

## God Is Here!

ABBOT'S LEIGH 8.7.8.7 D

Fred Pratt Green, 1979; rev. 1988

Cyril Vincent Taylor, 1941

1. God is here! As we Your peo - ple Meet to of - fer  
 2. Here are sym - bols to re - mind us Of our life - long  
 3. Here our chil - dren find a wel - come In the Shep - herd's  
 4. Lord of all, of church and king - dom, In an age of

praise and prayer, May we find in ful - ler mea - sure What it  
 need of grace; Here are ta - ble, font, and pul - pit; Here the  
 flock and fold, Here, as bread and wine are tak - en, Christ sus -  
 change and doubt Keep us faith - ful to the gos - pel, Help us

is in Christ we share. Here, as in the world a - round us,  
 cross has cen - tral place. Here in hon - es - ty of preach - ing,  
 tains us as of old. Here the ser - vants of the Ser - vant  
 work Your pur - pose out. Here, in this day's ded - i - ca - tion,

All our var - ied skills and arts Wait the com - ing  
 Here in si - lence, as in speech, Here, in new - ness  
 Seek in wor - ship to ex - plore What it means in  
 All we have to give, re - ceive: We, who can - not

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of the Spir - it In - to o - pen minds and hearts.  
 and re - new - al, God the Spir - it comes to each.  
 dai - ly liv - ing To be - lieve and to a - dore.  
 live with - out You, We a - dore You! We be - lieve!

# 87 Fairest Lord Jesus

Your eyes will see the King in His beauty. Isaiah 33:17

1. Fair - est Lord Je - sus; Rul - er of all na - ture, O Thou of  
 2. Fair are the mead - ows; Fair - er still the wood - lands, Robed in the  
 3. Fair is the sun - shine; Fair - er still the moon - light And all the  
 4. Beau - ti - ful Sav - ior! Lord of the na - tions! Son of

God and man the Son. Thee will I cher - ish; Thee will I  
 bloom - ing garb of spring. Je - sus is fair - er; Je - sus is  
 twin - kling star - ry host. Je - sus shines bright - er; Je - sus shines  
 God and Son of man! Glo - ry and hon - or, Praise, ad - o -

hon - or, Thou my soul's glo - ry, joy, and crown.  
 pur - er, Who makes the woe - ful heart to sing. *Optional*  
 pur - er Than all the an - gels heav'n can boast. *transition to*  
 ra - tion, Now and for - ev - er - more be Thine! *"More Precious*  
*than Silver"*

TEXT: Anonymous German hymn, *Münster Gesangbuch*, 1677; translated, Source unknown, stanzas 1-3; Joseph A. Seiss, stanza 4

MUSIC: *Schlesische Volkslieder*, 1842; arranged by Richard S. Willis

A lower setting may be found at No. 452

CRUSADERS' HYMN  
5.6.8.5.5.8.

# 548 As the Deer

As the deer pants for water, so my soul pants for You. Psalm 42:1

*Harmony optional*

D A C# F#m A7 Bm G6 B G A D G6 D A G A7 sus A7 D4 D

1. As the deer pant-eth for the wa-ter, So my soul long-eth af - ter Thee.  
 2. You're my friend and You are my broth-er, E-ven though You are a King.  
 3. I want You more than gold or sil-ver, On-ly You can sat - is - fy.

D A C# F#m A7 Bm G6 B G A D G6 D A G GM7 A G A D C#

You a - lone are my heart's de - sire, And I long to wor - ship Thee.  
 I love You more than an - y oth-er, So much more than an - y - thing.  
 You a - lone are the real joy giv-er, And the ap - ple of my eye.

*Refrain* Bm Bm A G A9 G D F# G Bm F#

You a - lone are my strength, my shield; To You a - lone may my

Em Em7 F#sus F# F# E D A C# F#m A7

spir - it yield. You a - lone are my

Bm G6 B G A D G6 D A G GM7 A G A D

heart's de - sire, And I long to wor - ship Thee.

TEXT: Martin Nystrom  
 MUSIC: Martin Nystrom

AS THE DEER  
 Irregular meter

# Open My Eyes That I May See 563

Open my eyes that I may see wonderful things in Your law. Psalm 119:18

$A^b$   $A^bM7$   $A^b6$   $A^b$   $A^b6$   $E^b9$   $E^b7$   $E^b7$   $D^b$   $E^b7$   $F^m$   $A^b$

1. O - pen my eyes that I may see Glimp-ses of truth Thou hast for me;  
 2. O - pen my ears that I may hear Voic - es of truth Thou send-est clear;  
 3. O - pen my mouth and let me bear Glad - ly the warm truth ev - ery - where;

$C7$   $F^m$   $C7$   $F^m$   $C7$   $F^m$   $B^b7$   $G^m$   $B^b7$   $B^b$   $G^m$

Place in my hands the won - der - ful key That shall un-clasp and  
 And while the wave - notes fall on my ear, Ev - ery - thing false will  
 O - pen my heart, and let me pre - pare Love with Thy chil - dren

*Refrain*

$G^m$   $B^b7$   $E^b$   $A^b$   $A^bM7$   $A^b6$   $A^b$   $A^b6$   $E^b9$   $E^b7$   $E^b7$   $D^b$   $E^b7$

set me free. Si - lent - ly now I wait for Thee, Read - y, my God, Thy  
 dis - ap - pear. Si - lent - ly now I wait for Thee, Read - y, my God, Thy  
 thus to share. Si - lent - ly now I wait for Thee, Read - y, my God, Thy

$F^m$   $A^b$   $A^b$   $E^b$   $A^b$   $A^b7$   $D^b6$   $D^b$   $E^b7$   $A^b$

will to see; O - pen my eyes, il - lu - mine me, Spir - it di - vine.  
 will to see; O - pen my ears, il - lu - mine me, Spir - it di - vine.  
 will to see; O - pen my heart, il - lu - mine me, Spir - it di - vine.