

Psalm 126

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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

Our God has done great things for us, and we are glad in deed.

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- (1) When God restored the fortunes of Zion,
- (2) then were we like those who dream.
- (3) Then was our mouth filled with laughter,
- (4) and our tongue with shouts of joy. **R.**

- (1) Then they said among the nations,
- (2) "Our God has done great things for them."
- (3) Our God has done great things for us,
- (4) and we are glad indeed. **R.**

- (2) Restore our fortunes, O God,
- (4) like the watercourses of the Negev. **R.**

- (1) Those who sowed with tears
- (2) will reap with songs of joy.
- (3) Those who go out weeping, carrying their seed,
- (4) will come again with joy, shouldering their sheaves. **R.**