God Is My Light My Refuge, My Salvation

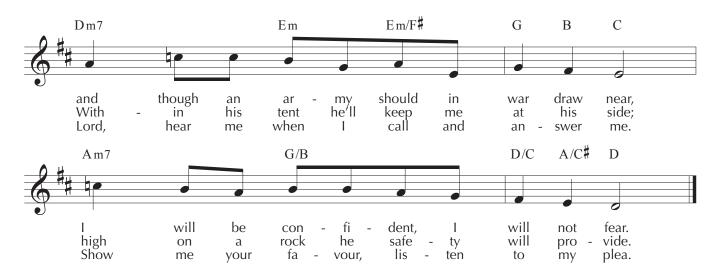
PSALM 27 - Genevan Psalter (altered)



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- 4. "Come, seek my face." O Lord, so you have spoken, and in response my heart says earnestly: "Your face I'll seek!" My vow will not be broken. Lord, hear me! Do not turn away from me, nor thrust your servant angrily aside, for you have ever been my help and guide. Do not forsake me, listen to my cry. On you, O God my Saviour, I rely.
- 5. My Father and my mother may forsake me: the Lord is faithful and his help is sure. Teach me your way. O Lord and Saviour, take me, lead me on pathways lev-el and secure, for evildoers lie in wait for me. Hand me not over to their tyranny. False witnesses against me still arise; they breathe out malice and abusive lies.
- 6. How I would have despaired in my affliction if I had not believed that in this life the Lord would show his goodness, his protection; I would have perished in my tears and strife. Wait for the Lord; be strong and undismayed. The Lord is faithful. Why then be afraid? Take courage, for his steadfast love is sure. Wait for the Lord. His mercy shall endure.