

156 Stand up and bless the Lord

Capo 1: D A Bm A⁷ D G D G D A

1 Stand up and bless the Lord, you peo - ple of his choice;
 2 Though high a - bove all praise, a - bove all bless - ing high,
 3 O for the liv - ing flame from his own al - tar brought,^a

stand up and bless the Lord your God with heart and soul and voice.
 who would not fear his ho - ly name, and laud and mag - ni - fy?
 to touch our lips, our minds in - spire, and wing to heaven our thought!

4 God is our strength and song,
 and his salvation ours;
 then be his love in Christ proclaimed
 with all our ransomed powers.

5 Stand up and bless the Lord,
 the Lord your God adore;
 stand up and bless his glorious name
 henceforth forevermore.

^a Is. 6:6-7

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