

# Our Gracious God Has Laid Secure Foundations

PSALM 87 - Genevan Psalter (altered)

Hypo-Mixolydian

A E/G# F#m D A

1. Our gra - cious God has laid se - cure foun - da - tions  
 2. What glo - rious things, O cit - y of God's fa - vour,  
 3. "The Cush - ite, the Phil - is - tine, and the Tyr - ian  
 4. It right - ly will be said of God's own cit - y,  
 5. This will the Lord write in the roll of na - tions:

A F#m C#m B7 E

and built his cit - y on Mount Zi - on's heights.  
 are said of you, pro - claimed in joy - ful tone:  
 I will now in my reg - is - ter in - scribe  
 "This one and that one were in Zi - on born,  
 "These, born in Zi - on, all to me be - long."

A E D E A

He loves her gates and he in them de - lights  
 "I num - ber E - gypt, e - ven Bab - y - lon,  
 and say of eve - ry na - tion, eve - ry tribe,  
 and as the Lord Most High him - self has sworn,  
 With joy - ful mu - sic they pro - claim in song:

F#m D E A B7 E

more than in all the towns of Ja - cob's na - tion.  
 a - mong all those who know me as their Sav - iour.  
 "This one was born with - in the walls of Zi - on."  
 he will up - hold her in his love and pit - y."  
 "In Zi - on are the springs of my sal - va - tion."

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