THE King shall rejoice in thy strength, O Lord: exceeding glad shall he be of thy salvation. 2. Thou hast given him his heart's desire: and hast not denied him the request of his lips. 3. For thou shalt prevent him with the blessings of goodness: and shalt set a crown of pure gold upon his head.

4. He asked life of thee, and thou gavest him a long life: even for ever and ever. 5. His honour is great in thy salvation: glory and great worship shalt thou lay upon him. 6. For thou shalt give him everlasting felicity: and make him glad with the joy of thy countenance. 7. And why? because the King putteth his trust in the Lord: and in the mercy of the most High he shall not miscarry. 8. All thine enemies shall feel thine hand: thy right hand shall find out them that hate thee. 9. Thou shalt make them like a fiery oven in time of thy wrath: the Lord shall destroy them in his displeasure, and the fire shall consume them. 10. Their fruit shalt thou root out of
the earth: and their seed from among the children of men. 11. For they intended mischief against thee: and imagin-ed such a device as they are not able to perform. 12. Therefore shalt thou put them to flight: and the strings of thy bow shalt thou make ready against the face of them. 13. Be thou exalted, Lord, in thine own strength: so we will sing, and praise thy power. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son: and to the Holy Ghost; As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be: world without end. Amen