

1 O come, let us sing to the Lord; □

let us heartily rejoice in the rock of our salvation.

2 Let us come into his presence with thanksgiving □

and be glad in him with psalms.

3 For the Lord is a great God □

and a great king above all gods.

4 In his hand are the depths of the earth □

and the heights of the mountains are his also.

5 The sea is his, for he made it, □

and his hands have moulded the dry land.

6 Come, let us worship and bow down □

and kneel before the Lord our Maker.

7 For he is our God; □

we are the people of his pasture and the sheep of his hand.

*The canticle may end here with 'Glory to the Father...'*

8 O that today you would listen to his voice: □

'Harden not your hearts as at Meribah,

on that day at Massah in the wilderness,

9 'When your forebears tested me, and put me to the proof, □

though they had seen my works.

10 'Forty years long I detested that generation and said, □

"This people are wayward in their hearts;

they do not know my ways."

11 'So I swore in my wrath, □

"They shall not enter into my rest."

*Psalm 95*

Glory to the Father and to the Son

and to the Holy Spirit;

as it was in the beginning is now

and shall be for ever. Amen.

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