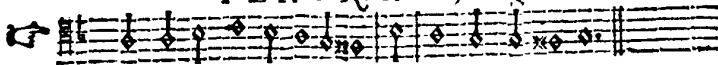


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3 They blessed are that iudgement keep,  
and iustly doe alway:

VVith fauour of thy people Lord,  
rememberme I pray.

4 And vvith thy suing health, O Lord,  
vouchsafe to visit me:  
That I the great felicitie  
of thine elect may see.

5 And vvith thy peoples toy I may  
a ioyfull minde possesse:  
And may vvith thine inheritance  
a glorying heart expresse.

6 Both vve and eke our fathers all  
haue sinned euery one:  
VVe haue committed vvickeednesse,  
and lewdly vve haue done.

7 The vvonders great vvich thou O  
hast done in Egypt land: (Lord  
Our fathers though they saw them all  
yet did not vnderstand.

Nor yet thy mercies multitude  
did keepe in thankefull minde:  
But at the sea, yea, the red sea,  
rebelled most vnkinde.

8 Neuertheless he saued them  
for honour of his name:  
That he might make his povver known,  
and spread abroad his fame.

9 The red sea he did then rebuke,  
and forth vvith it vvas dride:  
And as in vvildernesse, so through  
the deepe he did them guide.

10 He sau'd them from the cruell hand  
of their detpitefull foe:  
And from the enemies hand he did  
deliuer them also.

The second part.

11 The vvaters their oppressors vvhelmd,  
not one vvas left aliue: (praise  
12 Then they beleue'd his vvords and

in song they did him giue.  
13 But by and by vnthankfully  
his vvords they cleane forgot:  
And for his counsell and his lavv  
they did neglect to vwayte.

14 But lusted in the vvildernesse  
vvith fond and greedy lust:  
And in the desart tempted God,  
the slayor all their trust.  
15 And then their vvanton mindes desire  
he suffered them to haue:  
But vvasking leannesse the: vvithball  
into their soules he gaue.

16 Then vvhen they lodged in their tents  
at Moses they did grutch:  
Aaron the holy of the Lord  
sodid they enuy much.

17 Therefore the earth die open vvide,  
and Dathan did deuoure:  
And all Abirams company  
did couer in that houre.

18 In their assemblies kindled vvas  
the hot consuming fire:  
And vvasting flame did then burne vp  
the vvicked in his ire.

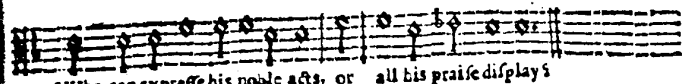
19 Vpon the hill of Horeb they  
an Idoll calfe did frame:  
And there the molton Imagethey  
did vvorship of the same.

20 Into the likenesse of a calfe  
that feedeth on the grasse:  
Thus they their glo y turnde, and all  
their honour did deface.

21 And God their onely Saviour  
vnkindely they forgot,  
VWhich many great and mighty things  
in Egyptland had vvrought.

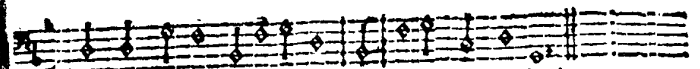
The third part.

22 And in the land of Ham for them  
most vvondrous things had done:



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BASSVS.



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And by the red sea dreadfull things  
performed long agone.  
23 Therefore for their so shevving them  
forgetfull and vnkinde,  
To bring destruction on them all  
he purposde in his minde.

Had: or his chosen Moses stood  
before him in the breake,  
To turne his vvyrath lest he on them  
vvith slaughter should him vvreake.  
24 They did despise the pleasant land  
that he behight to giue:  
Yea, and the vvords that he had spoke  
they did no vvhit beleue.

25 But in their tents vvith grudging hart  
they vvick dly repiade:  
Nor to the voyce of God the Lord  
they gaue an hearkening minde.  
26 Therefore against them listid hee  
his strong reuenging hand  
Them to destroy in vvildernesse,  
ere they should see the land.

27 And to destroy their seed among  
the nations vvith his rod:  
And through the countries of the vvorld  
to scatter them abroad.  
28 To Baall Peor then they did  
adioyne themselves also:  
And are the offerings of the dead,  
so they forsooke him the.

29 Thus vvith their ovne inuentions  
his vvyrath they did pro: oke:  
And in his so inkinded vvyrath,  
the plague vpon them broke.  
30 But Phinees stood vp vvith zeale  
the sinners vile to slay:  
And iudgement he did execute,  
and then the plague did slay.

The fourth part.

31 It vvas imputed vnto him  
for righteousnesse that day:  
And from thence forth so counted is  
from race to race for aye.  
32 At vvaters eke of Meribah  
they did him angry make:  
Yea, so farre forth that Moses vvas  
then punishd for their sake.

33 Because they vext his spirit so sore,  
that in impatient heat,  
His lips spake vnadvisedly,  
his feruor vvas so great.  
34 Nor as the Lord commanded them  
they slew the people the.  
But vvere among the heathen mixt,  
and learnde their vvorkes also.

35 And did their Idols serue, vvich vvere  
their ruine and decay:  
37 To sende their sons and daughters  
did offer vp and slay: (they  
38 Yea, vvith vnkindely murdering knife  
the guiltlesse blood they spilt:  
Yea, their ovne sons & daughters blood  
vvithout all cause of guilt.

VWhom they to Canaan Idols then  
offred vvith vvicked hand:  
And so vvith blood of innocents  
defiled vvas their land.  
39 Thus vvere they stained vvith the  
of their ovne filthy vvay: (vvorkes  
And vvith their ovne inuentions  
a vvhorring they did stray.

40 Therefore against his people vvas  
the Lords vvyrath kindled fore:  
And euen his ovne inheritance  
ther: fore he did aborre.  
41 Into the hands of heathen men  
he gaue them for a pray: (they  
And made their foes their Lords, vvithout  
verre  
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