**PSALM 125**

In convertendo.

*The people of God rejoice at their delivery from captivity.*

A gradual canticle.

**1** When the Lord brought back the captivity of Sion, we became like men comforted.

**2** Then was our mouth filled with gladness; and our tongue with joy. Then shall they say among the Gentiles: The Lord hath done great things for them.

**3** The Lord hath done great things for us: we are become joyful.

**4** Turn again our captivity, O Lord, as a stream in the south.

**5** They that sow in tears shall reap in joy.

**6** Going they went and wept, casting their seeds.

**7** But coming they shall come with joyfulness, carrying their sheaves.