

How pleased and blest was I

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Isaac Watts (1674-1748)

Psalms 122 verses 1-5

Southwark, anon.
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[♩=88]

Soprano/
Tenor [Air]

1. How pleased and blest was I To hear the peo - ple cry, "Come,
2. *Zi - on, thrice hap - - - py place, A-dorned with won - drous grace, And*
3. There Da - vid's grea - - - ter Son Has fixed his roy - al throne, He

Alto

1. was I To hear the peo - ple cry, "Come,
2. *Zi - on, A-dorned with won - drous grace, And*
3. The Son Has fixed his roy - al throne, He

Bass

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3. There Da - vid's grea - ter Son Has fixed his roy - al throne, He

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S/T

let us seek our God to - day!" Yes, with a cheer - ful zeal
walls of strength em - brace thee round; In thee our tribes ap - pear
sits for grace and judg - ment there: He bids the saint be glad,

A

let us seek our God to - day!" Yes, with a cheer - ful zeal
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B

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walls of strength em - brace thee round; In thee our tribes ap - pear
sits for grace and judg - ment there: He bids the saint be glad,

How pleased and blest was I

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S/T

We haste to Zi - on's hill, We haste to Zi - on's hill, We
To pray, and praise, and hear, *To pray, and praise, and hear,* *To*
 He makes the sin - ner sad, He makes the sin - ner sad, He

A

We haste to Zi - on's hill, We
To pray, and praise, and hear, *To*
 He makes the sin - ner sad, He

B

We haste to Zi - on's hill, We haste to Zi - on's
To pray, and praise, and hear, *To pray, and praise, and*
 He makes the sin - ner sad, He makes the sin - ner

19

S/T

haste to Zi - on's hill, And there our vows and ho - nours pay. pay.
pray, and praise, and hear *The sa - cred gos - pel's joy - ful sound. sound.*
 makes the sin - ner sad, And hum - ble souls re - joice with fear. fear.

A

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pray, and praise, and hear *The sa - cred gos - pel's joy - ful sound. sound.*
 makes the sin - ner sad, And hum - ble souls re - joice with fear. fear.

B

hill, We haste to Zi - on's hill, And there our ho - nours pay. pay. 42.2"
hear, To pray, and praise, and hear The gos - pel's joy - ful sound. sound.
 sad, He makes the sin - ner sad, And souls re - joice with fear. fear.

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