

Psalm 71
in te, domine, speravi

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(1790-1859)

1. In thee O Lord have I put my trust, let me never be put to con - fusion.

but rid me and deliver me in thy righteousness, incline thine ear un - to me and

save me. 2. Be thou my strong hold whereunto I may al - way re - sort:

thou hast promised to help me, for thou art my house of de - fence and my castle.

3. Deliver me O my God out of the hand of the un - godly:

out of the hand of the un - right - eous and cru - el man.

4. For thou O Lord God art the thing that I long for: thou art my hope

ev - en from my youth. 5. Through thee have I been holden ever since I was born:

thou art he that took me out of my mother's womb, my praise shall be al-ways of thee.

6. I am become as it were a mon - ster un - to many: but my sure trust is in thee.

2nd pt. 7. O let my mouth be filled with thy praise: that I may sing of thy glory and ho-nour

all the day long. 8. Cast me not away in the time of age:

forsake me not when my strength faileth me.

9. For mine enemies speak against me, and they that lay wait for my soul take their

coun - sel to - geth - er saying: God hath forsaken him, persecute him and take him,

for there is none to de - liver him.

10. Go not far from me O God: my God haste thee to help me.

11. Let them be confounded and perish that are a - gainst my soul:

let them be covered with shame and dishonour that seek to do me evil.

2nd 12. As for me I will patiently a - bide al - way: and will praise thee more and more.

13. My mouth shall daily speak of thy right - eous - ness and sal - vation:

for I know no end there - of. 14. I will go forth in the strength of the Lord God:

and will make men - tion of thy right - eous-ness only.

15. Thou O God hast taught me from my youth up un - til now:

therefore will I tell of thy won-drous works. 16. Forsake me not O God in mine old age,

when I am gray - headed: until I have shewed thy strength unto this generation, and thy power

to all them that are yet for to come. 17. Thy righteousness O God is ve - ry high:

and great things are they that thou hast done, O God who is like un - to thee?

18. O what great troubles and adversities hast thou shewed me, and yet didst thou

turn and re - fresh me: yea and broughtest me from the deep of the earth a - gain.

19. Thou hast brought me to great honour: and com - for - ted me on ev' - ry side.

20. Therefore will I praise thee and thy faithfulness O God, playing upon an

in - stru - ment of musick: unto thee will I sing upon the harp, O thou

Ho - ly One of Israel. 21. My lips will be fain when I sing un - to thee:

and so will my soul whom thou hast de - livered.

22. My tongue also shall talk of thy righteousness all the day long:

for they are confounded and brought unto shame that seek to do me evil.

Glory be to the Father and to the Son: and to the Ho - ly Ghost.

as it was in the beginning, is now and ev - er shall be: world without end: A - - - men.