

How Happy is He Born and TaughtGeorge Washington's Hymn

How Happy is He Born and Taught was popular in America in the late 1700's. This hymn was sung often by President and First Lady Washington. This hymn is based on Psalm 112.

Section A: Diagram a Hymn.

Using the hymn sheet given to you by your teacher, find phrases from the hymn to support the following characteristics of Godly leadership.

<u>Stanza</u>	<u>Characteristic</u>	<u>Example/Supporting Evidence</u>
1	Honest service to others	
2	Self-control	
3	One's conscious	
4	God's Grace to us	
5	Freedom to Hope	

Section B: Hymn Analysis. A person's favorite hymn tells you a lot about a person. It reveals their struggles and their goals. It also tells you what they believe about God and how they want to serve Him. On a separate sheet of paper, write a profile of George Washington using the hymn as a guide to his character. You may also use his prayers and quotes from him as supporting evidence of the profile.

Section C: Comparison.

Psalm 112 describes the benefits of righteousness. The hymn records these benefits with different words and examples. Using your Bible and hymn sheet, find phrases from any part of the hymn that correspond with each verse in Psalm 112.

<u>Verse</u>	<u>Psalm 112</u>	<u>How Happy is He Born and Taught</u>
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