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WE-INSPIRING POWER

To the Pure and Shining One
 Arah's poetic tune, a song of smiting

God is well-known in the land of Judah.
 He is famous throughout Israel,
 making his home in Jerusalem, living here on
 Mount Zion.

It is there where he smashes every weapon of war
 and comes against him.

There he smashes the broken arrows
 and burns for his mighty bonfire.

Pause in his presence

For you are so resplendent and radiant
 your majesty shines from your everlasting
 mountain.

Nothing could be compared to you in glory!
 Even the mightiest of men have been paralyzed
 by your presence.

They were so stunned and lifeless not even
 the strongest one could lift a hand.

When Jacob's God roared his rebuke,
 soldiers and their steeds all fell to the ground,
 stunned and lying still.

No wonder you are greatly feared! You are the
 awe-inspiring God!

For who could ever stand before your face
 when your fierce anger burns and still live to tell
 about it.

God
 you are so
 RESPLENDENT
 AND
 RADIANT

Psalm 76:4

• 76:4 The Hebrew-Aramaic word used here is *anointed*.