

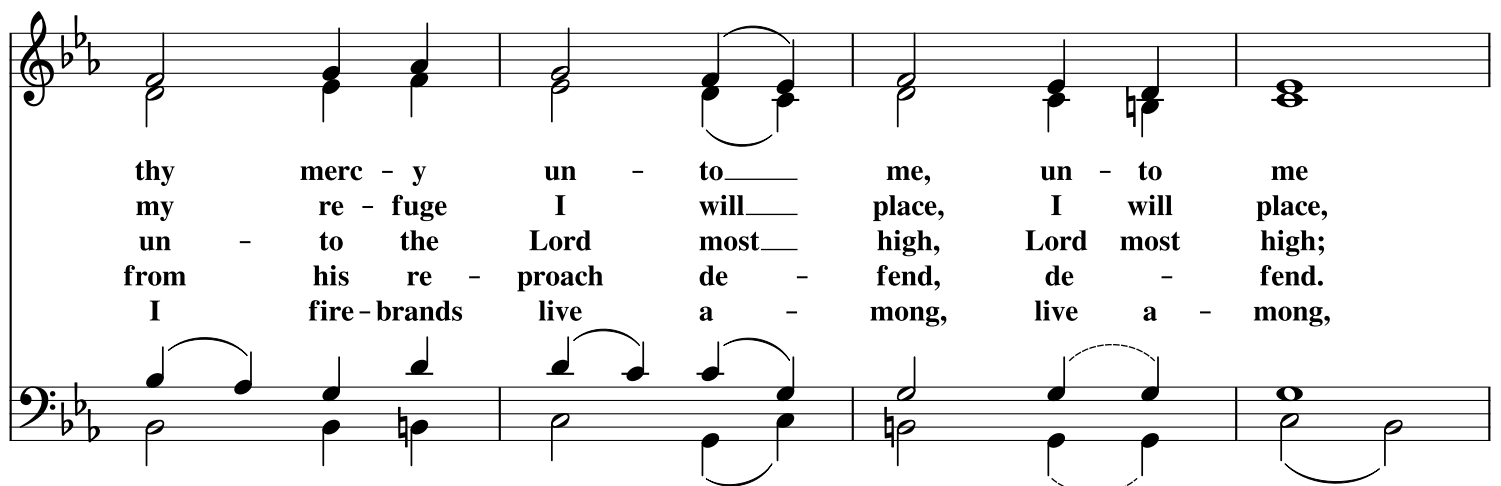
Psalm 57

Scottish Metric Psalter

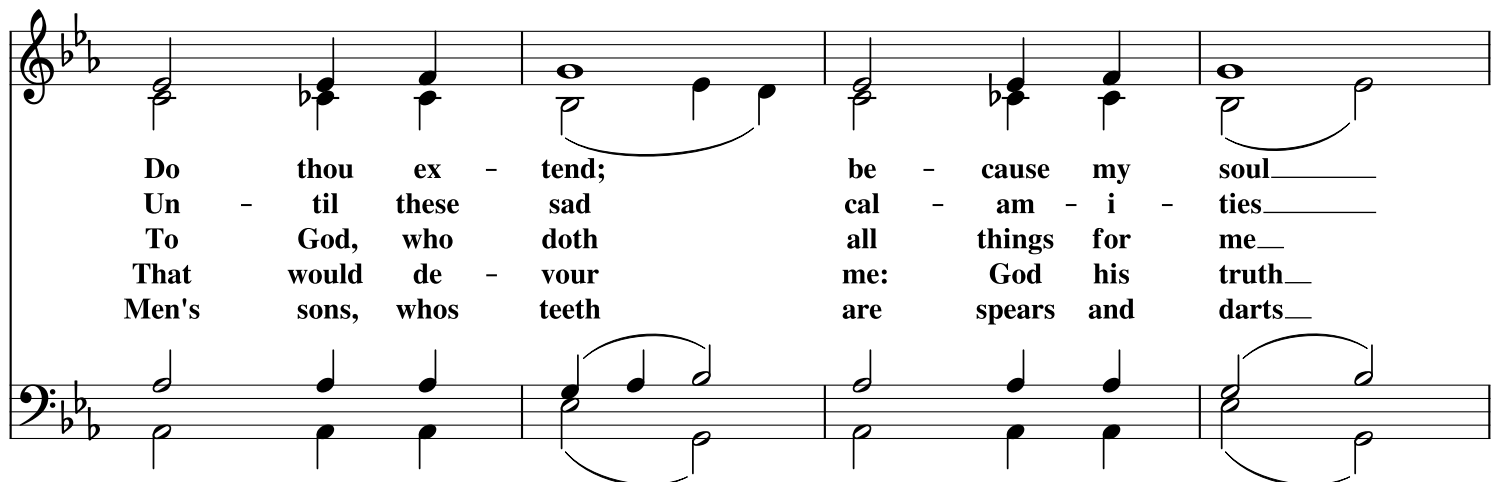
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1.Be merc - i - ful to me, O God;
2.Yea, in the sha - dow of thy wings
3.My cry I will cause to a - scend
4.From heav'n he shall send down, and me
5.My soul a - mong fierce li - ons is



thy merc - y un - to me, un - to me
my re - fuge I will place, I will place,
un - to the Lord most high, Lord most high;
from his re - proach de - fend, de - fend.
I fire - brands live a - mong, live a - mong,



Do thou ex - tend; be - cause my soul
Un - til these sad cal - am - i - ties
To God, who doth all things for me
That would de - vour me: God his truth
Men's sons, whos teeth are spears and darts

doth put her trust in Thee, trust in Thee:
do whol - ly ov - er - pass, o - ver - pass.
per - form most per - fect - ly, per - fect - ly.
and mer - cy forth shall send, forth shall send.
a sharp sword is their tongue, is their tongue.

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- 6 Be thou exalted very high
above the heav'ns, O God;
Let thou thy glory be advanced
o'er all the earth abroad.
- 7 My soul's bow-ed down; for they a net
have laid, my steps to snare:
Into the pit which they have digged
for me, they fallen are.
- 8 My heart is fix-ed, my heart is fix'd,
O God; I'll sing and praise.
My glory wake; wake psalt'ry, harp;
myself I'll early raise.

- 9 I'll praise thee 'mong the people, Lord;
'mong nations sing will I:
For great to heav'n thy mercy is,
thy truth is to the sky.
- 10 O Lord, exalted be thy name
above the heav'ns to stand:
Do thou thy glo-ry far advance
above both sea and land.