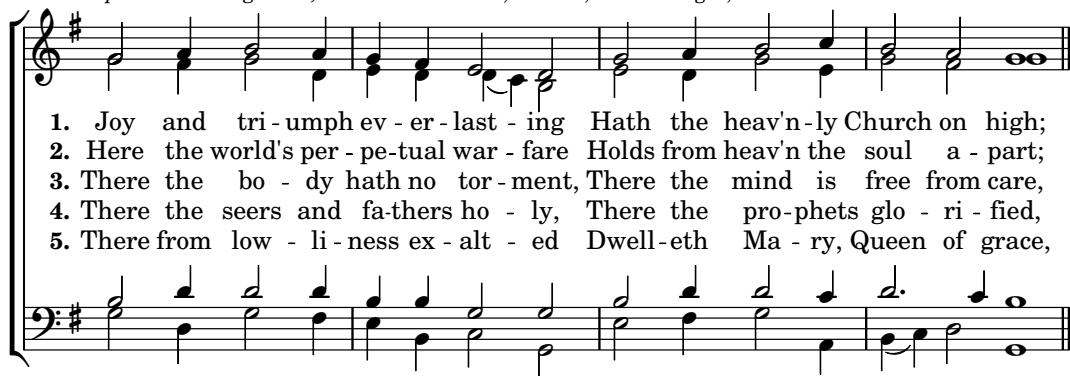


JOY AND TRIUMPH EVERLASTING

Music: PSALM 42, 87.87.77.88; L. Bourgeois, 1551; harm. *The English Hymnal*, 1906

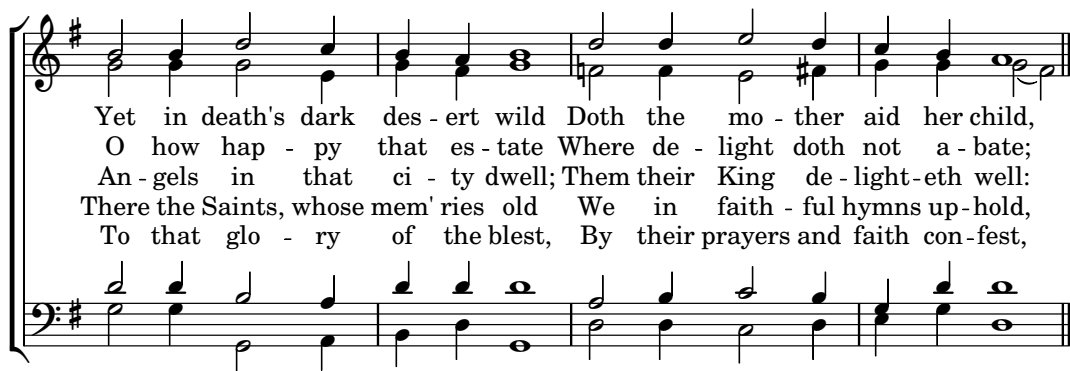
Text: *Supernae matris gaudia*, Adam of St. Victor, c. 1150; tr. R. Bridges, 1899



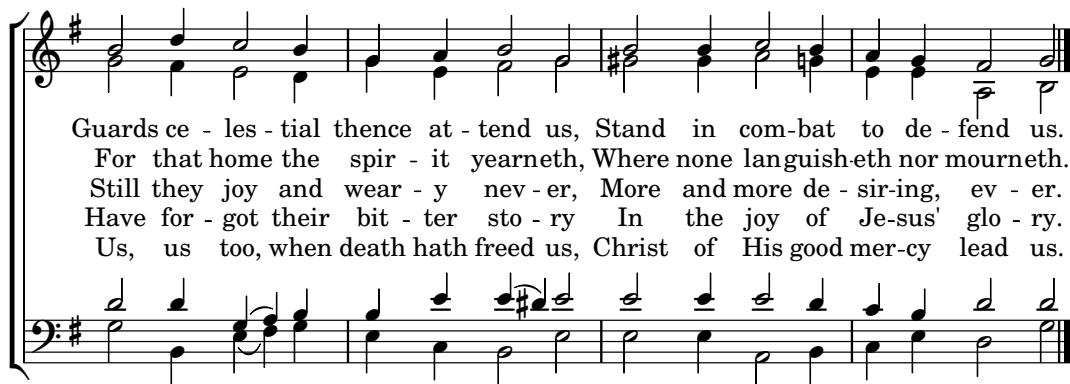
1. Joy and tri-umph ev - er - last - ing Hath the heav'n - ly Church on high;
2. Here the world's per - pe-tual war - fare Holds from heav'n the soul a - part;
3. There the bo - dy hath no tor - ment, There the mind is free from care,
4. There the seers and fa - thers ho - ly, There the pro - phets glo - ri - fied,
5. There from low - li - ness ex - alt - ed Dwell - eth Ma - ry, Queen of grace,



For that pure im - mor - tal glad - ness All our feastdays mourn and sign:
Legioned foes in shadowy ter - ror Vex the Sab - bath of the heart.
There is ev' - ry voice re - joic - ing, Ev' - ry heart is lov - ing there.
All their doubts and darkness end - ed, In the Light of light a - bide.
Ev - er with her pre - sence plead - ing 'Gainst the sin of A - dam's race.



Yet in death's dark des - ert wild Doth the mo - ther aid her child,
O how hap - py that es - tate Where de - light doth not a - bate;
An - gels in that ci - ty dwell; Them their King de - light - eth well:
There the Saints, whose mem'ries old We in faith - ful hymns up - hold,
To that glo - ry of the blest, By their prayers and faith con - fest,



Guards ce - les - tial thence at - tend us, Stand in com - bat to de - fend us.
For that home the spir - it yearneth, Where none languish - eth nor mourneth.
Still they joy and wear - y nev - er, More and more de - sir - ing, ev - er.
Have for - got their bit - ter sto - ry In the joy of Je - sus' glo - ry.
Us, us too, when death hath freed us, Christ of His good mer - cy lead us.