

## For Even From My Youth, O God

*"O God, You have taught me from my youth" Psalm 71:17*

**D A<sup>7</sup> D G D**

1. For e - ven from my youth, O God, by Thee have I been taught;  
 2. Thy per - fect righ-teous-ness, O God, the heav-en's height ex - ceeds;  
 3. My great-ness and my pow'r Thou will in - crease and far ex - tend;

**D A<sup>7</sup> D E A D E A**

And hith - er - to I have de - clared the won - ders Thou hast wrought.  
 O God, who is like Thee, who has per-formed such might - y deeds?  
 A - gainst all grief on ev - 'ry side, to me will com - fort send.

**D D<sup>7</sup> G B<sup>7</sup> Em**

And now, O God, for - sake me not, when I am old and gray;  
 Thou, who hast shown me tri - als sore and great ad - ver - si - ties,  
 And I will al - so praise Thy truth, O God, with psal - ter - y;

**A<sup>7</sup> D A A<sup>7</sup> D**

Till I pro-claim Thy won-drous deeds to this and ev - 'ry age.  
 Will quick - en me a - gain and bring me from the depths of earth.  
 Thou Ho - ly One of Is - ra - el, with harp I'll sing to Thee.

TEXT: Psalm 71:17-22; *The Scottish Psalter*, 1650, alt.

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