1 I was glad when they said to me, Let us go to the house of the Lord.

2 And now our feet are standing within your gates, O Jerusalem;

3 Jerusalem, built as a city that is at unity in itself.

4 Thither the tribes go up, the tribes of the Lord, as is decreed for Israel,

5 to give thanks to the name of the Lord.

6 O pray for the peace of Jerusalem: May they prosper who love you.

7 Peace be within your walls and tranquillity within your palaces.

8 For my kindred and companions’ sake I will pray that peace be with you.

9 For the sake of the house of the Lord our God I will seek to do you good.

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