



Jesus, My Portion, and My Love

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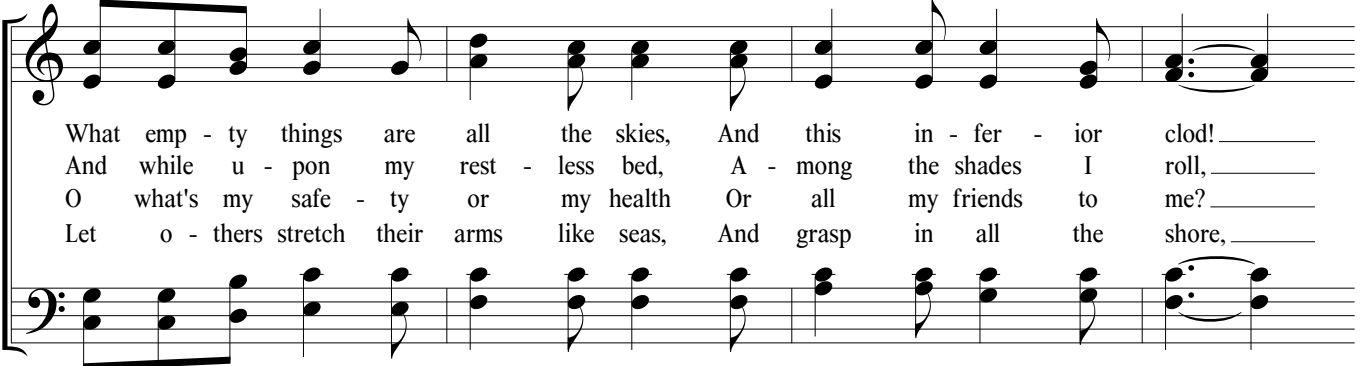
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1. Je - sus, my por - tion, and my love, My e - ver - last - ing all, _____
2. Vain - ly the bright and burn - ing sun Would scat - ter his fee - ble light; _____
3. All of my wealth, my friends, my health, My home u - pon this sod, _____
4. Did I pos - sess in full the earth, And call'd the stars my own, _____



I've none but Thee in heav'n a - bove, Or on this earth - ly ball.
'Tis Thy sweet beams cre - ate my noon; If Thou with - draw, 'tis night.
My thanks I give for all these things, But they are not my God.
With - out Thy grac - es and Thy - self, I'd be a wretch a - lone.



What emp - ty things are all the skies, And this in - fer - ior clod! _____
And while u - pon my rest - less bed, A - mong the shades I roll, _____
O what's my safe - ty or my health Or all my friends to me? _____
Let o - thers stretch their arms like seas, And grasp in all the shore, _____



There's noth - ing here de - serves my joys, There's noth - ing like my God.
If my Re - deem - er shows His head, 'Tis morn - ing in my soul.
How vain a toy is earth - ly wealth If once com - pared to Thee!
Lord, let me but see Thy love - ly face, And I'll de - sire no more.

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