

<sup>1</sup>Praise ye the LORD. Sing unto the LORD a new song, and his praise in the congregation of saints. <sup>2</sup>Let Israel rejoice in him that made him: let the children of Zion be joyful in their King. <sup>3</sup>Let them praise his name in the dance: let them sing praises unto him with the timbrel and harp. <sup>4</sup>For the LORD taketh pleasure in his people: he will beautify the meek with salvation. <sup>5</sup>Let the saints be joyful in glory: let them sing aloud upon their beds. <sup>6</sup>Let the high praises of God be in their mouth, and a twoedged sword in their hand; <sup>7</sup>To execute vengeance upon the heathen, and punishments upon the people; <sup>8</sup>To bind their kings with chains, and their nobles with fetters of iron; <sup>9</sup>To execute upon them the judgment written: this honour have all his saints. Praise ye the LORD.