

More love to Thee, O Lord

Longings — For Love to Christ

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The musical score is written in G-flat major (three flats) and common time (C). It consists of four staves of music. The lyrics are written below the notes. Chord symbols are placed above the notes. The first staff starts with a treble clef and a common time signature. The lyrics for the first staff are: "1. More love to Thee, O Lord, More love to Thee!". The second staff starts with a treble clef and a common time signature. The lyrics for the second staff are: "Hear Thou the prayer I make On bend - ed knee;". The third staff starts with a treble clef and a common time signature. The lyrics for the third staff are: "This is my earn - est plea: More love, O Lord, to Thee,". The fourth staff starts with a treble clef and a common time signature. The lyrics for the fourth staff are: "More love to Thee, More love to Thee!".

1. More love to Thee, O Lord, More love to Thee!
Hear Thou the prayer I make On bend - ed knee;
This is my earn - est plea: More love, O Lord, to Thee,
More love to Thee, More love to Thee!

2. Once earthly joy I craved,
Sought peace and rest;
Now Thee alone I seek,
Give what is best;
This all my prayer shall be:
More love, O Lord, to Thee,
More love to Thee,
More love to Thee!

3. Let sorrow do its work,
Send grief and pain;
Sweet are Thy messengers,
Sweet their refrain,
When they can sing with me,
More love, O Lord, to Thee,
More love to Thee,
More love to Thee!

4. Then shall my latest breath
Whisper Thy praise;
This be the parting cry
My heart shall raise;
This still its prayer shall be:
More love, O Lord, to Thee,
More love to Thee,
More love to Thee!