

Jeremy Belknap, 1795
Based on Nahum Tate and Nicholas
Brady, 1698, and James Merrick, 1765
(Psalm 64) 88. 88. (L. M.)

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D minor
Samuel Holyoke, 1803

Tr. 1. O Lord, to our re - quest give ear, And free our souls from

T. 2 Be - hold the slaugh - ter - brea - thing throng, Whet like a sword their

B. 3. But wret - ches, whi - ther will ye con - fly? Be - hold the ar - row
4. The world shall then God's power con - fess, His wis - dom, love, and

Tr. hos - tile fear; For craf - ty men, of im - pious mind, Their powers in se - cret

T. threa - tening tongue And bend their bows, to shoot their darts, A - gainst the men of

B. from on high! De - scends and bears up - on its wing The wrath of heav'n's of -
righ - teous - ness; And men shall see, with reve - rend thought, The won - ders that his

Tr. league com - bines: With fac - tious rage their plots de - vise, And vent their ma - lice,

T. up - right hearts; In works of mis - chief they a - gree, And vain - ly think that

B. fend - ded King! Your slan - ders on your - selves shall fall, Ha - ted, de - spised, and
hand hath wrought, While all shall own his dea - lings just, The righ - teous in his

Tr. mixed with lies, And vent their ma - lice, mixed with lies.

T. none will see, And vain - ly think that none will see.

B. shunned by all, Ha - ted, de - spised, and shunned by all.
name shall trust, The righ - teous in his name shall trust.

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1. Measures 2 and 6, *Tenor*: third note changed from C to A.
2. Measure 4, *Bass*: third note changed from A to B.

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