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Peril and Prayer

PSALM 140 7s and 6s

PETITION

Arranged from Haydn

1 De - liv - er me from e - vil, Pre - serve me, Lord, from wrong;

A - gainst the foes that gath - er Be Thou my help - er strong.

From those who plot to hurt me And spread their treach-erous snare

Pre - serve me, Lord, and keep me Safe - guard - ed in Thy care.

2 O Lord, I have confessed Thee
 To be my God alone;
 O hear my supplication
 And be Thy mercy shown;
 O God the Lord, my Saviour,
 My shield amid the strife,
 Let not the wicked triumph
 Who plot against my life.

3 Let evil smite the evil
 And cause their overthrow;
 The needy and afflicted
 The Lord will help, I know;
 Thy saints, redeemed from evil,
 Their thanks to Thee shall give;
 The righteous and the upright
 Shall in Thy presence live.