

Praise, everlasting praise, be paid

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Isaac Watts (1674-1728)

Hymn 60, Book 2, verses 1, 2, 7 & 8

Phoenix, by Francis Roads (b. 1943)

♩=132

Soprano [Air]

Alto

Tenor

Bass

Symphony

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1. Praise, e - ver - las - ting praise, be paid To him that earth's foun - da - tion laid;
 2. **Praise to the good - ness of the Lord, Who rules his peo - ple by his word,**
 3. Then should the earth's old pil - lars shake, And all the wheels of na - ture break,
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This tune was composed aboard an American Airlines flight from Boston MA to Phoenix AR on 7th August 2016.

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And there, as strong as his de - crees, as
 Our stea - dy_ souls should fear no_ more, should
Where the e - ter - nal Buil - der reigns, the

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strong de - crees Sway the cre - a - tion as he please.
his de - crees, He sets his kind - est pro - mi - ses.
 fear no more Than so - lid rocks when bil - lows roar.
Buil - der reigns, And his own courts his pow'r sus - tains.

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