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Our Mouth as in the Dust we lay, * We have not, Lord, thy Gifts improved, And still for Mercy, Mercy pray, * But basely from thy Statutes roved, Unworthy to behold thy Face, * And done thy loving Spirit Despite, Unfaithful Stewards of thy Grace, * And finned against the clearest Light, Our Sin and Wickedness we own, * Brought back thine agonizing Pain, And deeply for Acceptance grown.* And nail'd thee to thy Cross again.

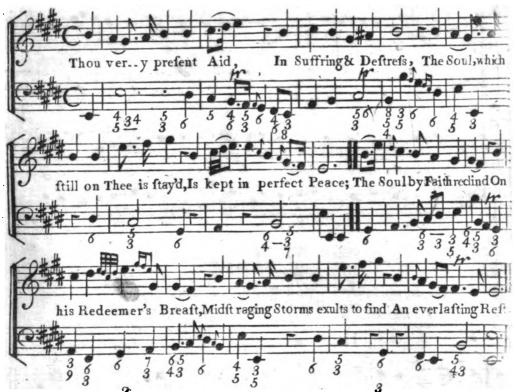
Yet do not drive us from thy Pace, A stiff-neck'd and hard hearted Race, But O! in tender Mercy break The Iron Sinew in our Neck, The softning Power of Love impart, And melt the Marble of our Heart.



Peace troubl'd Soul Thou needft not fear, Thy Jefus cries, Be of good chear, Only on Jefu's Blood rely, He died that Thou mightft never die.







Sorrow and Fear are gone,

Whene'er thy Face appears,

It ftills the fighing Orphans Moan,

And dries the Widow's Tears,

It hallows every Crofs,

It fweetly comforts me,

It makes me now forget my Lofs,

And lofe myfelf in Thee.

Peace to the troubled Heart,
Health to the fin. fick Mind,
The wounded Spirits Balm Thouse.
The healer of Mankind:
In deep Affliction bleft,
With Thee I mount above,
And fing triumphantly diffreft,
Thine all fufficient Love.

Jefus to whom I fly,
Doth all my Wifhes fill,
In vain the Creature Streams are dry,
I have the Pountain still,
Stript of my Earthly Priends
I find them all in One,
And Peace, and Joy, that never ends,
And Heaven in Christ alone!



True Daughter of Affliction she, * The Father then reveal'd his Son,
Enur'd to Pain and Misery, * Him in the broken Bread made known,
Mourn'd a long Night of Griefs & fears, * She knew and felt her Sins forgiven,
A Legal Night of Seventy Years. * And found the Earnest of her Heaven.

Meet for the Fellowship above, She heard the Call, "Arise my Love: I come, her dying Looks replied, And Lamb-like as her Lord she died.



Courtious, pitiful, and kind, Lowly, meek in Thought and Word,* All the Depth of Love express, Altogether like our Lord. Let us Each for Other care, Each his Brother's Burthen bear, To thy Church the Pattern give, Shew how true Believers live.

Make us of one Heart and Mind,* Free from Anger, and from Pride, * Let us thus in God abide, All the Height of Holiness. Let us then with Joy remove * To thy Family above, * On the Wings of Angels fly, Shew how true Believers die.



Thy Days of Pain and Mourning *
Thy Punishment is past. *
And to thy God returning *
Thy Soul is fav'd at last: *
Sav'd from a World of Evils, *
With Jesus Christ shut in, *
Beyond the Range of Devils, *
Beyond the Reach of Sin. *

No more o'erwhelm'd with Terrors,
Or rack'd with Doubts thou art,
No more th'Almighty's Arrows
Transfix thy bleeding Heart:
No more thy wounded Spirit
Paints under its full Load,
Or cries "What Man can bear it,
"The heavyWrath of God!"

The Waves and Storms of Passion Are all past o'er thy Head, From Trouble and Temptation Thou liv'st forever freed: No Lofs of Friends shall grieve the Prom all thy Care and Sorrow While all thy Eden share, They cannot cannot leave thee, Thy kind Companions there. With those that went before thee, The Saints of antient Days, Who shine in facred Story, Thy Soul hath found its Place: Acquainted with their Sadness, While in the weeping Vale, Thou sharest now their Gladness, And Joys that never fail.

*Thine earthly Course is ended, 7 Thou haft obtain'd the Prize, *Triumphantly ascended To God thy Paradife: Thou art escap'd to Day ... * And I shall mount To morrow, And I fhall foar away. Jesus, my Hope of Glory, I owe it to thy Grace, That I foon ad re Thee, And fee Thee Pace to Pace: Pulfil my Expectation, And O! to take me home, With all thy great Salvation, This happy Moment come!





No, I will not cease from Crying,
Not 'till Tophet takes me in,
Still I pray, tho' finking, dying,
Save me, save me, Lord, from Sin,
Bring me thro' my fore Temptation;
Or if I must see the Pit,
Perish in thine Indignation,
Let me perish at thy Feet.



To Him our Request We now have made known, Who sees what is best For Each of his own: Our heathenish Care We cast it aside, He heareth the Prayer, And God shall provide.

The Modest and Meek This Earth shall possess: The Kingdom who seek Of Jesus's Grace, That Power of his Spirit shall joyfully own, And all Things inherit In Virtue of One.

Whatever we need His Bount shall give, And hallow the Bread We daily receive; We live by his Blessing (That Bread from above) All Pulness possessing In Jesus's Love. 9





O Depth of fad Diftrefs,

When fhall my Sorrows end!

When will the Prince of Peace

Declare Himfelf my Priend?

Or muft I thus forever cry

In hopeless Misery,

My God, my God, and Saviour, why

Hast Thou for saken me!

Is there no Balm of Love

Within thy Bosom found,

My Anguish to remove,

And healmy Spirit's Wound?

Who Need of Healing have?

Because the Sinner's Chief I am,

Wilt Thou refuse to save?

Most helples is my Soul
Of all the Sin sick Race,
Thou therefore make it whole,
In Honour of thy Grace:
More Honour will thy Grace receive
By freely pard'ning me,
Than if ten thousand Sinners live,
Converted all to Thee.

Come then, and fhew thine Art,
Physician most Divine,
Bind up my Broken Heart,
Pour in thy Oil and Wine,
Into my Heart the Spirit pour
Of Love, and Joy, and Peace,
To perfect Health my Soul restore,
To perfect Holiness.



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