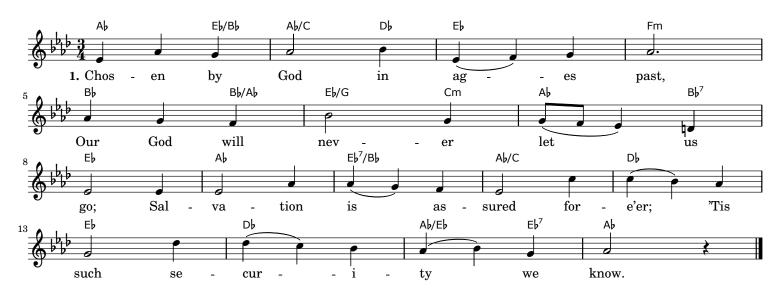
Chosen by God in ages past

The Kingdom — Reward and Punishment

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- 2. "I give to them eternal life,
 They shall not perish," is His word;
 "No one shall snatch them from Our hands,"
 This is the promise of the Lord.
- 3. Yet there's a word for God's own sons, Which is a warning from the Lord: For those not ready when He comes, "Worse punishment" and not "reward."
- 4. Reward is not eternal life, It's based on how we run the race; It all depends on what we build, It's not a matter, here, of grace.
- 5. 'Tis for God's kingdom we press on, Like Moses, we are for the Lord; We suffer with God's people here And look away to the reward.

- 6. Richer by far, reproach of Christ, Than Egypt's treasures, which are sin; By faith we leave Egyptian land, Avoiding next age discipline.
- 7. Our soul gained for the kingdom's age—
 For this we lose our soul life here;
 If we lay down our soul life now,
 We'll save it for Christ's kingdom there.
- 8. We all must learn to pay the price, Christ must be worked into our soul; 'Tis thus our soul is gained by Him, This is our aim and this our goal.