

Lamentation

Transcribed from *The Massachusetts Harmony*, 1803.

Tr. 1. O God of grace and right- eous- ness, Hear and at- tend when I com- plain; Thou hast, thou hast, thou hast enlarged me in dis- tress, Bow

C. 2. Know that the Lord divides his saints From all the tribes of men be- side; He hears, he hears, he hears the cry of pe- ni- tents, For

T. 3. Let the un- thin- king ma- ny say, "Who will bestow some ear- thly good?" But Lord, but Lord, but Lord, thy light and love we pray; Our

B.

5 10

Tr. 1. down a gracious ear a- gain. Ye sons of men, in vain ye try To turn my glo- ry in- to shame; How long will scoffers love to lie, And dare reproach my Sa- vior's name?

C. 2. the dear sake of Christ that died. When our obedient bands have done A thousand works of righteousness, We put our trust in God alone, And glory in his pardoning grace.

T. 3. souls desire this heaven- ly food. Then shall my cheerful powers rejoice, At grace and favors so divine; Nor will I change my happy choice For all their corn, and all their wine.

B.

15 20 25

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1. Measure 8, *Bass*: second note changed from A to B.
2. Measure 24, *Treble*: grace note following converted to tuplet.
3. These words substituted for the original words, from the *New Version*.