

How Awesome Is Your Name

Psalm 8

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Joseph Tyrapk

Chords: B^b, B^b/D, G min, F, B^b, E^b, B^b/D, F, B^b

vv: 1-2 1. O LORD, our Lord, How awe - some is Your name in all the earth.
vv: 3-4 2. When I be - hold the mid - night sky— the work Your fin - gers made—
vv: 5-8 3. Yet man is crowned with maj - es - ty— with loft - y hon - or graced.
*see below 4. Our Lord and Mak - er, Je - sus Christ, took on Him hu - man flesh;
*see below 5. But Christ a rose as King of kings, the sov - 'reign Lord of all!

* Stanza 4 (Hebrews 2:5-9; Matthew 21:15-16); Stanza 5 (Ephesians 1:22; Philippians 2:9-11; Psalm 8:9)

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The skies dis - play Your maj - es - ty; Your fame from them pours forth.
The moon holds fast my marv - ling eyes; the stars ar - rest my gaze.
You sta - tioned him just un - der - neath the high an - gel - ic race.
Be - low the an - gels for a time, in low - li - ness He dressed.
God placed all things be - neath His feet; each knee to Him will fall.

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You choose the weak and fool - ish things to shame the strong and wise,
I ques - tion why You care for man; I can - not com - pre - hend
Ap - point - ed by Your sov - 'reign hand, he reigns as na - ture's prince
Small chil - dren hailed Mes - si - ah's fame: "Ho - san - na!" loud they cried;
We praise the name of Je - sus Christ, the name of high - est worth:

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And si - lence boast - ing en - e - mies with nurs - ing ba - bies' cries.
Why You who formed this vast ex - pane would hum - bly con - de - scend.
O'er ev - 'ry beast that roams the land or in the o - cean swims.
While all His foes re - plied, in - flamed, "Let Him be cru - ci - fied!"
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