

## 363 Lift up your heads, ye mighty gates!

F C Gm F C F C F C<sup>7</sup> F  
 1 Lift up your heads, ye might-y gates! Be-hold, the King of  
 2 A help-er just he comes to thee, his char-iot is hu-  
 3 O blest the land, the cit-y blest, where Christ the rul-er

C<sup>7</sup> F C F (Am) F (Dm) G<sup>7</sup> C  
 glo-ry waits; the King of kings is draw-ing near,  
 mil-i-ty, his king-ly crown is ho-li-ness,  
 is con-fessed! O hap-py hearts and hap-py homes

C F C F (Am) F (Dm) G C F B<sup>b</sup> F Dm Am  
 the Sav-iour of the world is here. Life and sal-va-tion  
 his scep-tre, pit-y in dis-tress. The end of all our  
 to whom this King in tri-umph comes! The cloud-less sun of

Dm F Dm Am Dm Am Dm Gm Dm  
 he doth bring, where-fore re-joice and glad-ly sing.  
 woe he brings; where-fore the earth is glad and sings.  
 joy he is, who bring-eth pure de-light and bliss.

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F Dm Gm7 F C B♭ C7 F Gm C F

We praise thee, Fa - ther, now, Cre - a - tor wise art thou.  
 We praise thee, Sav - iour, now, might - y in - deed art thou.  
 We praise thee, Spir - it, now, our Com - fort - er art thou.

## 364 Bless and keep your people

Capo 3: G C G D7 G D Em G Am Em

1 Bless and keep your peo - ple, Lord! Smile on them and peace af - ford.  
 2 Grant them, as they now de - part, your en - a - bling in their heart;  
 3 A - men! Grant that they a - new seek with joy to hon - our you,

A D A D G C Am G D G

May your fa - vour ev - er - more rest on them, re - fresh, re - store.  
 by your Spir - it's might - y power fit for ser - vice hour by hour.  
 ho - ly God, the Three in One, Fa - ther, Ho - ly Spir - it, Son!

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