

I cannot breathe enough of Thee

Praise of the Lord — His Beauty

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(Guitar: Capo 3)

The musical score is written for guitar with a capo at the 3rd fret. It consists of three staves of music in 3/4 time. The first staff contains measures 1 through 4, the second staff contains measures 5 through 8, and the third staff contains measures 9 through 12. Chord symbols are placed above the notes: D, A, A7, D, B7, Em, A, D, D7, G, D, A, A7, and D. The lyrics are written below the notes, with some words hyphenated across measures.

1. I can-not breathe e-nough of Thee, O gen-tle breeze of love; More fra-grant
than the myr - tle tree The Hen-na- flow - er* is to me, The
Balm of Heaven a - bove. The Balm of Heaven a - bove.

2. I cannot gaze enough on Thee,
Thou Fairest of the Fair;
My heart is filled with ecstasy,
As in Thy face of radiancy
I see such beauty there.
3. I cannot yield enough to Thee,
My Savior, Master, Friend;
I do not wish to go out free,
But ever, always, willingly,
To serve Thee to the end.
4. I cannot sing enough of Thee,
The sweetest name on earth;
A note so full of melody
Comes from my heart so joyously,
And fills my soul with mirth.
5. I cannot speak enough of Thee,
I have so much to tell;
Thy heart it beats so tenderly
As Thou dost draw me close to Thee,
And whisper, "All is well."

* An Old World plant, prized for
its fragrant yellow and white flowers.
(Song of Sol. 1:14, A.S.V.)