

Psalm 72, vs. 1-3,5,6

Metrical Version by James Montgomery, 1822

Hymn Tune: ELLACOMBE

CONGREGATION

1.Hail to the Lord's A - noin - ted; Great Da - vid's great - er
3.He shall come down like show - ers Up - on the fruit - ful
6.O'er ev' - ry foe vic - tor - ious, He on his throne shall

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son! Hail, in the time ap - poin - ted, His reign on earth be - gun! He
earth: Love, joy and hope like flow - ers, Spring in his path to birth: Be -
rest; From age to age more glor - ious, All - bles - sing and all - blest. The

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comes to break op - pres - sion, To set the cap - tive free, To
fore him, on the moun - tains, Shall peace the her - ald go; And
tide of time shall ne - ver His co - ve - nant re - move; His

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take a - way trans - gres - sion, And rule in e - qui - ty.
righ - teous - ness in foun - tains, From hill to val - ley flow.
name shall stand for e - ver, His change - less name of Love.

CANTOR

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2.He comes, with suc-courspeed - y, To those who suf - fer wrong; To help the poor and need - y, And
5.Kings shall fall down be - fore him, And gold and in-cense bring; All na-tions shall a - dore him, His

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bid the weak be strong: To give them songs for sigh - ing, Their dark-ness turn to
praise all peo - ple sing; For him shall prayer un - cea - sing And dai - ly vows as -

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light, Whose souls, con - demned and dy - ing, Were pre - cious in his sight.
cend; His king - dom still in - crea - sing, A king - dom with-out end.