

# The LORD Hear Thee in Troubled Times

Psalm 20

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Heinrich Schütz, 1661

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1. The LORD hear thee in trou - bled times, May Ja - cob's God de - fend thee,  
2. We will re - joice; sal - va - tion comes! In God's name lift our ban - ners.  
3. Some al - ways trust in char - i - ots And oth - ers trust in hors - es,

And send out strength from Zi - on's hill And from His sanc - tu - ar - y.  
May God ful - fill all thy re - quests And lift up all thy ban - ners.  
But we re - call our LORD and God, Strong past our own re - sourc - es.

May He re - call thine of - fer - ings, With all thy sac - ri - fic - es,  
Thus now I know God saves His own, God saves His own a - noin - ted.  
Our en - e - mies have fall - en low But we are held and up - right.

And grant thee all thy heart's de - sire, Ful - fill - ing all thy  
He al - ways hears, with His right hand He comes from heav'n a -  
So save us, LORD, our God and King As we in trou - ble

The image shows a musical score for two staves. The top staff is in treble clef and the bottom staff is in bass clef. Both staves have a key signature of one sharp (F#) and a common time signature (C). The lyrics are written below the notes. The melody consists of quarter and half notes, with some notes beamed together. The bass line provides a simple harmonic accompaniment with chords and single notes.

pur - pose, As His good grace suf - fic - es.  
bove us, And in the strength ap - point - ed.  
call Thee, As we in trou - ble call Thee.