

God of War, Lead Onward

(Tune: Cross of Christ, Lead Onward)

God has promised Israel a beautiful homeland
 Filled with milk and honey -- such a place so grand.
 There is just one problem; it's already filled,
 But god has solved this problem. He'll just have them killed.

Girgashites and Hittites, and Canaanites, too.
 Perizites and Jebusites, we're coming for you.
 Amorites and Hivites, you won't get away
 From our swords and arrows. We'll have a time so gay.

You chose the wrong real estate on which to build your lives.
 God says we now own it, so you have to die.
 We'd love to have you stay, but god just says, "No way."
 You'd corrupt our morals, so all of you we'll slay.

So we come with God's love killing as we smile
 Every man and woman, every dog and child.
 Please know it's with love. The god of love we serve
 Sends us to show his grace. From his plan we can't swerve.

CHORUS:

God of war, lead onward to the promised land.
 We will kill everyone, just as you command.

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Beneath the Cross of the Serpent

(Tune: Beneath the Cross of Jesus)

And the LORD sent fiery serpents among the people, and they bit the people; and much people of Israel died. And the LORD said unto Moses, Make thee a fiery serpent, and set it upon a pole: and it shall come to pass, that every one that is bitten, when he looketh upon it, shall live. -- Numbers 21:6,8

Beneath the cross of the serpent, there I will take my stand
 To heal me of the bite of snakes that god sent on the land.
 Do not complain about the food or god gets plenty mad.
 He'll send upon you ugly snakes. He can be a mean old dad.

Beneath the cross of the serpent, there I stand horrified.
 Because god got in to a snit see how many have died.
 Oh, this is how he shows his love, that if you state your mind
 He'll send on you a horror real or kill you. He's so kind.

Beneath the cross of the serpent, there I lift up my eyes.
 The graven image now set up that Moses did devise.
 No graven image we were told would our god tolerate,
 But now we're told to look to it to save us from our fate.