

My God, My God

Psalm Sunday of the Lord's Passion

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My — God, — my — God, why you a - ban-doned My —
God, — my — God, why you — doned me? —

The image shows two staves of musical notation in G major (one sharp) and 4/4 time. The first staff contains the melody for the first line of lyrics, and the second staff contains the melody for the second line. The lyrics are written below the notes, with some words underlined. A large, diagonal watermark reading 'SAMPLE' is overlaid across the entire page.

1. All who see me scoff at me;
they mock me with parted lips, they sneer at me;
“He relied on the LORD; let him deliver him;
let him rescue him, if the LORD loves him.”
2. Indeed, many dogs surround me,
a pack of evildoers closes in upon me.
They have pierced my hands and my feet;
I cannot count all my bones.
My heart is like wax, it is melted,
and my strength is like dry grass.
My heart is like a withered leaf,
and my strength is like a broken stalk.
I am like a chaff of wheat,
and I have been blown away.
My salvation is in the LORD,
for he will not forsake me.
3. They divide my garments among them,
and for my vesture they cast lots.
But you, O LORD, be not far from me;
O my help, hasten to aid me.
4. I will proclaim your name to my brethren;
in the midst of the assembly I will praise you:
“You who fear the LORD, praise him;
all you descendants of Jacob, give glory to him;
revere him, all you descendants of Israel!”

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