

CW Psalm 116

of the Reformation Psalter

Hymnal p. 107; Accompaniment p. 88

Chant by Charles Stanford (1852-1924)

Refrain: I will walk in the presence of the Lord, in the land of the living.

Musical notation for the first part of the chant. The tempo is marked $\text{J}=100$. The music consists of two staves: a soprano staff in treble clef and a basso continuo staff in bass clef. The soprano staff uses a common time signature (indicated by '8'). The lyrics are: "I love the Lord, for he heard my voice; he heard my cry for mercy." The basso continuo staff provides harmonic support with sustained notes and chords.

Musical notation for the second part of the chant. The music continues with the soprano and basso continuo staves. The lyrics are: "Because he turned his ear to me, I will call on him as long as I live." The soprano staff uses a common time signature (indicated by '8'). The basso continuo staff provides harmonic support.

Musical notation for the third part of the chant. The music continues with the soprano and basso continuo staves. The lyrics are: "The Lord is gracious and righteous;" The soprano staff uses a common time signature (indicated by '8'). The basso continuo staff provides harmonic support.

when I was in great need, he saved me.

Refrain: I will walk in the presence of the Lord, in the land of the living.

For you, O Lord, have delivered my soul from death,

my eyes from tears, my feet from stumbling.

How can I repay the Lord for all his goodness to me?

I will lift up the cup of sal - va - tion and call on the name of the Lord.

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Ho - ly Spir - it,

as it was in the be - gin - ning, is now, and will be for - ev - er. A - men.

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