

# PSALM 89: FOR EVER I WILL SING THE GOODNESS OF THE LORD

REFRAIN: 1st time: Cantor, All repeat; thereafter: All

Descant

Melody

For ev - er I will sing of the Lord.

For ev - er I will sing the good-ness of the Lord.

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*Fine*

D Bm Bm/A G A7sus4 A D

\*VERSES: Cantor/Choir

Soprano D A

Alto

Tenor

Bass

1. I have made a covenant with my chosen one,  
forever will I confirm your pos - terity

2. Blessed the people who know the joy - ful shout;  
At your name they rejoice all the day,

3. He shall say of me, "You are my father,  
Forever I will maintain my kind - ness toward him,

4. The promises of the LORD I will sing for - ever,  
For you have said, "My kindness is estab - lished for - ever;"

5. You are the splendor of their strength,  
For to the LORD be - longs our shield,

G D (D.C.)

1. I have sworn to Da - vid my serv-ant:  
and establish your throne for all gen - er - ations.

2. in the light of your countenance, O LORD, they walk.  
and through your justice they are ex - alted.

3. my God, the rock, my savior."  
and my covenant with him stands firm.

4. through all generations my mouth shall pro - claim your faithfulness.  
in heaven you have con - firmed your faithfulness.

5. and by your favor our horn is ex - alted.  
and to the Holy One of Isra - el, our king.

\*4th Sunday in Advent, Year B: Verses 4, 1, 3; Christmas: Verses 1, 2, 3; 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year A: Verses 4, 2, 5.

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