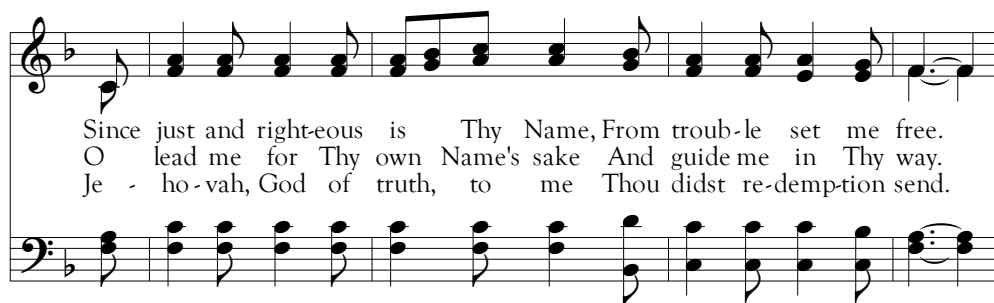


31C Defend Me, LORD, From Shame

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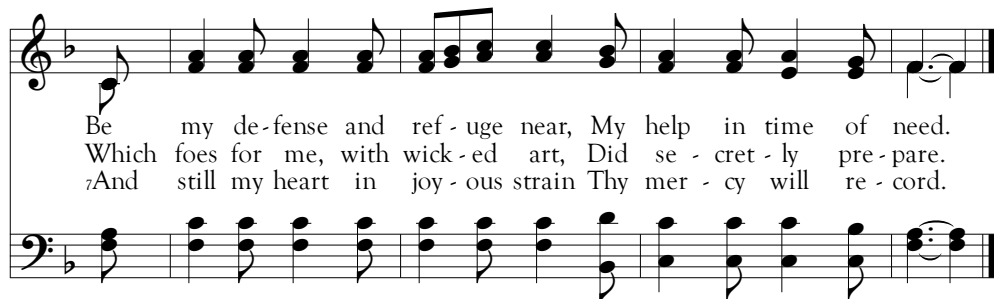
1. De - fend me, LORD, from shame, For still I trust in Thee;
 2. Thee for my rock I take, My for - tress and my stay;
 3. My spir - it un - to Thee I trust - ful - ly com - mend;



Since just and right-eous is Thy Name, From troub-le set me free.
 O lead me for Thy own Name's sake And guide me in Thy way.
 Je - ho - vah, God of truth, to me Thou didst re-demp-tion send.



2. O Lord, in mer - cy hear, De - liv - er me with speed;
 4. Lord, Thou dost strength im - part; Then free me from the snare
 6. I hate the false and vain, My trust is in the LORD,



Be my de-fense and ref - uge near, My help in time of need.
 Which foes for me, with wick - ed art, Did se - cret - ly pre - pare.
 7. And still my heart in joy - ous strain Thy mer - cy will re - cord.