Leader: 1 O God, Thou art my God; early will I seek Thee: my soul thirsteth for Thee, my flesh longeth for Thee in a dry and thirsty land, where no water is;

Response: **2 To see Thy power and Thy glory, so as I have seen Thee in the sanctuary.**

Leader: 3 Because Thy lovingkindness is better than life, my lips shall praise Thee.

Response: **4 Thus will I bless Thee while I live: I will lift up my hands in Thy name.**

Leader: 5 My soul shall be satisfied as with marrow and fatness; and my mouth shall praise Thee with joyful lips:

Response: **6 When I remember Thee upon my bed, and meditate on Thee in the night watches.**

Leader: 7 Because Thou hast been my help, therefore in the shadow of Thy wings will I rejoice.

Response: **8 My soul followeth hard after Thee: Thy right hand upholdeth me.**

Leader: 9 But those that seek my soul, to destroy it, shall go into the lower parts of the earth.

Response: **10 They shall fall by the sword: they shall be a portion for foxes.**

Leader: 11 But the king shall rejoice in God;

Response: **every one that sweareth by Him shall glory: but the mouth of them that speak lies shall be stopped.**