

Lord God of Abraham

#14, Aria for baritone (Elijah) from the oratorio *Elijah*

English translation by *William Bartholomew* (1793–1867) of the original German text by *Julius Schubring* (1806–1889), based on the Book of Kings and the psalms.

Set by *Felix Mendelssohn-Bartholdy* (1809–1847), op.70

Accompanied Recitative

Draw near, all ye people, come to me!
[dɹə nɪr əl ji 'pi:pəl kʌm tu mi]

Aria

Lord God of Abraham,
[lɔɹd gɔd əv 'e:ɪ.bɹə.hæm]

Isaac, and Israel:
This day let it be known
That Thou art God,
And I am thy servant!
Lord God of Abraham.

O shew to all this people
That I have done these things
According to Thy word!
O hear me, Lord, and answer me!
Lord God of Abraham,
Isaac, and Israel:
O hear me, and answer me!
O shew this people
That Thou art Lord God,
And let their hearts again be turnèd.

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Thank you!

