

# CW Psalm 85

*of the Reformation Psalter*

Hymnal p. 97; Accompaniment p. 78

Chant by George Elvey (1816-1893)

**Refrain: I will hear what the Lord proclaims: peace to his people.**

$\text{♩} = 98$

You showed favor to your land, O Lord;

The first system of music features a vocal line in treble clef and a piano accompaniment in bass clef. The key signature has one sharp (F#). The tempo is marked as quarter note = 98. The lyrics are: "You showed favor to your land, O Lord;"

you restored the fortunes of Ja - cob.

The second system of music continues the vocal line and piano accompaniment. The lyrics are: "you restored the fortunes of Ja - cob."

You forgave the iniquity of your peo - ple and cov - ered all their sins.

The third system of music continues the vocal line and piano accompaniment. The lyrics are: "You forgave the iniquity of your peo - ple and cov - ered all their sins."

Show us your unfailing love, O Lord, and grant us your sal - va - tion.

The fourth system of music concludes the refrain with the vocal line and piano accompaniment. The lyrics are: "Show us your unfailing love, O Lord, and grant us your sal - va - tion."

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I will listen to what God the Lord will say;

The first line of musical notation consists of a treble and bass staff in G major. The treble staff begins with a whole note chord of G4 and B4. The bass staff begins with a whole note chord of G2 and B2. The melody in the treble staff continues with a half note G4, a quarter note A4, and a quarter note B4. The bass line continues with a half note G2, a quarter note A2, and a quarter note B2.

he promises peace to his peo - ple, his saints.

The second line of musical notation continues the melody. The treble staff has a whole rest for the first measure, followed by a half note G4, a quarter note A4, and a quarter note B4. The bass staff has a whole note chord of G2 and B2, followed by a half note G2, a quarter note A2, and a quarter note B2.

Surely his salvation is near to those who fear him,

The third line of musical notation continues the melody. The treble staff has a whole note chord of G4 and B4, followed by a half note G4, a quarter note A4, and a quarter note B4. The bass staff has a whole note chord of G2 and B2, followed by a half note G2, a quarter note A2, and a quarter note B2.

that his glory may dwell in our land.

The fourth line of musical notation continues the melody. The treble staff has a whole note chord of G4 and B4, followed by a half note G4, a quarter note A4, and a quarter note B4. The bass staff has a whole note chord of G2 and B2, followed by a half note G2, a quarter note A2, and a quarter note B2.

Love and faithfulness meet to - geth - er;

righteousness and peace kiss each oth - er.

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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