

35. PLEAD MY CAUSE

Em (riff)

Plead my cause, O Lord,

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with them that strive with me:

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Fight against them that fight against me.

A D A D

Take hold of shield and buckler, and stand up for mine help.

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Draw out also the spear, and stop the way against them that persecute me:

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Say unto my soul, I am thy salvation. Let them be confounded and put to shame

G D Em Csus4 G

That seek after my soul: let them be turned back and brought to confusion that devise my hurt.

Em (riff)

Let them be as chaff before the wind: and let the angel of the Lord chase them.

Let their way be dark and slippery: and let the angel of the Lord persecute them.

A D A D Em

For without cause have they hid for me their net in a pit, which without cause they have digged for my soul.

Em (riff)

Let destruction come upon him at unawares; and let his net that he hath hid catch himself:

Into that very destruction let him fall.

G D Em Csus4 G

I will give thee thanks in the great congregation: I will praise thee among much people.

G D Em Csus4 G

Let not them that are mine enemies wrongfully rejoice over me:

Em (riff)

Neither let them wink with the eye that hate me without a cause.

For they speak not peace: but they devise deceitful matters against them that are quiet in the land.

A D A D Em (riff)

Yea, they opened their mouth wide against me, and said, Aha, aha, our eye hath seen it.

Em (riff)

This thou hast seen, O Lord: keep not silence: O Lord, be not far from me.

Stir up thyself, and awake to my judgment, even unto my cause, my God and my Lord.

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Let them shout for joy, and be glad, that favour my righteous cause: yea,

G D Em Csus4

Let them say continually, Let the Lord be magnified,

G D Em Csus4

Which hath pleasure in the prosperity of his servant.

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And my tongue shall speak of thy righteousness and of thy praise all the day long.

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O.....O.....Lord, plead my cause