

Now May the God of Power and Grace  
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Now may the God of power and grace  
Attend His peoples humble cry!  
Jehovah hears when Israel prays,  
And brings deliverance from on high.

The name of Jacobs God defends  
Better than shields or brazen walls;  
He from His sanctuary sends  
Succor and strength, when Zion calls.

Well He remembers our sighs,  
His love exceeds our best deserts;  
His love accepts the sacrifice  
Of humble groans and broken hearts.

In His salvation is our hope,  
And in the name of Israels God,  
Our troops shall lift their banners up  
Our navies spread their flags abroad.

Some trust in horses trained for war,  
And some of chariots make their boasts;  
Our surest expectations are  
From Thee, the Lord of heavnly hosts.

O may the memory of Thy name  
Inspire our armies for the fight!  
Our foes shall fall and die with shame,  
Or quit the field with shameful flight.

Now save us, Lord, from slavish fear;  
Now let our hopes be firm and strong  
Till the salvation shall appear,  
And joy and triumph raise the song.