

Easter Vigil 1

Psalms 136:1-9, 23-26

Introduction

Cantor, then all *Cantor, then all* *Cantor, then all*

Your Love sus-tains us. Your Love sus-tains us. Your Love sus-tains us.

Cantor *All* *Cantor* *All* *Cantor* *All*

O sing praises to the Be-loved,
Your Love sustains us;
Yes, give thanks to the Heart of all hearts,
Your Love sustains us;
And bow down before the Most High,
Your Love sustains us;

To You, who spoke and Cre-ation was founded,
Your Love sustains us;
To You, who by understanding cre-ated the heavens,
Your Love sustains us;
To You, who spread out the earth upon the waters,
Your Love sustains us;

To You, who set the planets upon their course,
Your Love sustains us;
And the sun to rule over the day,
Your Love sustains us;
The moon and stars to rule over the night,
Your Love sustains us;

To You, who remember us when we are downtrodden and dis-couraged,
Your Love sustains us;
And bring Light into the darkness,
Your Love sustains us;
To You, who are Loving Com-panion Presence
Your Love sustains us.