

Hymn 95

O Thou, in Whose Presence

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D *A7* *D*
O Thou, in Whose presence my soul takes delight

D *E7* *A*
On Whom in affliction I call

D *G* *D* *A*
My comfort by day, and my song in the night

D *A* *D*
My hope, my salvation, my all

Where dost thou, dear Shepherd resort with thy sheep (*D A7 D*)

To feed them in pastures of love? (*D E7 A*)

Say, why in the valley of death should I weep (*D G D A*)

Or alone in this wilderness rove? (*D A D*)

Oh why should I wander, an alien from Thee (*D A7 D*)

Or cry in the desert for bread? (*D E7 A*)

Thy foes will rejoice when my sorrows they see (*D G D A*)

And smile at the tears I have shed (*D A D*)

He looks, and ten thousands of angels rejoice (*D A7 D*)

And myriads wait for His word (*D E7 A*)

He speaks and eternity, filled with His voice (*D G D A*)

Re-echoes the praise of the Lord (*D A D*)

Dear Shepherd, I hear and will follow Thy call (*D A7 D*)

I know the sweet sound of Thy voice (*D E7 A*)

Restore and defend me, for Thou art my all (*D G D A*)

And in Thee I will ever rejoice (*D A D*)