Information: The Messiah was composed in 1741 by Handel who wrote the music and Charles Jennens furnished the scriptural text for the lyrics from the KJV of the Bible and he also arranged their order. Note: Substitution of the Hebrew proper names of "the Lord" is **YAHWAH**, and "Jesus" is **YAHWASUA**. Also the meaning of the Greek word transliterated "Christ" is the **ANOINTED**. Scripture citations are given at the end.

MESSIAH

Comfort ye, comfort ye My people, saith your God. Speak ye comfortably to Jerusalem, and cry unto her, that her warfare is accomplished, that her iniquity is pardoned. The voice of him that crieth in the wilderness, Prepare ye the way of **YAHWAH**, make straight in the desert a highway for our God. Every valley shall be exalted, and every mountain and hill shall be made low: and the crooked shall be made straight, and the rough places plain, And the glory of **YAHWAH** shall be revealed, and all flesh shall see it together: for the mouth of **YAHWAH** hath spoken it.

And I will shake the heavens, and the earth, and the sea and the dry land. And I will shake all nations, and the desire of all nations shall come. But who may abide the day of His coming? and who shall stand when He appeareth? for He is like a refiner's fire and He shall purify the sons of Levi, and purge them as gold and silver, that they may offer unto **YAHWAH** an offering of righteousness.

Behold, a virgin shall conceive, and bear a son, and shall call His name Immanuel. 0 Zion, that bringest good tidings, get thee up into the high mountain; O Jerusalem, that bringest good tidings, lift up thy voice with strength, lift it up, be not afraid; say unto the cities of Judah, behold your God. Arise, shine; for thy light is come, and the glory of **YAHWAH** is risen upon thee. For, behold, the darkness shall cover the earth, and gross darkness the people: but **YAHWAH** shall rise upon thee, and His glory shall be seen upon thee. And the Nations shall come to thy light, and kings to the brightness of thy rising. The people that walked in darkness have seen a great light: and they that dwell in the land of the shadow of death, upon them hath the light shined! For unto us a child is born, unto us a son is given: and the government shall be upon His shoulder: and His name shall be called Wonderful, Counsellor, the mighty God, The everlasting Father, The Prince of Peace.

And there were in the same country shepherds abiding in the field, keeping watch over their flock by night. And, lo, the angel of **YAHWAH** came upon them, and the glory of **YAHWAH** shone round about them: and they were sore afraid. And the angel said unto them, fear not; for, behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy, which shall be to all people. For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Saviour, which is The **ANOINTED YAHWASUA**. And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host praising God, and saying. Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good will toward men. Rejoice greatly, 0 daughter of Zion; shout, 0 daughter of Jerusalem: behold thy king cometh unto thee. He shall speak peace unto the nations. Then the eyes of the blind shall be opened, and the ears of the deaf shall be unstopped. Then shall the lame man leap as a hart, and the tongue of the dumb sing. He shall feed His flock like a shepherd: He shall gather the lambs with His arm, and carry them in His bosom, and shall gently lead those that are with young.

Come unto Me, all ye that labour and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest. Take My yoke upon you, and learn of Me; for I am meek and lowly in heart: and ye shall find rest unto your souls. For My yoke is easy and My burden is light.

Behold the Lamb of God, which taketh away the sin of the world. He is despised and rejected of men: a man of sorrows and aquainted with grief. I gave My back to the smiters, and My cheeks to them that plucked off the hair: I hid not My face from shame and spitting. Surely He hath borne our griefs, and carried our sorrows. He was wounded for our transgressions, He was bruised for our iniquities: the chastisement of our peace was upon Him, and with His stripes we are healed. All we like sheep have gone astray; we have turned every one to his own way; and YAHWAH hath laid on Him the iniquity of us all. All they that see Me

laugh Me to scorn: they shoot out the lip, and shake the head saying. He trusted on YAHWAH that He would deliver Him: let Him deliver Him, seeing He delighted in Him. **Reproach hath broken My heart; and I am full of heaviness: and I looked for some to take pity, but there was none; and for comforters, but I found none. Behold, and see if there be any sorrow like unto My sorrow.** He was taken from prison and from judgment: and who shall declare His generation? for He was cut off out of the land of the living: for the transgression of My people was He stricken. For Thou wilt not leave My soul in hell: neither wilt Thou suffer thy Holy One to see corruption.

Who is this King of glory? **YAHWAH** of hosts, He is the King of glory. Unto which of the angels said He at any time, Thou art My beloved Son, this day have I begotten thee? Let all the angels of God worship Him. Thou hast ascended on high, Thou hast led captivity captive; Thou hast received gifts for men; yea, for the rebellious also, that **YAHWAH** God might dwell among them. **YAHWAH** gave the word; great was the company of those that published it. How beautiful are the feet of them that preach the gospel of peace, and bring glad tidings of good things. But I say, Have they not heard? Yes verily, their sound went into all the earth, and their words unto the ends of the world. Why do the nations rage, and the people imagine a vain thing! The kings of the earth set themselves, and the rulers take counsel together, against **YAHWAH**, and against His **ANOINTED** saying. Let us break Their bands asunder, and cast away Their cords from us. He that sitteth in the heavens shall laugh: **YAHWAH** shall have them in derision. Thou shalt break them with a rod of iron: Thou shalt dash them in pieces like a potter's vessel. **Alleluia: for YAHWAH God omnipotent reigneth.** The kingdoms of this world are become the kingdoms of our Lord, and of His **ANOINTED**; and He shall reign for ever and ever KING OF KINGS, AND LORD OF LORDS.

For I know that my redeemer liveth, and that He shall stand at the latter day upon the earth. Though worms destroy this body, yet in my flesh shall I see **YAHWAH**. But now is the **ANOINTED** risen from the dead, and become the first fruits of them that slept. For since by man came death, by man came also the resurrection of the dead. For as in Adam all die, even so in the **ANOINTED** shall all be made alive. Behold, I show you a mystery; We shall not all sleep, but we shall be changed. In a moment, in the twinkling of an eye, at the last trump for the trumpet shall sound, and the dead shall be raised incorruptible, and we shall be changed. For this corruptible must put on incorruption, and this mortal must put on immortality then shall be brought to pass the saying that is written, Death is swallowed up in victory. 0 death, where is thy sting? 0 grave, where is thy victory? The sting of death is sin; and the strength of sin is the law. But thanks be to God, which giveth us the victory through our Lord **YAHWASUA** the **ANOINTED**. If God be for us, who can be against us? Who shall lay anything to the charge of God's elect? It is God That justifieth. Who is he that condemneth? It is the **ANOINTED** that died: yea rather, that is risen again, who is even at the right hand of God, who also maketh intercession for us. Worthy is the Lamb that was slain and has redeemed us to God by Thy blood to receive power, and riches, and wisdom, and strength, and honour, and glory, and blessing. Blessing, and honour, and glory, and power, be unto Him that sitteth upon the throne and unto the Lamb for ever and ever. Amen.

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