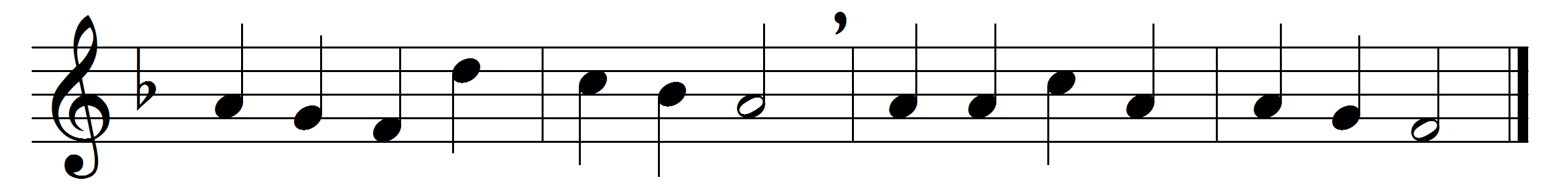
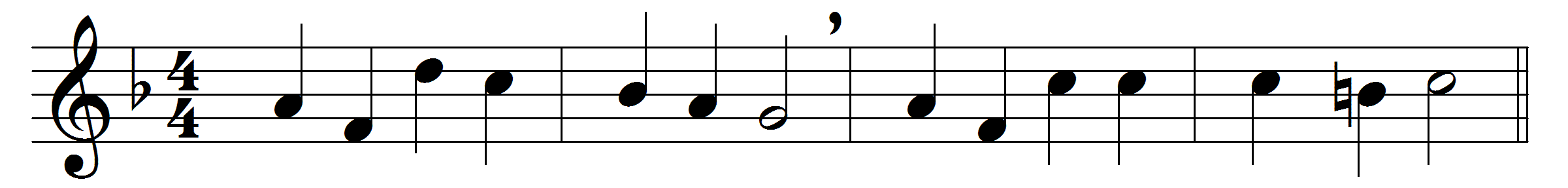
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Captains of the saintly band,  
lights who lighten every land,  
princes who with Jesus dwell,  
judges of his Israel;  
  
on the nations sunk in night  
ye have shed the Gospel light;  
sin and error flee away,  
truth reveals the promised day.  
  
Not by warrior’s spear and sword,  
not by art of human word,  
preaching but the cross of shame,  
rebel hearts for Christ ye tame.  
  
Earth, that long in sin and pain  
groaned in Satan’s deadly chain,  
now to serve its God is free  
in the law of liberty.  
  
Distant lands with one acclaim  
tell the honour of your name,  
who, wherever man has trod,  
teach the mysteries of God.  
  
Glory to the Three in One  
while eternal ages run,  
who from deepest shades of night  
called us to his glorious light.

Words: Jean-Baptiste de Santeuil (1630-1697), translated by Henry Williams Baker (1821-1877)

Music: Henry John Gauntlett (1805-1876)