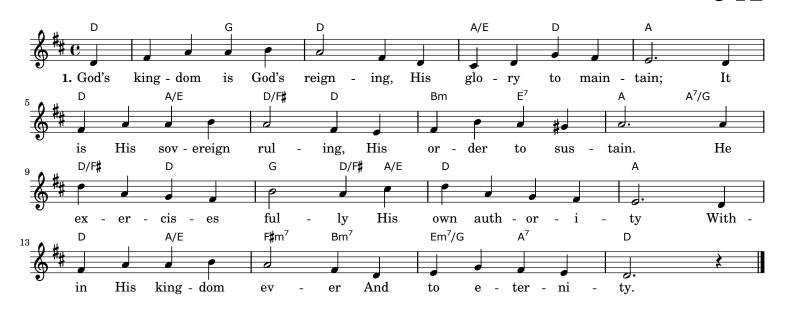
The Kingdom — Its Meaning



- Upon the throne, the center
 Of government divine,
 God reigns, and with His purpose
 Brings everything in line.
 God's headship and His lordship
 He only can maintain
 As King within His kingdom,
 O'er everything to reign.
- 3. By reigning in His kingdom
 God worketh all His will,
 And under His dominion
 His purpose doth fulfill.
 'Tis only in God's kingdom
 His blessing we may know;
 'Tis from His throne almighty
 The stream of life doth flow.
- 4. Submitted to God's ruling,
 All virtue thus will win;
 Rebellion to His Headship
 Is but the root of sin.
 The evil aim of Satan—
 God's throne to overthrow;
 Our aim and goal is ever
 His rule to fully know.

- 5. Within God's sovereign kingdom His Christ is magnified; When Christ in life is reigning, The Father's glorified. When God is in dominion, All things are truly blessed; When Christ for God is reigning. God's glory is expressed.
- 6. In fulness of the seasons
 God's Christ will head up all.
 Then all will own His reigning
 And worship, great and small.
 Such reign in life and glory
 The Church e'en now foretastes
 And to His rule submitting
 Unto His kingdom hastes.