

## Hail to the Lord's Anointed

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1. Hail to the Lord's A - noint - ed, great Da - vid's great - er Son!  
 2. He comes with com - fort speed - y to those who suf - fer wrong;  
 3. He shall come down like show - ers up - on the fruit - ful earth;  
 4. A - ra - bia's de - sert ran - ger to Him shall bow the knee,



Hail, in the time ap - point - ed, His reign on earth be - gun!  
 to help the poor and need - y, and bid the weak be strong;  
 and love, joy, hope, like flow - ers, spring in His path to birth;  
 the E - thi - o - pian stran - ger His glo - ry come to see;



He comes to break op - pres - sion, to set the cap - tive free,  
 to give them songs for sigh - ing, their dark - ness turn to light,  
 be - fore Him on the moun - tains shall peace, the her - ald, go;  
 with of - f'rings of de - vo - tion, ships from the isles shall meet,



to take a - way trans - gres - sion, and rule in eq - ui - ty.  
 whose souls, con - demned and dy - ing, were pre - cious in His sight,  
 and right - eous - ness, in foun - tains, from hill to val - ley flow.  
 to pour the wealth of o - cean in trib - ute at His feet.



5. Kings shall fall down before Him,  
and gold and incense bring,  
all nations shall adore Him,  
His praise all people sing;  
for He shall have dominion  
o'er river, sea, and shore,  
far as the eagle's pinion  
or dove's light wing can soar.

6. For Him shall pray'r unceasing,  
and daily vows ascend;  
His kingdom still increasing,  
a kingdom without end;  
the mountain dews shall nourish  
a seed in weakness sown,  
whose fruit shall spread and flourish,  
and shake like Lebanon.

7. O'er ev'ry foe victorious,  
He on His throne shall rest,  
from age to age more glorious,  
all-blessing and all-blessed;  
the tide of time shall never  
His covenant remove;  
His name shall stand forever—  
that name to us is Love.