

## Mary's Song

*At the announcement of  
her role in the Messiah's birth.*

*Luke 1:46-55*

My humble soul extolls the Lord,  
My spirit has rejoiced,  
For God has seen my lowliness,  
And I have heard His voice

I have been blessed abundantly  
By what the Lord has done;  
The mighty God has flexed His arm,  
The ancient Holy One.

His mercy falls on those who fear,  
And history shows His grace;  
He smites the mighty in their pride,  
And puts them in their place.

He raises up the contrite heart,  
And fills the hungry soul;  
But turns away the selfish ones  
That baulk at His control.

He helped His servants find His way,  
Whose faith appeased His wrath.  
He spoke aloud to men of old,  
And leads us in their path.

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