

Veneration of the Cross

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1. Sing, my tongue, the glo - rious bat - tle, Sing the ending of the fray;



Now a - bove the cross, the tro - phy, Sound the loud tri - um - phant lay:



Tell how Christ, the world's Re - deem - er, As a victim won the day.



2. Tell how, when at length the full - ness Of the appointed time was come,



He the Word, was born of wom - an, Left for us his Fa - ther's home,



Showed to men the per - fect man - hood, Shone as light a - midst the gloom.



3. What wondrous love is this, O my soul, O my soul? What wondrous love is



this, O my soul? What wondrous love is this That caused the Lord of Bliss To

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bear the dreadful curse for my soul, for my soul; To bear the dreadful curse for my soul?

4. Thus, with thir - ty years ac - complished, Went he forth from Naz - a -

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reth, Destined, ded - i - cate, and wil - ling, Wrought his work, and met his

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death; Like a lamb he hum - bly yield - ed On the cross his dy - ing breath.

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5. To God and to the Lamb I will sing, I will sing; To God and to the Lamb, I will

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sing; To God and to the Lamb Who is the great I am, While millions join the

sing; To God and to the Lamb who is the

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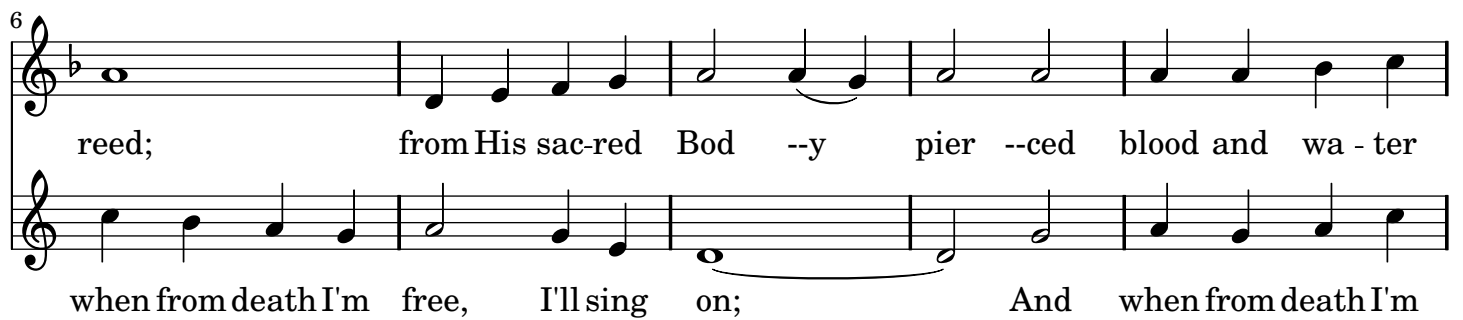


theme, I will sing, I will sing; While millions join the theme, I will sing.
great I Am, while millions join the theme, I will sing.



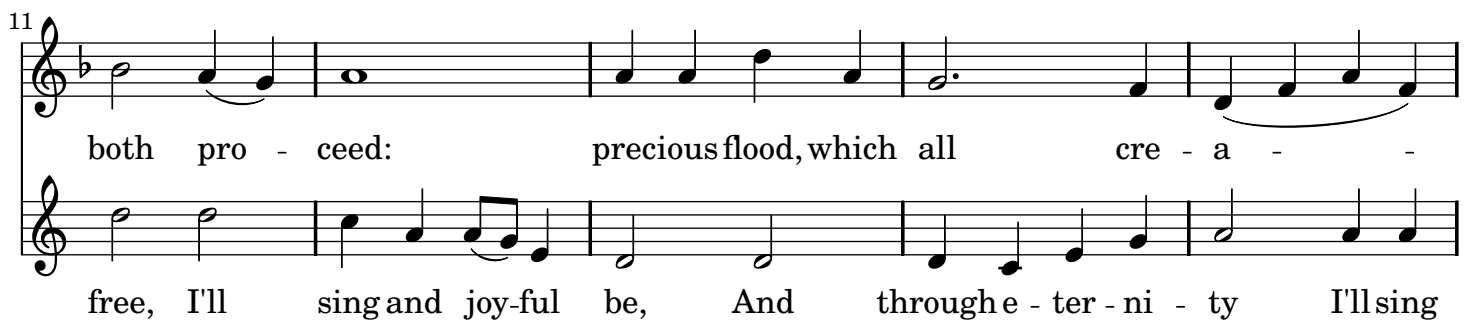
6 There the nails and spear he suf-fers, vin-e-gar and gall and
6. And when from death I'm free, I'll sing on, I'll sing on; And

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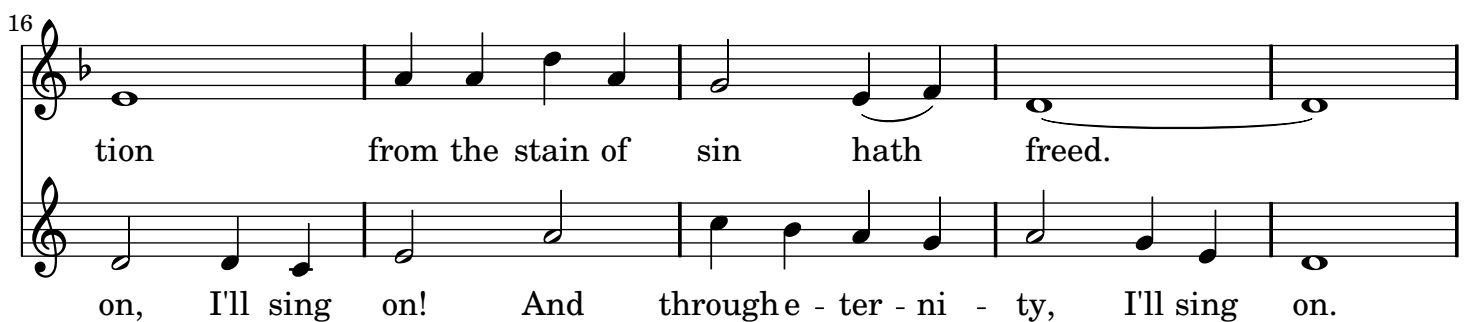
reed; from His sac-red Bod --y pier --ced blood and wa - ter
when from death I'm free, I'll sing on; And when from death I'm

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both pro - ceed: precious flood, which all cre - a - -
free, I'll sing and joy-ful be, And throughe - ter - ni - ty I'll sing

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tion from the stain of sin hath freed.
on, I'll sing on! And throughe - ter - ni - ty, I'll sing on.

7. Faithful cross, thou sign of triumph, Now for man the no - blest tree,

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None in foliage, none in blossom, None in fruit thy peer may be;

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None in foliage, none in blossom, None in fruit thy peer may be;

None in blossom, None may be;

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Symbol of the world's redemption, For the weight that hung on thee!

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8. Glory, honor to the Fa--ther, Son, and Spirit, Per - sons three. Glory, honor



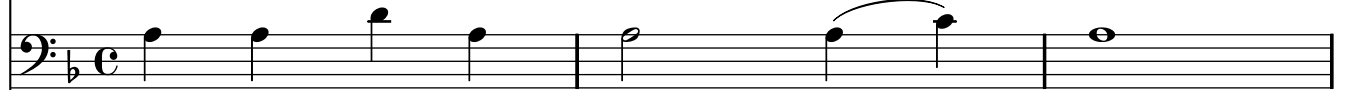
for sal - vation, Mani-fest--ed by this tree. Glory, honor for re - demp - tion,



Now and through e - ter - ni - - ty.



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