

# Hymn Lyrics

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## Praise to our God, whose bounteous hand

1. Praise to our God,  
Whose bounteous hand  
Prepared of old our glorious land;  
A garden fenced with silver sea;  
A people prosperous, strong, and free.

2. Praise to our God;  
through all our past  
His mighty arm hath held us fast;  
Till wars and perils, toils and tears,  
Have brought the rich  
and peaceful years.

3. Praise to our God; the vine He set  
Within our coasts is fruitful yet;  
On many a shore her offshoots grow;  
'Neath many a sun her clusters glow.

4. Praise to our God; His power alone  
Can keep unmoved our ancient throne,  
Sustained by counsels wise and just,  
And guarded by a people's trust.

5. Praise to our God; Who still forbears  
Who still this sinful nation spares,  
Who calls us still to seek His face,  
And lengthens out our day of grace.

6. Praise to our God;  
through chastenings stern  
Our evil dross should thoroughly burn,  
His rod and staff, from age to age,  
Shall rule and guide His heritage!