

THE WAY OF SALVATION:

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Love Divine, All Loves Excelling

He who loves me will be loved by my Father, and I too will love him and show myself to him. John 14:21

1. Love di - vine, all loves ex - cel - ling, Joy of heav'n, to earth come down:  
 2. Breathe, O breathe thy lov - ing Spir - it in - to ev - 'ry trou - bled breast:  
 3. Come, Al - might - y to de - liv - er, let us all thy life re - ceive;  
 4. Fin - ish, then, thy new cre - a - tion; pure and spot - less let us be:

fix in us thy hum - ble dwell - ing, all thy faith - ful mer - cies crown:  
 let us all in thee in - her - it, let us find the prom - ised rest:  
 sud - den - ly re - turn, and nev - er, nev - er - more thy tem - ples leave.  
 let us see thy great sal - va - tion per - fect - ly re - stored in thee;

Je - sus, thou art all com - pas - sion, pure, un - bound - ed love thou art;  
 take a - way the love of sin - ning; Al - pha and O - me - ga be;  
 Thee we would be al - ways bless - ing, serve thee as thy hosts a - bove,  
 changed from glo - ry in - to glo - ry, till in heav'n we take our place.

vis - it us with thy sal - va - tion, en - ter ev - 'ry trem - bling heart.  
 End of faith, as its Be - gin - ning, set our hearts at lib - er - ty.  
 pray, and praise thee, with - out ceas - ing, glo - ry in thy per - fect love.  
 till we cast our crowns be - fore thee, lost in won - der, love, and praise.

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*To me, to live is Christ and to die is gain. Phil. 1:21*

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1. Christ, of all my hopes the ground, Christ, the spring of  
 2. Let your love my heart in - flame; keep your fear be -  
 3. Foun - tain of o'er - flow - ing grace, free - ly from your  
 4. Firm - ly trust - ing in your blood, noth - ing shall my  
 5. Thus, O thus, an en - trance give to the land of

F/C C<sup>7</sup> F C F

all my joy, still in you may I be found, still for  
 fore my sight; be your praise my high - est aim; be your  
 • ful - ness give; till I close my earth - ly race, may I  
 heart con - found; safe - ly I shall pass the flood, safe - ly  
 cloud - less sky; hav - ing known it "Christ to live," let me

B<sup>b</sup> F C<sup>7</sup> F F/C C 7 Dm C F B<sup>b</sup> F/C C F 7

you my pow'rs em - ploy, still for you my pow'rs em - ploy.  
 smile my chief de - light, be your smile my chief de - light.  
 • prove it "Christ to live," may I prove it "Christ to live."  
 reach Im - man - uel's ground, safe - ly reach Im - man - uel's ground.  
 know it "gain to die," let me know it "gain to die."

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