow'r,
I shall be-hold His face, I shall His pow'r a-dore,
with streams of sa-cred bliss, with groves of liv-ing joys—



we bow be-fore your ho-ly name for-e-ver blest.
and Him my on-ly por-tion make, my Shield and Tow'r.
and sing the won-ders of His grace for-ev-er-more.
with all the fruits of par-a-dise He still sup-plies.

5. Before the great Three-One they all
exulting stand;
and tell the wonders He hath done,
through all their land:
the listening spheres attend, and swell the
growing fame;
and sing, in songs which never end,
the wondrous name.

6. The whole triumphant host gives thanks
to God on high;
“Hail, Father, Son, and Holy Ghost”
they ever cry.
Hail Abraham's God and mine!
I join the heav'nly lays;
all might and majesty are Thine,
and endless praise.

WORDS: Moses Maimonides, 12th cent; vers. Daniel ben Judah, 1404;
tr. Thomas Olivers, c. 1770.

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MUSIC: Hebrew melody, 17th cent.; adapt. Meyer Lyon, c. 1770