Day of Wrath, O Day of Mourning

END TIMES

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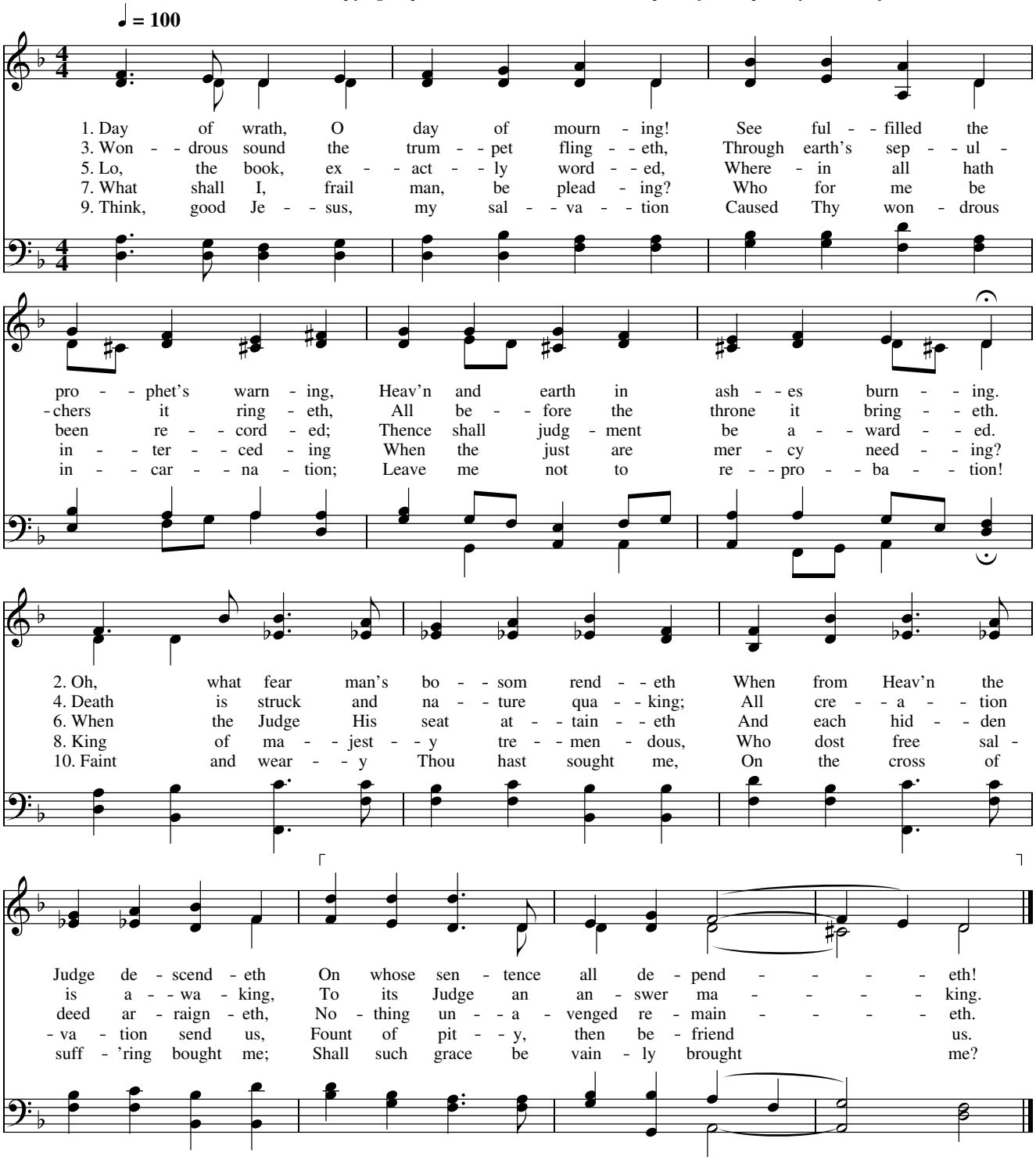
11. Righteous Judge, for sin's pollution
Grant Thy gift of absolution
Ere that day of retribution!
12. Guilty, now I pour my moaning,
All my shame with anguish owning:
Spare, O God, Thy suppliant groaning!

13. From that sinful woman shriven,
From the dying thief forgiven,
Thou to me a hope hast given.
14. Worthless are my prayers and sighing;
Yet, good Lord, in grace complying,
Rescue me from fires undying.

15. With Thy favored sheep, oh, place me!
Nor among the goats abase me,
But to Thy right hand upraise me.
16. While the wicked are confounded,
Doomed to flames of woe unbounded,
Call me, with Thy saints surrounded.

17. Low I kneel with heart submission, See, like ashes,
my contrition; Help me in my last condition!

18. Day of sorrow, day of weeping, When, in dust no
longer sleeping, Man awakes in Thy dread keeping!

Rev 6:12-17, Rev 20:11-15, Mt 24:15-28, Mt 25:31-46, Ps 49:1-20

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