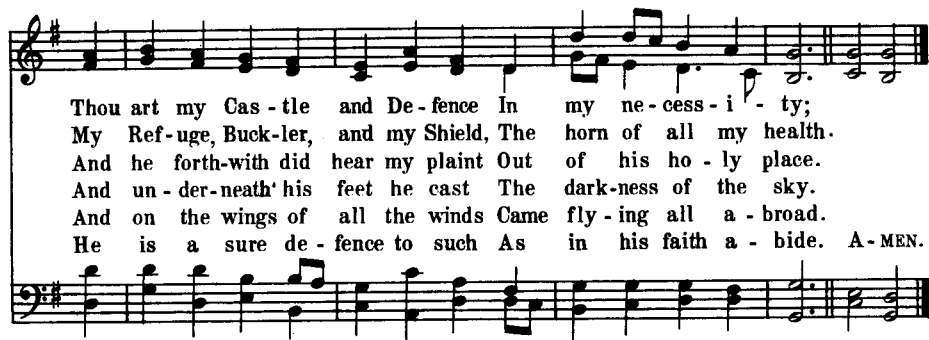


GOD'S REFRESHING GRACE



Thou art my Cas - tle and De - fence In my ne - cess - i - ty;
 My Ref - uge, Buck - ler, and my Shield, The horn of all my health.
 And he forth - with did hear my plaint Out of his ho - ly place.
 And un - der - neath' his feet he cast The dark - ness of the sky.
 And on the wings of all the winds Came fly - ing all a - broad.
 He is a sure de - fence to such As in his faith a - bide. A - MEN.

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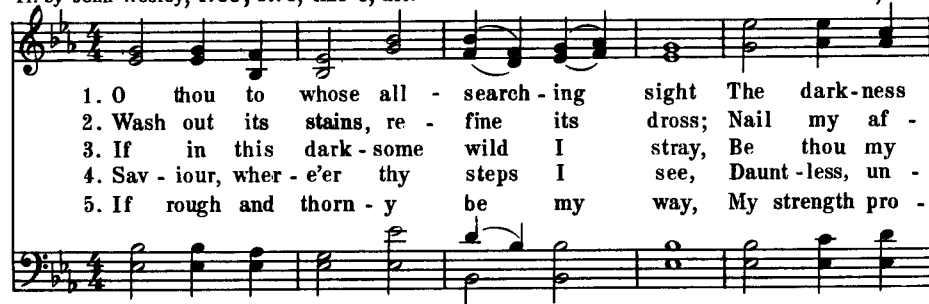
The darkness and the light are both alike to thee. Psalm 139 : 12

Count Nikolaus Ludwig von Zinzendorf, 1721

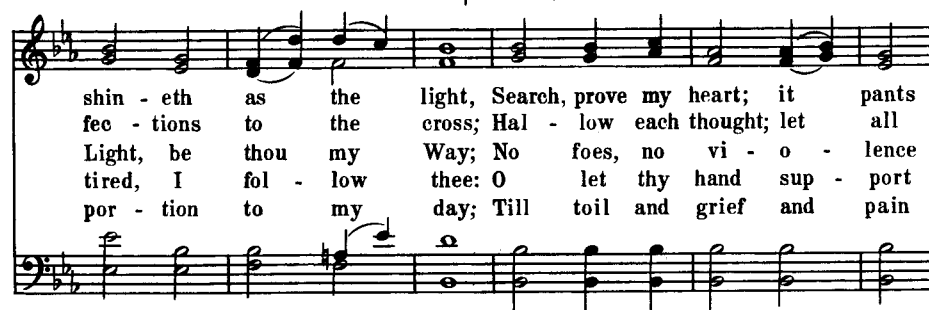
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Tr. by John Wesley, 1738; st. 3, line 4, alt.

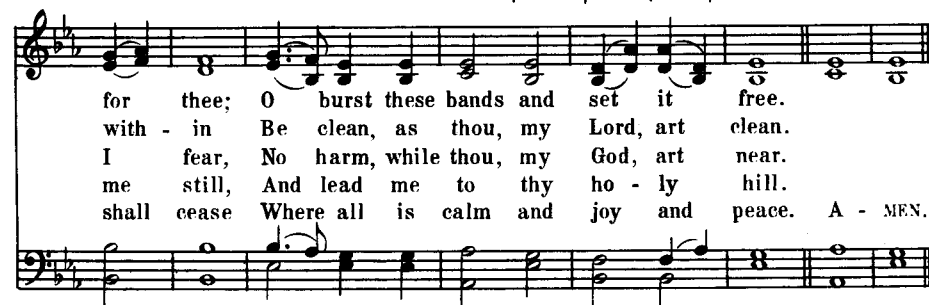
John E. Gould, 1849



1. O thou to whose all - search - ing sight The dark - ness
 2. Wash out its stains, re - fine its dross; Nail my af -
 3. If in this dark - some wild I stray, Be thou my
 4. Sav - iour, wher - e'er thy steps I see, Daunt - less, un -
 5. If rough and thorn - y be my way, My strength pro -



shin - eth as the light, Search, prove my heart; it pants
 fec - tions to the cross; Hal - low each thought; let all
 Light, be thou my Way; No foes, no vi - o - lence
 tired, I fol - low thee: O let thy hand sup - port
 por - tion to my day; Till toil and grief and pain



for thee; O burst these bands and set it free.
 with - in Be clean, as thou, my Lord, art clean.
 I fear, No harm, while thou, my God, art near.
 me still, And lead me to thy ho - ly hill.
 shall cease Where all is calm and joy and peace. A - MEN.