

Refrain: You are my refuge, O God,

a strong tower against the enemy.

1 Hear my crying, O God, □

and listen to my prayer.

2 From the end of the earth I call to you with fainting heart; □

O set me on the rock that is higher than I.

3 For you are my refuge, □

a strong tower against the enemy.

4 Let me dwell in your tent for ever □

and take refuge under the cover of your wings. [R]

5 For you, O God, will hear my vows; □

you will grant the request of those who fear your name.

6 You will add length of days to the life of the king, □

that his years may endure throughout all generations.

7 May he sit enthroned before God for ever; □

may steadfast love and truth watch over him.

8 So will I always sing praise to your name, □

and day by day fulfil my vows.

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Risen Christ,

as you knew the discipline of suffering

and the victory that brings us salvation,

so grant us your presence in our weakness

and a place in your unending kingdom

now and for evermore.

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