

# Await The Lord With Hope

Based on Psalm 25:3; Isaiah 40:3;  
James 5:8; Zephaniah 3:14-18; Luke 1:45

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Arranged by Craig Kingsbury

**\*REFRAIN:** (♩ = ca. 88)

**All:**

**Soprano Alto**  
A - wait the Lord with hope. A - wait the Lord with joy. Keep

**Tenor Bass**

**Keyboard**

1-5 to Verses Final Fine

vig - il for the com - ing of the reign of God. God. \_\_\_\_\_

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**\*As recorded, the refrain may be played as an introduction.**

## VERSES: Cantor/Choir

Cantor(s)



1. Those who wait for God:  
 2. Pre - pare a way for the Lord, a  
 3. Let your hearts be strong,  
 4. Daugh - ter Zi - on, re - joice; the  
 5. Bless - ed are those who be - lieve

S  
A

1.-5. Ooh Ooh Ooh

T  
B



T  
B



1. they shall not be put to shame.  
 2. path of jus - tice for our God.  
 3. for the Lord is com - ing soon.  
 4. Lord your God is in your midst.  
 5. that God's prom - ise shall come true.

D.C.

1.-5. (ooh)



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Capo 5: (Am) (G/B) (C) (Dm) (Gsus4) (G)  
Dm C/E F Gm Csus4 C

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(E/G#) (E) (Am) (F) (Dm) 1-5 (Esus4) (E) Final (Esus4) (E)  
A/C# A Dm Bb Gm Asus4 A Asus4 A Fine

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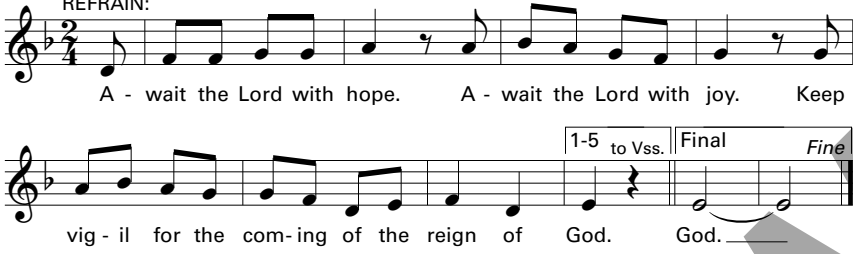


## Assembly Edition

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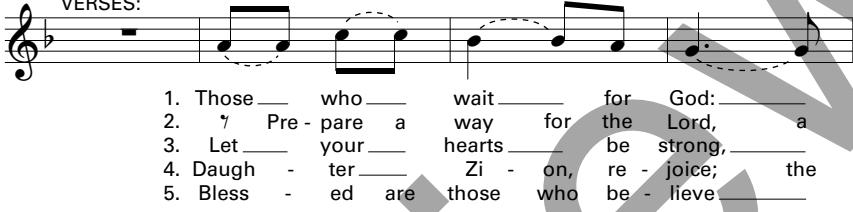
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to Refrain

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## Performance Notes

*Await The Lord With Hope* features a dialogue structure of proclamation and exhortation. Phrases from the Advent scriptures are proclaimed by cantor(s) or choir, and the assembly answers with the exhortation, "Await the Lord with hope . . .". Verses follow the chronology of the Advent readings, so one may do the first two or three verses in the first half of the season, saving the others for the latter weeks.