

# Psalm 18 - I love the Lord

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The musical score consists of five staves of music. The top staff is for the Voice, and the bottom staff is for the Bass. A piano part is implied by the harmonic progression indicated above the vocal parts.

**Chords:**

- E
- G<sup>#</sup>m7
- A6
- B7(9)sus
- E
- G<sup>#</sup>m7
- F<sup>#</sup>m7
- B7(9)sus
- D<sup>#</sup>m7
- G<sup>#</sup>7
- C<sup>#</sup>m
- C<sup>#</sup>m7
- F<sup>#</sup>7
- B7sus
- E
- G<sup>#</sup>m7
- F<sup>#</sup>m7
- B7(9)sus
- A6
- A

**Lyrics:**

1. The pow-er— of the grave— lay all a - round me,  
un -

5. god - li - ness pre - vailed on ev - 'ry hand;—  
the plead-ing of my voice

10. — the Lord heard dai - ly, un til with mighty trem - bling in the land,

15. — the Lord up-on the dark - ness of deep wa-ter - - - His

21. ho - ly mes-sen - gers be-hind the wind - - - be - sieged the hea - vens

26                    B 7sus                    E                    C<sup>#</sup>m7                    A maj7                    B 7(9)sus

with His in - dig-na - tion, and to the res - cue came for all man

31                    E                    B                    B 7                    E                    B

kind! I love the Lord; He is my shield and for - ti - fied high

36                    E                    B                    B 7                    A

tower who, when I am sur - round - ed by un - ho - ly vi - o -

40                    E                    B                    B 7                    A

lence, stands firm - ly as the horn of my sal - va - tion and my

44                    Am                    E                    B 7(9)sus                    E

power - my strong-hold, rock of - ref - uge my de - fence