

It is a thing both good and meet

Paraphrased by John Hopkins (fl. 1562)

Ps 31 or 92, by John Bishop (1665-1737)

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Psalm 92 verses 1-4

[Air] $\text{♩} = 96$

Soprano

1. It is a thing both good and meet
 2. *To shew the kind - ness of the Lord,*
 3. On a ten - string - ed in - stru - ment,
 4. *For thou hast made me to re - joice*

Tenor

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4

S

And to thy name,
And to de - clare
 With all the mirth
That I have joy

A

To praise the high - est Lord, O thou most high,
Be - fore the day be light, his truth a - broad,
 On lute and harp so sweet, you can in - vent
In things so wrought by thee, in heart and voice

T

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11

S

To sing with one ac - cord:
When it doth draw to night;
 Of in - stru - ments most meet.
Thy han - dy works to see.

A

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Bishop underlays the first verse of Ps 92; verses 2-4 are conjecturally added.