



### Psalm 68:1–10

**1** God shall arise, his enemies shall be | scattered; \*  
and those who hate him shall flee be- | fore him!

**2** As smoke is driven away, so you shall drive | them away; \*  
as wax melts before fire,  
so the wicked shall perish be- | fore God!

**3** But the righteous shall be glad;  
they shall exult be- | fore God; \*  
they shall be jubilant | with joy!

**4** Sing to God, sing praises | to his name; \*  
lift up a song to him who rides through the deserts;  
his name is the LORD;  
exult be- | fore him!

**5** Father of the fatherless and protector of | widows \*  
is God in his holy habi- | tation.

**6** God settles the solitary in a home;  
he leads out the prisoners to pros- | perity, \*  
but the rebellious dwell in a | parched land.

**7** O God, when you went out before your | people, \*  
when you marched through the | wilderness,

**8** the earth quaked, the heavens poured down rain,  
before God, the One of | Sinai, \*  
before God, the God of | Israel.

**9** Rain in abundance, O God, you | shed abroad; \*  
you restored your inheritance as it | languished;

**10** your flock found a dwell- | ing in it; \*  
in your goodness, O God, you provided for the | needy.