

PSALM

68b O Lord, thou hast ascended

D G D A⁷ (D A⁷) D A

1 O Lord, thou hast as - cend - ed on high in might to reign;
 2 Blest be the Lord who dai - ly our heav - y bur - den bears,
 3 Sing un - to God, ye na - tions, ye king - doms of the earth;

D G D A D (B^m A) E⁷ A

cap - tiv - i - ty thou lead - est a cap - tive in thy train.
 the God of our sal - va - tion, who for his peo - ple cares.
 sing un - to God, all peo - ple, and praise his match - less worth.

D (A⁷ D) G D A⁷ D A⁷ D A

Rich gifts to thee are of - fered by men who did re - bel,
 Our God is near to help us, our God is strong to save;
 He rides in roy - al tri - umph up - on the heavens a - broad;

D G D E^{m7} (D) A⁷ D

who pray that now Je - ho - vah their God with them may dwell.
 the LORD a - lone is a - ble to ran - som from the grave.
 he speaks, the moun - tains trem - ble be - fore the voice of God.

- 4 All glory, might and honour ascribe to God on high;
 his arm protects his people who on his power rely.
 Forth from thy holy dwelling thine awful glories shine;
 thou strengthenest thy people; unending praise be thine.

Text: Psalm 68:18, 19–22, 32–35. *Psalter Hymnal*, 1957

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