

Waiting by the River

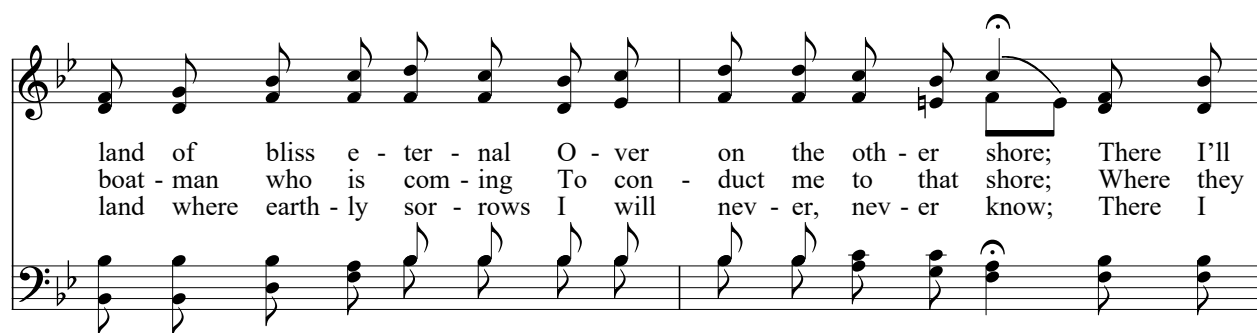
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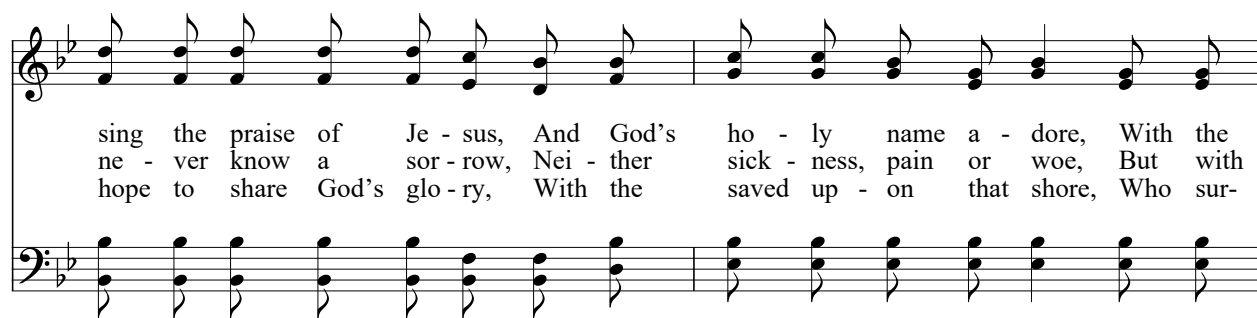
$\text{♩} = 92$



1. I am wait - ing by the riv - er For the mes - sage to come o'er, To the
2. I am wait - ing by the riv - er And I hear the splash - ing oar Of the
3. I am wait - ing by the riv - er And I'm long - ing now to go To that

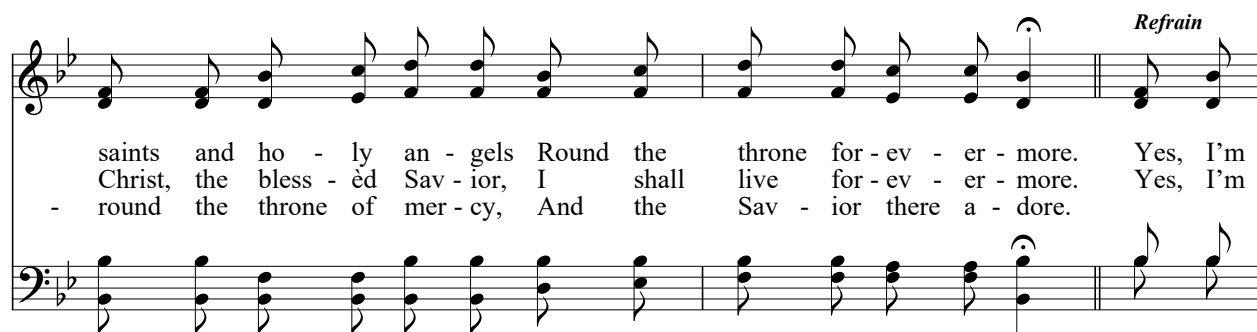


land of bliss e - ter - nal O - ver on the oth - er shore; There I'll
boat - man who is com - ing To con - duct me to that shore; Where they
land where earth - ly sor - rows I will nev - er, nev - er know; There I

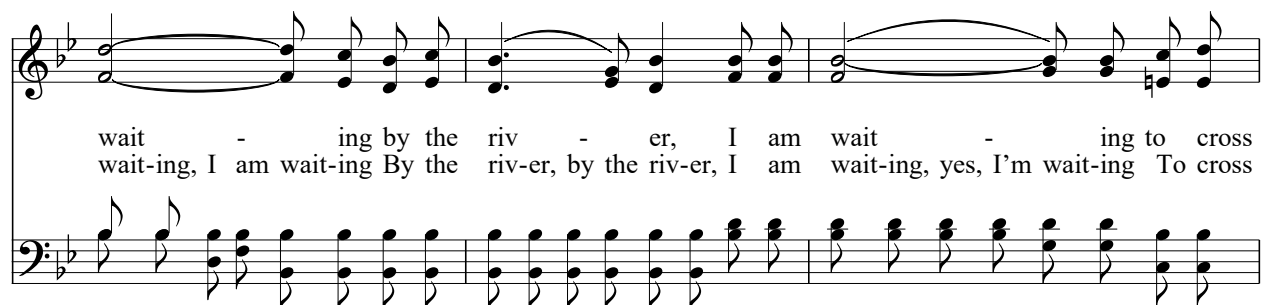


sing the praise of Je - sus, And God's ho - ly name a - dore, With the
ne - ver know a sor - row, Nei - ther sick - ness, pain or woe, But with
hope to share God's glo - ry, With the saved up - on that shore, Who sur -

Refrain



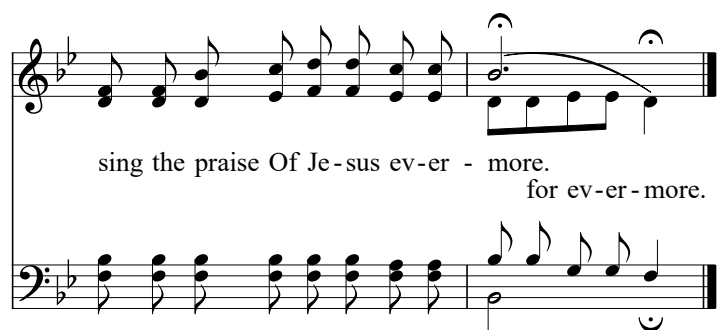
saints and ho - ly an - gels Round the throne for - ev - er - more. Yes, I'm
Christ, the bless - ed Sav - ior, I shall live for - ev - er - more. Yes, I'm
- round the throne of mer - cy, And the Sav - ior there a - dore.



wait - ing by the riv - er, I am wait - ing to cross
 wait-ing, I am wait-ing By the riv-er, by the riv-er, I am wait-ing, yes, I'm wait-ing To cross



o'er To that land of bliss e - ter - nal Where I'll
 o'er, to cross o'er To that land, yes, to that land Of bliss e - ter-nal, bliss e - ter-nal,



sing the praise Of Je-sus ev-er - more.
 for ev-er - more.