

# When that the Lord again his Sion had forth brought

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Paraphrased by William Whittingham (1524-79)

Psalm 126

Wolhampton, by John Bishop (1665-1737)

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[♩=96]

Soprano [Air]

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Alto

Tenor

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Bass

Keyboard

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Edited from Bishop's *A Set of New Psalm Tunes* (London, 1710)

Bishop underlays verse 1; verses 2-3 conjecturally added.

Bar 27 soprano note 1: original has g, but a is implied by the figured bass.

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