

O praise the Lord with hymns of joy

Samuel Wakely

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Text: Tate/Brady, on Ps. 147

Joyful Hymn. C.M.

O praise the Lord with hymns of joy, And ce - le - brate his
His ho - ly ci - ty God will build, Though le - vell'd with the
Great is the Lord, and great his pow'r, His wis - dom has no
To God, the Lord, a hymn of praise With grate - ful voi - ces

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fame: For plea - sant, good and come - ly 'tis To praise his
ground: Bring back his peo - ple, though dis - pers'd Through all the
bound; The meek he rai - ses, but throws down The wic - ked each
sing; To songs of tri - umph tune the harp, And strike each

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ho - ly name, to praise his ho - ly name.
na - tions round, through all the na - tions round.
to the ground, the wic - ked to the ground.
warb - ling string, and strike each warb - ling string.

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This tune is one of two in Thomas Jarman's *The Wesleyan Melodist* attributed to 'S. Wakely. Author of Reuben'. In that book, the parts are given in the order Tenor - Alto - Treble - Bass (labelled as such in the first piece in the book). The treble and bass parts are bracketed together, with small notes between them to fill in the harmony of a keyboard part doubling the voices. This accompaniment has been omitted from the present edition. Only the first verse of the text is underlined in the source: three additional verses have been selected from the text and underlined in the present edition.