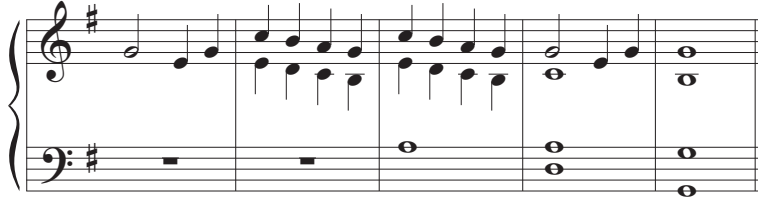


Psalm 54

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Introduction. Cantor sings refrain. All repeat refrain. Cantor sings verses. All sing refrain after each group of verses. In the psalm-tone the singer leaves the reciting note on the underlined word or syllable.

Introduction



God is my help-er, the Most High sus-tains my life.

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- (1) Save me, O God, by your name; in your might, defend my cause.
- (2) Hear my prayer, O God; give ear to the words of my mouth.
- (3) For the arrogant have risen up against me,
- (4) and the ruthless have sought my life, those who have no regard for God. **Refrain.**

- (1) Behold, God is my helper; it is the Most High who sustains my life.
- (2) Render evil to those who spy on me; in your faithfulness destroy them.
- (3) I will offer you a freewill sacrifice and praise your name, O God, for it is good.
- (4) For you have rescued me from every trouble, and my eye has seen the ruin of my foes. **Refrain.**