



Psalm 18:1–6

The Lord Is My Rock and My Fortress

1 I | love you,*
O | Lord, my strength.

2 The Lord is my rock and my fortress and my de- | liverer,*
my God, my rock, in whom I take refuge,
my shield, and the horn of my salvation, my | stronghold.

3 I call upon the Lord,
who is worthy | to be praised,*
and I am saved from my | enemies.

4 The cords of death en- | compassed me;*
the torrents of destruction as- | sailed me;

5 the cords of Sheol en- | tangled me;*
the snares of death con- | fronted me.

6 In my distress I called upon the Lord;
to my God I | cried for help.*
From his temple he heard my voice,
and my cry to him | reached his ears.