

He Who in Evil Does Rejoice

From Psalm 36

1. ¹He who in e - vil does re - joice Hears in his heart a wick-ed voice;
 2. ⁵Thy love and faith-ful-ness ex - tend Wher-ev - er Thou to heav-en's end
 3. ⁹Life's foun-tain is, O LORD, with Thee, And in Thy light the light we see;

³It whis-pers and it flat - ters. It lures him on, and he o - beys
 Thy right-eous scep-ter wield - est. ⁶Thy judg - ment is a se - cret deep,
¹⁰Let right and mer-cy tar - ry With them who fear Thy faith-ful name;

Till from Thy fear, O LORD, he strays And him Thine an - ger shat - ters.
 Thy jus - tice like God's moun-tains steep, And man and beast Thou shield-est.
¹¹Put Thou the en - e - mies to shame, Let all their schemes mis - car - ry.

³His words are lies, his wis-dom gone; All his trans-gres-sions urge him on,
⁷Of Thy great mer - cy heav - en sings For in the shad - ow of Thy wings
 SaveThou me for Thy mer - cy's sake, Let not the proud me o - ver-take,

He does their will with pleas-ure. ⁴Up - on his bed he plans de - ceit,
 No son of man shall per - ish. ⁸Thou shalt them to Thy feasts in - vite,
 Nor from Thy cov - 'nant sev - er. O peo - ple, praise your God and see

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On ways of sin he sets his feet, His e - vil is his treas - ure.
They drink from streams of Thy de - light, Thy pre - cious love they cher - ish.
¹² The work - ers of in - iq - ui - ty Who are cast down for - ev - er!