

'Tis by Thy Strength the Mountains Stand

RAINBOW (C.M.)
Timothy Swan, 1788

Psalm 65

Isaac Watts, 1719
based on Psalm 65

1. 'Tis by Thy strength the moun-tains stand, God
2. Thy morn - ing light and ev - 'ning shade Suc -

Melody

(Soprano) The sea grows
Thy plen - - - teous

of e - ter - nal pow'r;
ces - sive com - forts bring;

(Alto) The
Thy

calm at Thy com - mand, And tem - pests
fruits make har - vest glad, Thy flow'rs a -

sea grows calm at Thy com - mand,
plen - - - teous fruits make har - vest glad,

(Tenor) The sea grows calm
Thy plen - - - teous fruits at make

(Bass) The sea grows
Thy plen - - - teous

cease to roar. _____
 dorn the spring. _____

And tem - pests cease to roar. _____
 Thy flow'rs a - dorn the spring. _____

Thy com - mand, And tem - pests cease to roar. _____
 har - vest glad, Thy flow'rs a - dorn the spring. _____

calm fruits at Thy com - mand, And tem - pests
 make har - vest glad, Thy flow'rs a -

And tem - pests cease to
 Thy flow'rs a - dorn the

cease to roar. _____
 dorn the spring. _____

roar, _____
 spring, _____

And Thy tem - pests cease to roar. _____
 flow'rs a - dorn the spring. _____

3. Seasons and times, and moons and hours,
 Heav'n, earth, and air are thine;
 When clouds distill their fruitful showers,
 The Author is divine.

4. Those wand'ring cisterns in the sky,
 Borne by the winds around
 With wat'ry treasures well supply
 The furrows of the ground.

5. The thirsty ridges drink their fill,
 And ranks of corn appear:
 Thy ways abound with blessings still,
 Thy goodness crowns the year.