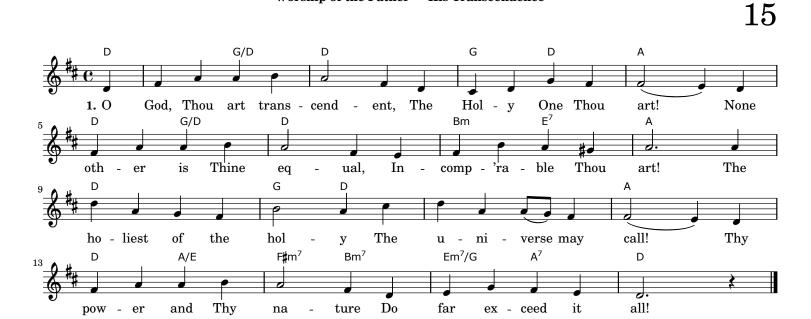
## O God, Thou art transcendent

## Worship of the Father — His Transcendence



- 2. Distinct, unique, and holy,
  Not only right and pure;
  Not only without defect,
  But with perfection more;
  For nothing can approach Thee,
  Nor e'er Thine equal be;
  If aught Thy place hath taken,
  'Tis insult unto Thee.
- 3. The excellent excelling,
   The fairest of the fair,
   Yet differing from the finest,
   For none with Thee compare.
   From all the righteous different,
   For Thine is absolute;
   None beauteous with Thee vying,
   For Thine excels repute.

- 4. Thy holiness transcendent
  Thou hast for us prepared,
  And this distinctive nature
  We have already shared.
  We share in Thy transcendence,
  Since we Thy nature own;
  Thy holy life we follow
  Till unto fulness grown.
- 5. We give Thee praise and worship For all Thy holiness, For Thy transcendent nature, Thine utter peerlessness. We praise Thee that Thy nature Unique, distinct—we share; This separating nature Is ours now and fore'er.