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**1**  Up - right is the word *of* the Lord, and all his *works* are trust - wor - thy.

 He loves jus - *tice* and right; of the kind - ness of the Lord the *earth* is full.


**2**  By the word of the Lord the heav - *ens* were made; by the breath of his

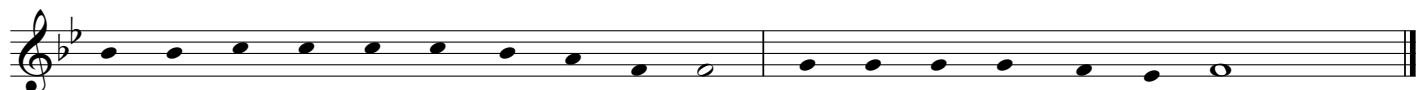
 mouth *all* their host. *For he* spoke, and *it* was made; he com - mand - ed, and *it* stood forth.

**3**  See, the eyes of the Lord are up - on *those* who fear him,

 up - on those who hope *for* his kind - ness, *To de - liv - er them* from death

 and pre - serve them in *spite* of fam - ine.

**4**  Our soul waits *for* the Lord, who is our help *and* our shield.

 *May your* kind - ness, O Lord, *be* up - on us who have put our *hope* in you.