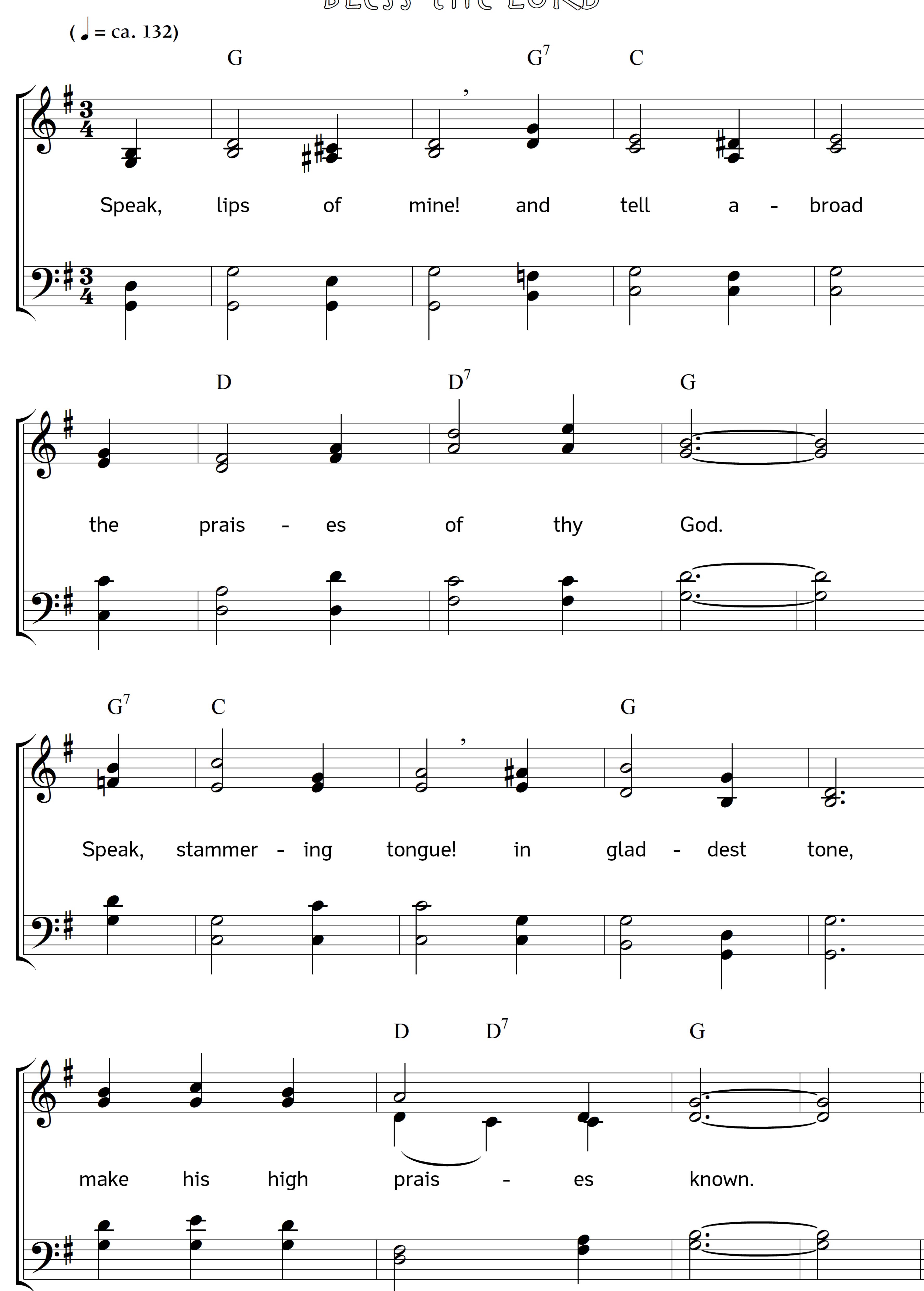
BLESS THE LORD



2. Speak, sea and earth!
 heaven's utmost star,
 speak from your realms afar!Take up the note,
 and send it round
 creation's farthest bound.

3. Speak, heaven of heavens! wherein our God has made his bright abode. Speak, angels, speak! in songs proclaim his everlasting name.

4. Speak, son of dust!
 thy flesh he took,
 and heaven for thee forsook.Speak, child of death!
 thy death he died;
 bless thou the Crucified!

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