

Music for August 9th

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I SING THE MIGHTY POWER OF GOD

Acc #266 / CP3 #417

ELLACOMBE

1. I sing the might - y pow'r of God That made the
 2. I sing the good-ness of the Lord That filled the
 3. There's not a plant or flow'r be - low, But makes thy

1. moun-tains rise, That spread the flow-ing seas a - broad, And
 2. earth with food; He formed the crea-tures with his word, And
 3. glo - ries known; And clouds a - rise, and tem-pests blow By

1. built the loft - y skies. I sing the wis-dom
 2. then pro-nounced them good. Lord, how thy won-ders
 3. or - der from thy throne; While all that bor - rows

1. that or - dained The sun to rule the day; The moon shines
 2. are dis - played Wher - e'er I turn my eye; If I sur -
 3. life from thee Is ev - er in thy care, And ev - 'ry -

1. full at his com-mand, And all the stars o - bey.
 2. vey the ground I tread, Or gaze up - on the sky!
 3. where that I can be, Thou, God, are pres - ent there.

Text: CMD; Isaac Watts, 1674-1748, alt. Music: Gesangbuch der Herzogl, Wirtembergischen Katholischen Hofkapelle, 1784, alt.; adapt. fr. Würth's Katholisches Gesangbuch, 1863.

BLEST BE THE LORD

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Dan Schutte

Acc #101 / CP3 #455

Refrain
 Blest be the Lord; blest be the Lord, the God of
 mer - cy, the God who saves. I shall not fear the dark of
 night, nor the ar - row that flies by day.

Verses
 1. He will re-lease__ me__ from the nets of all my foes.
 2. I need not__ shrink be - fore__ the ter - rors of the night,
 3. Al-though a thou - sand strong__ have fall - en at my side,

1. He will pro - tect me from their wick-ed hands.
 2. nor stand a-lone be - fore the light__ of day.
 3. I'll not be shak-en with the Lord__ at hand.

1. Be - neath__ the shad-ow of his wings__ I
 2. No harm shall__ come to me,__ no ar-row
 3. His faith - ful__ love is all__ the ar - mor

to Refrain
 1. will re - joice__ to find a dwell-ing place se-cure.__
 2. strike me down,__ no e - vil set - tle in my soul.
 3. that I need to wage my bat - tle with the foe. __

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YOU ARE NEAR

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Dan Schutte

Refrain

O Lord, I know you are near, stand-ing al-ways at my side. You guard me from the foe, and you lead me in ways ev-er - last-ing.

Verses

1. Lord, you have searched my heart, and you know when I
 2. Where can I run from your love? If I climb to the
 3. You know my heart and its ways, you who formed me be-
 4. Mar-vel-ous to me are your works; how pro-found are your

1. sit and when I stand. Your hand is up-on me, pro-
 2. heav-ens you are there; if I fly to the sun-rise or
 3. fore I was born, in the se-cret of dark-ness be-
 4. thoughts, my Lord. E-ven if I could count them, they

1. tect-ing me from death, keep-ing me from harm.
 2. sail be-yond the sea, still I'd find you there.
 3. fore I saw the sun, in my moth-er's womb.
 4. num-ber as the stars, you would still be there.

to Refrain

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WE WALK BY FAITH

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Marty Haugen

Acc #601 / CP3 #445

1, 5. We walk by faith, and not by sight: No
 2. We may not touch his hands and side, Nor
 3. Help then, O Lord, our un-be-lief, And
 4. That when our life of faith is done In

1, 5. gra-cious words we hear Of him who spoke as
 2. fol-low where he trod; Yet in his prom-ise
 3. may our faith a-bound; To call on you when
 4. realms of clear-er light We may be-hold you

1, 5. none e'er spoke, But we be-lieve him near.
 2. we re-joice And cry "My Lord and God!"
 3. you are near, And seek where you are found:
 4. as you are In full and end-less sight.

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