Tis by Thy Strength the Mountains Stand

RAINBOW (C.M.)
Timothy Swan, 1788

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based on Psalm 65

1. Tis by Thy strength the mountains stand, God
   Melody

2. Thy morning light and evening shade
   Successive comforts bring;

(Soprano) The sea grows plenteous
(Alto) Thy

of eternal pow'r;

(Tenor) The sea grows calm plenteous fruits

And Thy tempests

(Bass) The sea grows plenteous

calm at Thy command,

fruits make harvest glad,

Thy flow'rs a -

sea - gives calm at Thy command,

make harvest glad,
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And tempests cease to roar.
Thy flow'rs adorn the spring.

Thy command, and Thy flow'rs adorn the spring,
Harvest glad, and Thy flow'rs adorn the spring.

Calm fruits at Thy command, and Thy tempests cease to roar.
Make harvest glad, and Thy tempests cease to roar.

3. Seasons and times, and moons and hours,
Heav'n, earth, and air are thine;
When clouds distill their fruitful showers,
The Author is divine.

4. Those wand'ring cisterns in the sky,
Borne by the winds around
With wat'ry treasures well supply
The furrows of the ground.

5. The thirsty ridges drink their fill,
And ranks of corn appear;
Thy ways abound with blessings still,
Thy goodness crowns the year.