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## We praise thee, O God

*Descant*

3 With voice - - es u - nit - ed, (Dm<sup>7</sup> G<sup>7</sup>)

C G<sup>7</sup> C G<sup>7</sup> C

1 We praise thee, O God, our Re - deem - er, Cre - a - tor;  
 2 We wor - ship thee, God of our fa - thers, we bless thee;  
 3 With voice - es u - nit - ed our prais - es we of - fer;

to thee, great Je - ho - vah, glad an - thems we raise. (Csus C)

G Am D<sup>7</sup> G C D G

in grate - ful de - vo - tion our trib - ute we bring.  
 through life's storm and tem - pest our guide hast thou been.  
 to thee, great Je - ho - vah, glad an - thems we raise.

Thy strong arm will guide us.

G<sup>7</sup> C Dm<sup>7</sup> G<sup>7</sup> C

We lay it be - fore thee, we kneel and a - dore thee,  
 When per - ils o'er - take us, es - cape thou wilt make us,  
 Thy strong arm will guide us, our God is be - side us.

Text: Julia C. Cory, 1902

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Tune: A. Valerius, *Nederlandsch Gedenckclanck*, 1626; arr. Edward Kremser, 1877;

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The musical score is written for three parts: Soprano, Alto/Tenor, and Bass. The key signature is one flat (B-flat major or D minor), and the time signature is common time (C). The Soprano part begins with a treble clef and a key signature change from one flat to no flats. The Alto/Tenor part begins with a treble clef and a key signature change from one flat to no flats. The Bass part begins with a bass clef and a key signature change from one flat to no flats. The lyrics are written below the staves. The score includes a variety of musical notation, including whole, half, quarter, and eighth notes, as well as rests and bar lines. Chord symbols (F, G, C, Dm7, G7) are placed above the staff. A dashed oval highlights a specific musical phrase in the Alto/Tenor part.

To thee, our Re - deem - er, for - ev - er be praise.

we bless thy ho - ly name, glad prais - es we sing.  
and with thy help, O Lord, our bat - tles we win.  
To thee, our great Re - deem - er, for - ev - er be praise.

Chord symbols: F, G, C, (Dm<sup>7</sup> G<sup>7</sup>), C