

For the people of Texas who are enduring the horror of Hurricane Harvey

Listen to the Longings

Psalm 10:17

David Haas

F/A Gm/D F(add9) Am Gm⁷ B^b/D C/E Dm F/A B^bmaj⁷

Lord, our God, lis-ten to the long-ings of your poor ones; lis-ten to the ach-ing of their

5 C(sus4) C A Dm(add9)

hearts. Hold their suf - fring close;

7 C/E F(add9) A Dm B^b(add9)/C C F

lis - ten to their cry, and make them strong. Make them strong.

LISTEN TO THE LONGINGS (Psalm 10) David Haas

REFRAIN (sung)

*Lord, our God,
listen to the longings of your poor ones;
listen to the aching of their hearts.
Hold their suffering close;
listen to their cry,
and make them strong.
Make them strong.*

VERSES (recited/proclaimed)

Verse 1:

God, come now,
and hear the cries and the aches of the poor.
Listen to them.
Really listen to them.

Verse 2:

God, come now,
and be attentive to the poor and the homeless.
Strengthen their weakening and doubting hearts.
Make them strong again.

Verse 3:

God, come now,
and bring your voice to their suffering.
When you listen and respond,
then –
the unprotected ones,
the fragile ones,
the orphaned and the anxious –
they will know that you are with them.

Verse 4:

God, come now,
and make your justice real
for those who hurting and afraid.
Then,
the arrogance and power
of the rushing winds and rain,
in the end,
will not win.

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I am the Lord, your God; the

one who de - li - vers you.

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I know the plans I have for you;

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to repeat	Last time
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plans for a future filled with hope. hope.

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My steadfast love will never leave you. My covenant of peace will re-

main. My compassion is here, my compassion is here.

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