

Before the Lord's Eternal Throne (P208)

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Genevan Psalter arr. Will Cockram

Bm Em C G/D D G C G D G D/F# Em G/B

Be - fore the Lord's e -
His so - vereign power, with
We'll crowd your gates with
Wide as the world is

7 C D G D/F# Em C G/B D Em

ter - nal throne, all na - tions, bow with ho - ly joy; know
out our aid, formed us and fa - shioned us of old; and
thank - ful songs, high as the heavens our voi - ces raise; and
your com - mand, vast as e - ter - ni - ty your love; firm

14 D/F# G D/F# Em C D Em D/F#

that the Lord is God a - lone, he
when like wan - dering sheep we strayed, he
earth, with her ten thou - sand tongues, shall
as a rock your truth shall stand when

18 G Am7 G/D D G C G D G

can cre - ate and can des - troy.
brought us back in - to his fold.
fill your courts with joy - ful praise.
rol - ling years have ceased to move.

1. Before the Lord's eternal throne,
all nations, bow with holy joy;
know that the Lord is God alone,
he can create and can destroy.

2. His sovereign power, without our aid,
formed us and fashioned us of old;
and when like wandering sheep we strayed,
he brought us back into his fold.

3. We'll crowd your gates with thankful songs,
high as the heavens our voices raise;
and earth, with her ten thousand tongues,
shall fill your courts with joyful praise.

4. Wide as the world is your command,
vast as eternity your love;
firm as a rock your truth shall stand
when rolling years have ceased to move.