

At the name of Jesus

TiS 231 Tune: Camberwell

1. At the name of Jesus
every knee shall bow,
every tongue confess him
King of glory now:
this the Father's pleasure
that we call him Lord,
who from the beginning
was the mighty Word.
2. Humbled for a season
to receive a name
from the lips of sinners
unto whom he came,
faithfully he bore it
spotless to the last,
brought it back victorious
when from death he passed.
3. In your hearts enthrone him,
there let him subdue
all that is not holy,
all that is not true.
He is God the Saviour,
he is Christ the Lord,
ever to be worshipped,
trusted and adored.
4. When this same Lord Jesus
shall return again
in his Father's glory,
there with him to reign,
then may we adore him,
all before him bow,
as our hearts confess him
King of glory now.

Caroline Maria Noel (1817–77) alt.

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Make Me a Channel of Your Peace

TiS 607 Tune: Channel of Peace

1. Make me a channel of your peace.
Where there is hatred
let me bring your love;
where there is injury, your pardon, Lord;
and where there's doubt, true faith in you.

*O Master, grant that I may never seek
so much to be consoled as to console,
to be understood as to understand,
to be loved, as to love with all my soul.*

2. Make me a channel of your peace.
Where there's despair in life,
let me bring hope;
where there is darkness,
let me bring your light;
and where there's sadness, ever joy.

*O Master, grant that I may never seek
so much to be consoled as to console,
to be understood as to understand,
to be loved, as to love with all my soul.*

3. Make me a channel of your peace.
It is in pardoning
that we are pardoned,
in giving of ourselves that we receive,
and in dying we're born to eternal life.

Based on an anonymous prayer (? French) c.1900

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O Jesus, I Have Promised

TiS 595 Tune: BCP 572 Day of Rest.

1. O Jesus, I have promised
to serve you to the end;
Lord, be for ever near me,
my master and my friend:
I shall not fear the battle
if you are by my side,
nor wander from the pathway
if you will be my guide.
2. Still let me feel you near me:
the world is ever near;
I see the sights that dazzle,
the tempting sounds I hear;
my foes are ever near me,
around me and within;
but, Jesus, draw me nearer,
and shield my soul from sin.
3. O let me hear you speaking
in accents clear and still,
above the storms of passion,
the murmurs of self-will;
Lord, speak to reassure me,
to hasten or control;
O speak, and make me listen,
true guardian of my soul.
4. Lord, let me see your footmarks
and in them plant my own;
that I may follow boldly
and in your strength alone;
O guide me, call me, draw me,
uphold me to the end;
and then in heaven receive me
my Saviour and my friend.

John Ernest Bode 1816-72 alt.

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Come, Sing Praises to The Lord Above.

TiS 53. Tune: Calypso Carol.

1. Come, sing praises to the Lord above,
rock of our salvation, God of love;
with delight into God's presence move,
for the Lord our God is King!

Chorus

*God is King above the mountains high,
the ocean deep, the land and sky;
mighty continents and islands lie
within the hollow of God's hand.*

2. Come to worship Him and bow the knee
praise our shepherd with humility;
humble creatures in his hand are we -
sing the praise of God the King!

Chorus

3. Hear the story of God's people now,
you with stubborn hearts
who will not bow;
learn what happened long ago and how
God can show you who is King.

Chorus

4. Forty years God kept the prize away,
made them wander till they would obey,
exiled all of them until the day
they would honour God as King.

Michael Arnold Perry 1942-96

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