

HYMN 65

Formerly Hymn 52

Lo, Round the Throne, a Glorious Band

Revelation 7:13-15 and 5:9-10

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Supplement to the New Version, 1708

1. Lo, round the throne, a glo-ri-ous band,
the saints in count-less myr-iads stand,
of eve-ry tongue, re-deemed to God,
ar-rayed in gar-ments washed in blood.
Through trib-u-la-tion great they came;
they bore their cross, des-pised the shame.

The musical score is written on six staves. The first staff is a treble clef, and the remaining five are bass clefs. The key signature has two flats (B-flat and E-flat), and the time signature is 4/4. The melody is primarily in the bass clefs, with some notes in the treble clef. The lyrics are printed below the staves, with some words hyphenated across lines.

2. From all their labours now they rest,
in God's eternal glory blest.
They see their Saviour face to face,
and sing the triumphs of His grace;
Him day and night they ceaseless praise,
to Him the loud thanksgiving raise:
3. "Worthy the Lamb, for sinners slain,
through endless years to live and reign;
Thou hast redeemed us by Thy blood,
and made us kings and priests to God."
O may we wage the glorious strife,
and win, like them, the crown of life.