

The God of glory sends his summons forth

Paraphrased by Isaac Watts (1674-1748)

Ps 50, by Joseph Stephenson (c1723-1810)

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Psalm 50 verses 1, 2, 3 & 5 of Watts's version

[♩=100]

Soprano/
Tenor

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