

PSALM 84: HOW LOVELY IS YOUR DWELLING PLACE

REFRAIN: *Gently* (♩ = ca. 116) 1st time: Cantor, All repeat; thereafter: All

(a tempo) Em Em/D# Em7/D Em6/C# C

How love - ly is your dwell - ing place, O Lord

Am7 B7 **VERSE 1: Cantor/Choir** Em9 Em6

Fine Melody Harmony

God of Hosts! 1. My soul yearns and pines for the

Em9 Em6 F Em B7

1. courts of the Lord, my heart and my flesh cry out;

Em9 Em6 Em9 Em6 F

1. e - ven the spar - row may find a home, the swal - low a nest for her

Em F Em rit. B7 *D.C.*

1. young; your al - tars, my king and my God!

VERSE 2: Cantor/Choir

Em9 Em6 Em9 Em6

2. How hap - py are they who may dwell in your courts, how

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F Em B7 Em9

2. hap - py when you are their strength; _____ though they might

Em6 Em9 Em6 F

2. go through the val - ley of death, they make it a place of

Em F Em rit. B7 D.C.

2. springs. _____ Your first rain will bring it to life. _____

VERSE 3: Cantor/Choir

Em9 Em6 Em9 Em6 F

3. O Lord _____ of Hosts, hear _____ my cry, and hear - ken, O

Em B7 Em9 Em6

3. God of Ja - cob; _____ one day in your house is worth

Em9 Em6 F Em

3. much more to me than ten thou - sand an - y - where else; _____

F Em rit. B7 D.C. al fine

3. _____ the Lord is my sun and my shield! _____