

# The Righteous Souls Are In the Hand of God

*All Saints, Offertory Antiphon Hymn*

1. The right - eous souls are in the hand of God, And no mal -  
2. It may ap - pear, in - deed, that they have died. Yet hope en -  
3. God proved their worth, as gold in fire is tried; As sac - ri -  
4. They shall judge na - tions, rule o'er ev - ery land, The Lord shall

i - cious tor - ment touch - es them. To the un - wise they seem - ing - ly have  
dures for ev - er - last - ing life; Chast - ised a while, they shall be great - ly  
fice, He took them to him - self. In vis - i - ta - tion times they shall be  
be their king for - ev - er more; Who - ev - er trusts in him shall und - er -

died: But they live on, and dwell in peace with him.  
blessed, For God has found them worth - y of him - self.  
bright, And dart a - bout as sparks fly through the chaff.  
stand, They shall re - ceive the love he has in store.

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*Original Antiphon: The souls of the righteous are in the hand of God, and no malicious torment will ever touch them.  
In the eyes of the unwise, they seem to have died: but they are dwelling in peace, alleluia.*