

## PSALM 43

<sup>1</sup> A Psalm of David.

Judge me, O God, and plead my cause, against an ungodly nation; deliver me from the unjust and crafty; <sup>2</sup> for You are my strength; why have You cast me off? And why do I go mourning, while the enemy oppresses *me*?

<sup>3</sup> Send forth Your light and Your truth; they have led me, and brought me to Your holy mountain, and to Your tabernacle.

<sup>4</sup> And I will go in to the altar of God, to God who gladdens my youth; I will give thanks to You on the harp, O God, my God.

<sup>5</sup> Why are you cast down, O my soul? And why do you trouble me? Hope in God; for I will give thanks to Him, *who is* the health of my countenance, *and* my God.