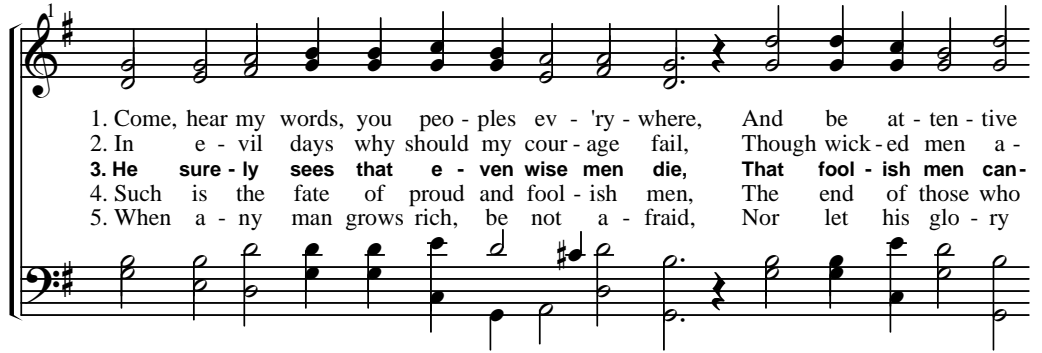


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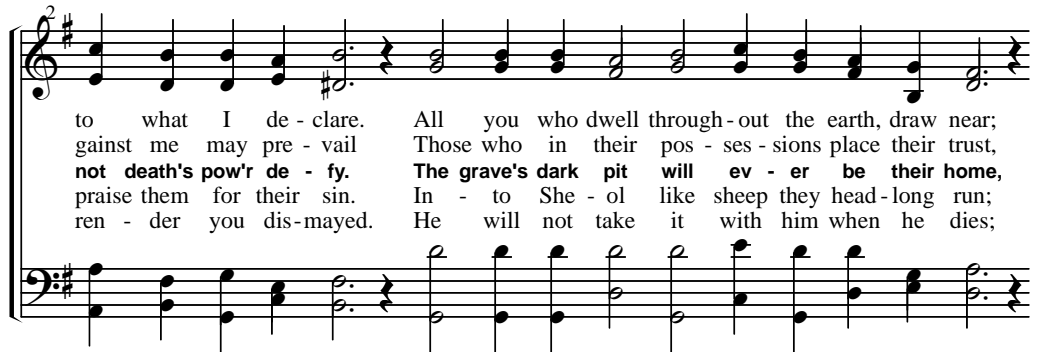
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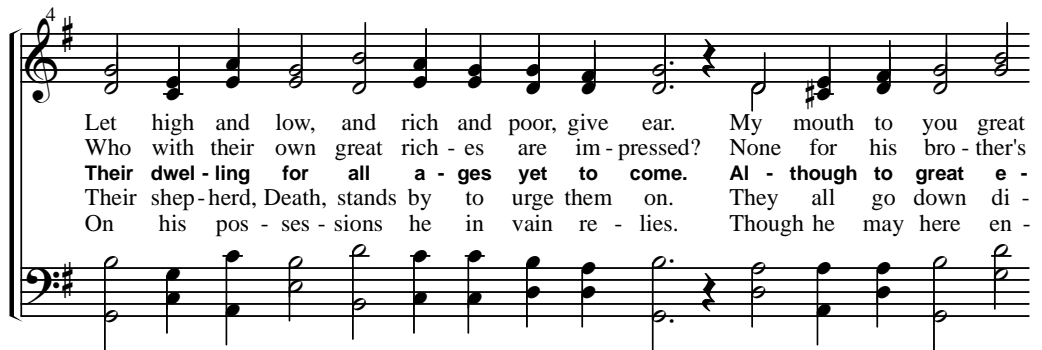
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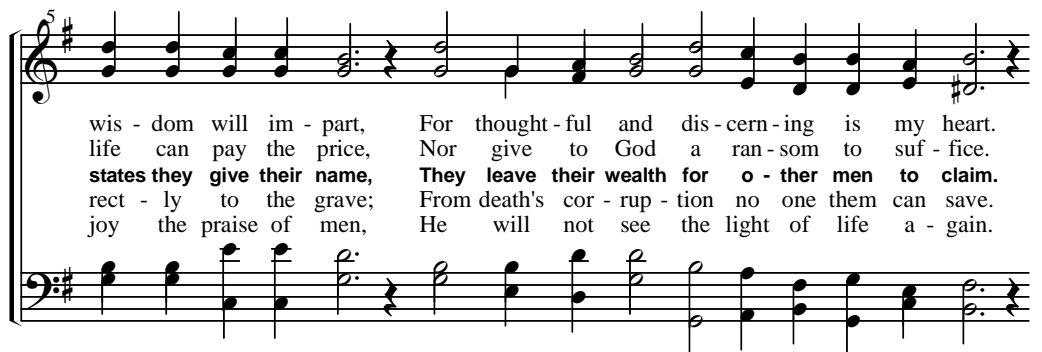
1. Come, hear my words, you peo - ples ev - 'ry - where, And be at - ten - tive
2. In e - vil days why should my cour - age fail, Though wick - ed men a -
3. **He sure - ly sees that e - ven wise men die, That fool - ish men can -**
4. Such is the fate of proud and fool - ish men, The end of those who
5. When a - ny man grows rich, be not a - fraid, Nor let his glo - ry



to what I de - clare. All you who dwell through - out the earth, draw near;
gainst me may pre - vail Those who in their pos - ses - sions place their trust,
not death's pow'r de - fy. The grave's dark pit will ev - er be their home,
praise them for their sin. In - to She - ol like sheep they head - long run;
ren - der you dis - mayed. He will not take it with him when he dies;



Let high and low, and rich and poor, give ear. My mouth to you great
Who with their own great rich - es are im - pressed? None for his bro - ther's
Their dwel - ling for all a - ges yet to come. Al - though to great e -
Their shep - herd, Death, stands by to urge them on. They all go down di -
On his pos - ses - sions he in vain re - lies. Though he may here en -



wis - dom will im - part, For thought - ful and dis - cern - ing is my heart.
life can pay the price, Nor give to God a ran - som to suf - fice.
states they give their name, They leave their wealth for o - ther men to claim.
rect - ly to the grave; From death's cor - rup - tion no one them can save.
joy the praise of men, He will not see the light of life a - gain.

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My ear now to a par - a - ble in - clin - ing,
 From death's de - cay man's wealth can save him nev - er,
For man, de - spite the rich - es he may cher - ish,
 But God will pay my ran - som and not leave me,
 For man, de - spite the rich - es he may cher - ish,

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I with the harp will show my rid - dle's mean - ing.
 And it will not let him live on for - ev - er.
Can - not a - bide but, like the beasts, will per - ish.
 For He in - to His glo - ry will re - ceive me.
 Can - not a - bide but, like the beasts, will per - ish.