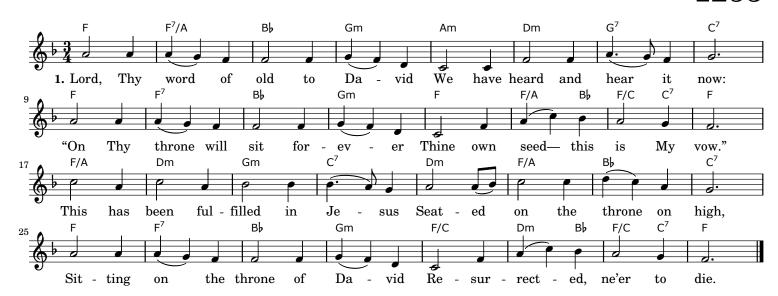
## Lord, Thy word of old to David

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- 2. Then another promise followed David's seed upon the throne: "I'll rebuild His tabernacle And by this I will be known." Lord, we thank Thee, Thou art faithful To perform Thy promised word. David's tabernacle, ruined, Soon by Thee will be restored.
- 3. Lord, we are that tabernacle,
  Thy rebuilding work on earth;
  Lord, restore Thyself a dwelling
  Where is seen Thy boundless worth.
  Thus shall all of mankind seek Thee.
  And the Gentiles call Thy name.
  From Thy holy tabernacle
  All the earth shall know Thy fame.

4. Hasten, Lord, Thy work upon us
To restore and build us now.
For this work we give ourselves, Lord;
Here to Thee we make a vow:
"Though our strength is weak and feeble,
Yet our hearts would ever be
From this day, Lord, for Thy building,
Now and for eternity.