



- 2 Judea's great king, whose high praises we sing, With wisdom contrived while the Temple he planned; The mysterious art then took place in each heart, And Hiram and Solomon went hand in hand: While each royal name was recorded in fame, Their works earth and heaven did jointly approve; Then charge bumpers high, and with shouts rend the sky. To Masonry, Friendship, and Brotherly Love.
 CHORUS — Then charge bumpers high, &c.
- Then Masons were true, and the craft daily grew;
 They lived within compass, and worked by the square;
 In Friendship they dwelt, no ambition they felt;
 Their deeds were upright, and their consciences clear;
 On this noble plan Free-masons began;
 To help one another they mutually strove.
 Then charge bumpers high, and with shouts rend the sky
 To Masonry, Friendship, and Brotherly Love.
 CHORUS Then charge bumpers high, &c.
- 4 These maxims pursue, and your passions subdue,
 And imitate those worthy Masons of yore;
 Fix a Lodge in each breast, be fair Virtue your guest,
 Let Wisdom preside, and let Truth tile the door;
 So shall we arise to an immortal prize,
 In that blissful Lodge which no time can remove;
 Then charge bumpers high, and with shouts rend the fty,
 To Masonry, Friendship, and Brotherly Love.
 CHORUS—Then charge bumpers high, &c