





**R.**  Sing with joy to God our help.


**1**  Take up a mel - o - dy, and **sound** the tim - brel, the pleas - ant harp **and** the lyre.


 Blow the trum - pet at **the** new moon, at the full moon, on our **sol** - emn feast.


**2**  For it is a stat - **ute** in Is - ra - ël, an or - di - nance of the **God** of Ja - cob,

 Who made it a de - **cree** for Jo - seph when he came forth from the **land** of E - gypt.

**3**  An un - fa - **mil** - iar speech I hear: "I re - lieved his shoul - der **of** the bur - den;

 his hands were freed **from** the bas - ket. In dis - tress you called, **and** I res - cued you."

**4**  "There shall be no strange **god** a - mong you nor shall you wor - ship an - y **al** - ien god.

 I, the Lord, **am** your God who led you forth from the **land** of E - gypt."