

The Law of God is Good and Wise

Em Bm Em Bm Em D G Am B

1. The law of God is good and wise and sets his will be - fore our eyes,
 2. The law is good; but since the fall its ho - li - ness con-demns us all;
 3. Its light of ho - li - ness im - parts the know - ledge of our sin - ful hearts,
 4. To Je - sus we for ref - uge flee, who from the curse has set us free,
 5. To those who help in Christ have found and would in works of love a - bound

B Am D7 G D7 G B Em Bm C B Em

shows us the way of righ-teous-ness, and dooms to death when we trans-gress.
 it dooms us for our sin to die and has no pow'r to jus - ti - fy.
 that we may see our lost es - tate and seek de - liv - 'rance ere too late.
 and hum - bly wor - ship at his throne, saved by his grace through faith a - lone.
 it shows what deeds are his de - light and should be done as good and right.

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